プロフィール

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1944年生まれ、富山県出身。1962年に富山中部高校を卒業後、

東京大学法学部、東京大学大学院法学研究科修士課程を修了。

1969年、外務省入省後に渡米し、タフツ大学フレッチャースクール修士課程で研修。

ハーバード大学国際問題研究所フェロー。その後、1996年在ロサンゼルス総領事、

1999年条約局長、2001年総合外交政策局長、2002年内閣官房副長官補などを歴任し、

2005年外務事務次官。2008年に同職を退任し、2012～14年には内閣官房参与、

2014年～19年には初代国家安全保障局長を歴任。

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【主な著書】　　「外交の戦略と志」（産経新聞出版）　等

Born in 1944 and raised in Toyama Prefecture, Mr. Shotaro Yachi graduated from Toyama Chubu High School in 1962. He joined the Ministry of Foreign Affairs (MOFA) after completing his undergraduate degree in law at the University of Tokyo and his master's degree in law at the University of Tokyo Graduate School of Law.

After joining the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, he moved to the United States and trained in a master's degree program at the Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy, Tufts University. He was a research fellow at the Weatherhead Center for International Affairs, Harvard University.

He later served as Consul General of Japan, Los Angeles (MOFA) in 1996, Director General, Treaties Bureau (MOFA) in 1999, Director General, Foreign Policy Bureau (MOFA) in 2001, and Assistant Chief Cabinet Secretary in 2002, before being appointed Deputy Vice-Minister for Foreign Affairs in 2005.

After retiring from the position in 2008, he served as Special Advisor to the Cabinet from 2012 to 2014, and as the first Secretary General of the National Security Secretariat from 2014 to 2019.

In April 2020, he was appointed President of Fujitsu Future Studies Center which is the present position.

He is the author of several books, most notably *“Gaiko no senryaku to kokorozashi [The Strategy and Vision of Diplomacy]”* (Sankei Shinbun Shuppan 2009 in Japanese).