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### **ACADEMIC BACKGROUND:**

1971, D. of Bachelor, The University of Tokyo

1973, D. of Master, The University of Tokyo

1985, D. of Science, The University of Tokyo

### **PROFESSIONL ADVANCES:**

1973-1975, Tokyo-district meteorological Observatory, Japan Meteorological Agency (JMA)

1975-1979, Electronic Computation Center/JMA

1979-1981, Research Associate, Department of Meteorology, University of Hawaii

1979-1985, Electronic Computation Center/JMA

1985-1991, Associate Professor, Department of Geophysics, The University of Tokyo

1991-present, Professor, Center for Climate System Research(CCSR), The University of Tokyo

1994-2004, Director of CCSR

2005-present, Executive Director of TIGS

### **AWARDS:**

1983, Yamamoto Award by Japan Meteorological Society

1995, Fujiwara Award by Japan Meteorological Society

### **RESEARCH INTERESTS:**

Numerical weather prediction, Monsoon dynamics, tropical meteorology, climate dynamics including ENSO and global warming simulation