

JAPAN

Minister of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology

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Keiko NAGAOKA

Born on December 8, 1953 in Tokyo; Party affiliation: Liberal Democratic Party (LDP);

Member of the House of Representatives

Education and Career

March 1976	Graduated Faculty of Law, Gakushuin University
September 2005	First elected to 44th House of Representatives
September 2006	Parliamentary Vice-Minister of Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries
August 2009	Elected to 45th House of Representatives
May 2010	Director, Diet Members Caucus on Welfare for Single Mothers and Widows, Liberal Democratic Party
October 2010	Deputy Director; Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology Division; Liberal Democratic Party
October 2012	Chairperson, Committee on Organizations Involved with Health and Welfare, Liberal Democratic Party
December 2012	Elected to 46th House of Representatives
December 2012	Deputy Chairperson, Diet Affairs Committee, Liberal Democratic Party
January 2013	Chief Secretary, Research Commission on Consumer Issues
August 2013	Director, House of Representatives Steering Committee
September 2014	State Minister of Health, Labour and Welfare (Abe's second, reshuffled cabinet)
December 2014	Elected to 47th House of Representatives
December 2014	State Minister of Health, Labour and Welfare (Abe's third, reshuffled cabinet)
October 2015	Deputy Chairperson, Policy Research Council, Liberal Democratic Party
September 2016	Chairperson, House of Representatives Committee on Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology

October 2016	Chief Secretary, Diet Members Caucus for Japan-Columbia Friendship
August 2017	Director, First Cabinet Division, Liberal Democratic Party
October 2017	Elected to 48th House of Representatives
November 2017	Member of Japanese National Commission for UNESCO
October 2018	State Minister of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology (Abe's fourth, reshuffled cabinet)
September 2019	Deputy Secretary General, Liberal Democratic Party
October 2021	Chairperson, House of Representatives Special Committee on Consumer Affairs
October 2021	Elected to 49th House of Representatives
November 2021	Deputy Secretary General, Liberal Democratic Party
August 2022	Minister of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology / in charge of the Creation of Future Education