



Hideaki Omiya is Chairman of the Board of Mitsubishi Heavy Industries, Ltd. (MHI), Japan's largest heavy industry group encompassing three business domains for Power Systems, Industry & Infrastructure, and Aircraft, Defense & Space, since 2013.

Joining MHI's Nagoya Aerospace Systems Works in 1969 as an aircraft engineer, his career in fighter aircraft development spanned 30 years; he was appointed Deputy General Manager of the Works in 1999. In 2001, he became Deputy General Manager of the Industrial Machinery Division where he implemented new and best practices to improve the organization of a very different business culture.

He was appointed Member of the Board in 2003, and then promoted to Head of Air-Conditioning & Refrigeration Systems Headquarters, Executive Vice President, and Senior Executive Vice President. As President and CEO of MHI from 2008 to 2013, he successfully steered the company's vastly different business domains. He served as Vice Chair of Keidanren (Japan Business Federation) from 2011 to 2015.

He also serves as Member of the Board of Mitsubishi Corporation, Seiko Epson Corporation and Nomura Research Institute, Ltd., President of The Mitsubishi Foundation, and Chairman of The Japan Machinery Federation.

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