

# press release

### **Change in Management of Standard Chartered Bank Japan**

**Tokyo, 22 December 2014** – Standard Chartered Bank Japan announces the following change in management.

#### **Appointment** (Effective 1 January 2015)

Yasunori Takeuchi	(New)	Chief Executive Officer, Japan Standard Chartered Bank
	(Current)	Managing Director, Head of Corporate & Institutional Clients, Japan Standard Chartered Bank
Yoji Morishita	(New)	Managing Director, Head of Corporate & Institutional Clients, Japan Standard Chartered Bank

#### Retirement (Effective 31 December 2014)

Christopher R. Knight	Chief Executive Officer, Japan Standard Chartered Bank
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## Yasunori Takeuchi Chief Executive Officer, Japan Standard Chartered Bank

(Effective 1 January 2015)

Yasunori Takeuchi is the Chief Executive Officer of Standard Chartered Bank Japan since 1 January 2015.

Yasunori joined Standard Chartered Bank Japan as Managing Director, Head of Corporate & Institutional Clients and Co-Head of Wholesale Banking, in December 2012. His responsibilities lied primarily in managing the relationship management teams covering Global Corporates, International Corporates and Financial Institutions, as well as Credit and Transaction Banking teams.

In this role, he succeeded in leveraging the growing trend of overseas expansion by Japanese companies, by strengthening support for them in the countries where they wanted to develop business. This initiative included setting up of a new Japan Desk in Johannesburg, South Africa, while previously Japan Desks had only been located in key countries in Asia.

Prior to joining Standard Chartered, Yasunori developed his career at Commerzbank, The Royal Bank of Scotland, ABN Amro Bank, West LB Tokyo and Credit Suisse First Boston (CSFB) Hong Kong, holding various roles mainly in the area of wholesale banking.

He started his career and worked for over 12 years for The Long-Term Credit Bank of Japan (LTCB), predecessor of Shinsei Bank, after graduating from university. During this period Yasunori was temporarily seconded to the Ministry of Transport (currently the Ministry of Land, Infrastructure, Transport and Tourism). He spent in total five years in Hong Kong, with LTCB and CSFB.

Yasunori holds Bachelor's degree in Law from the University of Tokyo.