

Tuesday, February 28, 2017
JYPG Presents:
Dinner and Networking with Mr. Tay Yoshitani, former CEO of Port of Seattle

DATE

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TIME

6:30 Registration / Networking

6:45 Dinner Buffet is Served

7:00 Welcome from Mr. Tay Yoshitani

8:30 Networking Concludes

LOCATION

Hurry Curry of Tokyo, Seattle
825 Harrison Street
Seattle, WA 98109

COST

JASSW Members: \$20/person

Non-Member: \$30/person

Entry cost includes dinner

~Cash bar~

PARKING

Street Parking

- 8am-6pm: \$2/hr
- After 6pm: FREE

Garage Parking

- After 5pm: \$2/hr + tax

REGISTRATION

Register online at
www.jassw.org

The registration deadline for this event is Monday, February 27th.

The **Japan Young Professionals Group (JYPG)** is back in business and ready to kick off 2017 with our first event!



Our featured guest **Mr. Tay Yoshitani** will speak about his experience as CEO of Port of Seattle. Tay has over 30 years of experience in the real estate development and port industries. Read more about Tay's background on the opposite side of this flyer!



Mix, mingle, make Japan connections, and do it all while enjoying a buffet of authentic Japanese curry, appetizers, and dessert at Hurry Curry of Tokyo, Seattle!

Tay Yoshitani

Former Chief Executive Officer, Port of Seattle
Former Executive Director, Port of Oakland



Tay Yoshitani was appointed CEO of Port of Seattle in March 2007 and served until September 2014. As CEO, he was responsible for overseeing the operations of Seattle-Tacoma International Airport and Seattle's Sea port, the 6th largest container port in the nation.

Before he moved to the Port of Seattle, Tay had many years of experience serving CEO and Deputy Executive Director positions at the Port of Los Angeles, the Maryland Port Administration, and at the Port of Oakland. During Tay's time at the Port of Oakland, he spearheaded the expansion of the seaport and airport sectors and oversaw the integration of "green building" technology in this expansion to improve sustainability and reduce environmental impact.

The Port of Seattle made major strides in sustainability under Tay's Leadership. The port invested in large-scale environmental remediation projects, implemented initiatives to improve air quality, and established programs that focused on energy-saving and recycling.

Among Tay's strategic decisions at the Port of Seattle, he established a Real Estate division to simplify management of the Port's real estate holdings and to consolidate the Port's capital development projects. Tay successfully managed large infrastructure projects, such as the completion of a \$1.4 billion airport runway and the reopening of Terminal 30 as a container facility. He was also a leader behind the formation of the Puget Sound Seaport Alliance, a merger between the Seattle Seaport and the Port of Tacoma.

Tay received the 2015 Lifetime Achievement Award from the Containerization & Intermodal Institute. He also received the Distinguished Service Award from the American Association of Port Authorities.

Tay is a veteran of the U.S. Army. He retired with the rank of Captain after having served for five years. He earned his Bachelors of Science degree from the United States Military Academy at West Point, and later earned his MBA at Harvard Graduate School of Business Administration.