

**Keiko Nishikawa**

Emeritus Professor, Chiba University

**[Present Position]**

Research Fellow at Toyota Physical and Chemical Research Institute

**[Research Field]**

Physical Chemistry, Structural Chemistry of Disordered Materials, Condensed Matter Physics

**[Date of Birth]**

November 27, 1948

**[Sex]** Female

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**[Academic Background]**

Mar. 1972 Faculty of Science, Department of Chemistry, The University of Tokyo

Mar. 1974 Graduate School of Science, Department of Chemistry, Master Course,  
The University of Tokyo

Mar. 1981 Doctor of Science (The University of Tokyo)

(Thesis Title: The Construction of Energy-Dispersive X-Ray Diffractometer for  
Liquids and Structure of Liquids)

**[Professional Career]**

Aug. 1974–Mar. 1991 Assistant Professor, Faculty of Science, Gakushyuin University

Apr. 1991–Mar. 1996 Associate Professor, Faculty of Education, Yokohama National University

Apr. 1996–Mar. 2014 Professor, Graduate School of National Science, Chiba University

Jun. 2014–Mar. 2018 Research Professor, Chiba University

Jun. 2014 Emeritus Professor, Chiba University

Apr. 2014–Aug. 2018 Inspector General, Japan Society for the Promotion of Science (JSPS)

Apr. 2018–Present Research Fellow, Toyota Physical and Chemical Research Institute

**[Membership]**

Chemical Society of Japan, Physical Society of Japan, Japan Society for Molecular Science,  
The Crystallographic Society of Japan, The Japanese Society for Synchrotron Research, Ionic  
Liquid Research Association

**[Honors and Awards]**

- 1988 CrSJ (The Crystallographic Society of Japan) Award
- 1998 Saruhashi Prize from “the Association for the Bright Future of Woman Scientists”
- 2012 CSJ (Chemistry Society of Japan) Award
- 2012 Commendation for Science and Technology by the Minister of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology
- 2013 Medal with Purple Ribbon from Government of Japan
- 2014 Award of Japan Society for Molecular Science