

Executive Biography

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Dr. Toshikazu Nanbu is the Expert Leader of the Nissan Research Center, Nissan Motor Co., Ltd. He heads up the advanced manufacturing group in advanced materials and processing laboratory, and is responsible for strategy development and conducting project research in the advanced manufacturing field. His work focuses on materials and processing technology to improve vehicle performance drastically.

Toshikazu Nanbu has been working at the Nissan Research Center for over 20 years. His areas of expertise are tribology, structural materials and processing technology. He holds a PhD from Tokyo Institute of Technology.

He has experience in numerous research and development areas such as transmission materials, low-friction materials for engines, material and processing technology for motors, inverters, battery for electric vehicles and lightweight body.