

## FAST FACTS



Fast Figures		
	Japan	Global
Revenues US\$	67.8 million	4.8 billion
Personnel	579	47,000
Offices	8	700
As at 30 September 20	016	

# Japan



Toru Kajikawa Managing partner

"We continue to develop and maintain mutual trust with our clients and the public by providing high quality services while maintaining independence and integrity. We provide services related to our clients' compliance with domestic laws and professional rules which increase in volume and complexity year by year. In the advisory services for privately held business and public business, we provide the optimal service to clients based on extensive experience and technical skills accumulated over several years. We also provide consistent and high quality services through the seamless global collaboration of member firms within Grant Thornton."

### Toru Kajikawa

#### Who we are

Grant Thornton Japan provides clients with high quality services in audit, tax and advisory services. Initially founded in 1971, the firm has grown, and has an extensive client base, including several dynamic Japanese and foreign corporations. Due to legal constraints, these services are provided by separate company groups:

- Audit Grant Thornton Taiyo LLC
- Tax Grant Thornton Taiyo Tax Corporation Advisory - Grant Thornton Taiyo Advisors Co., Ltd. , Grant Thornton Taiyo Inc., Grant Thornton Taiyo Human Capital Corporation. and Grant Thornton Taiyo Accounting Service Inc.

#### Where we are

We have offices in Tokyo, Osaka, Nagoya and Hokuriku. We also operate Japan desks to support Japanese businesses in Australia, China, India, Indonesia, Malaysia, Mexico, Philippines, Singapore, Taiwan, Thailand, UK, US and Vietnam.

#### How we work

We approach all of our assignments by integrating international experience with local business and technical expertise. At Grant Thornton Japan we pride ourselves on having a partner-led service for all our clients.

Grant Thornton Japan has an International Business Centre (IBC) director who provides a gateway to the resources of the Grant Thornton international network. IBCs are led by experts in international business who can access the wealth of experience held by member firm partners around the world. They coordinate this expertise to serve clients across borders.



#### Why Grant Thornton and our clients

We help publicly listed, privately owned and public sector clients by providing meaningful, forward looking advice. Our specialists have experience in the issues affecting mid-sized and large businesses. Combined with the global reach and resources of Grant Thornton, this means that we're uniquely placed to deliver the best advice in a seamless way regardless of sector, service line or location. We provide expertise and insight to deliver a one firm solutions based offer to our clients.

#### **Our awards**

- World Tax 2015, International Tax review: TIER 2 firm
- World Transfer Pricing 2015, International Tax review: TIER 3 firm
- Tax Team of the Year, M&A AWARDS 2015, FINANCE MONTHLY MAGAGINE

#### What we do

We provide a range of services including:

#### Assurance

#### Statutory audit

- audits of financial statements and internal control over financial reporting under the Financial Instruments and Exchange Act<sup>1,2</sup>
- · audits under the Companies Act
- · audits for Shinkin banks under the Shinkin Bank Act
- audits for private schools under the Private School Promotion Subsidy Law
- audits for independent administrative agencies and national universities
- audits for investment limited partnerships under the Limited Partnership Act for Investment
- audits for special purpose companies under the Act on the Liquidation of Assets.

#### Non-statutory audit

- · audits for pre-IPO companies' financial statements
- audits for foundations/associations, social welfare corporations
- audits for SPCs, funds, etc.
- audits for financial statements prepared in accordance with US GAAP and International financial reporting standards (IFRS).<sup>3</sup>

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- corporate and business tax
- direct international tax
- global mobility services
- indirect international tax
- transaction tax services
- private client services
- transfer pricing
- tax policy
- China tax and business advisory services.

#### Advisory

- business risk services
- forensic, investigative and dispute service
- governance, risk and compliance
- internal audit
- transaction advisory (transaction support, valuation, restructuring and turn-around).

#### **Other services**

- advice and implementation support on global ERP system
- bookkeeping and financial accounting
- business process outsourcing
- business process re-engineering
- compensation and benefit
- compilation of financial statements
- employment law
- payroll processing and social security compliance.

#### Our global organisation

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