

JAVADA serves as the Japan representative member of World Skills International (WSI), the organizing committee for this global competition and, in addition to sending Japanese teams to the competition, plays an important role in the competition operations.



While the emerging nations of Asia are rising fast, resulting in ever stiffer competitions, the young expert craftsmen representing Japan, the founder of Monozukuri, always accomplish exceptional results that leave everyone else greatly impressed.



● World Skills Competition
Number of medals taken by Japan in recent competitions

Year	Host country (city)	Gold	Silver	Bronze
2013	Germany (Leipzig)	5	4	3
2011	United Kingdom (London)	11	4	3
2009	Canada (Calgary)	6	3	5
2007	Japan (Shizuoka)	16	5	3
2005	Finland (Helsinki)	5	1	2
2003	Switzerland (St. Gallen)	6	2	4
2001	Korea (Seoul)	4	2	4
1999	Canada (Montreal)	6	3	2
1997	Switzerland (St. Gallen)	2	0	4
1995	France (Lyons)	4	3	1
1993	Chinese Taipei (Taipei)	2	6	5

Skill Grand Prix

Worker skills have produced various tangible ideas and research results, supporting industry and enriching people's lives. At the same time, the question of how to pass on to the next generation the precious skills of seasoned skilled workers that have supported our country is an important challenge for the nation as a whole, going beyond industrial and regional frameworks.

Skills Grand Prix is a competition held every two years and brings together experienced skilled workers from all over Japan possessing Advanced, Grade1 and Non-classified certifications.

This competition of highly skilled workers can serve to persuade young skilled workers and others of the importance of these skills and contributes to the development of the younger generation.



Implementation of Project for Supporting the Vocational Ability Development of Young Skilled Workers

As young people continue to drift away from Monozukuri and skills, preparing an environment in which young people can actively aspire to become skilled workers and training and equipping skilled workers with the advanced skills that will serve as the foundation for industry have become challenges.

For that reason, we are implementing the Project for Supporting the Vocational Ability Development of Young Skilled Workers, and in addition to providing support for training young skilled workers and passing on skills through the Monozukuri Master Craftsman Program, we are helping to foster respect for skills like operating web portals that disseminate information on things like improving the qualifications of skilled workers and the NTSTC system.

Monozukuri Master Craftsman Program

Monozukuri master craftsmen possessing advanced skills utilize challenges from skills competitions, the NTSTC, etc. to provide practical skill instruction to many young skilled workers and engage in effective transfer of skills and successor development.

