

Introduction

“Look Beyond” is the slogan of the AGC Group, and is the title of the AGC Group Vision as well. “Look Beyond” captures and expresses this vision. It inspires the Group’s mission and shared values to which every member of the Group must subscribe. As a global materials and components supplier based on core technologies in glass, fluorine chemistry, and their related fields, AGC continues to: Look Beyond ... Anticipate and envision the future; Look Beyond ... Have perspectives beyond their fields of expertise; and Look Beyond ... Pursue innovations, not becoming complacent with the status quo. By “Looking Beyond,” AGC will continue to create value worldwide, demonstrating the vast potential of the Group’s entire organization.



History

The Asahi Glass Company was founded in 1907 by Toshiya Iwasaki, the second son of the second president of the original Mitsubishi Corporation. Under him, it succeeded in the first Japanese production of sheet glass. His pioneering spirit, summarized in the basic principle “Never take the easy way out, but confront difficulties.” was the driving force behind Asahi Glass’s mastery of a succession of difficult business challenges and the company’s subsequent dynamic growth.

Location

Toyota City, Aichi prefecture, Japan



Topics covered:

- Continuous Improvement activities
- Respect for People
- Lean and the Environment

Who we will meet:

- Executive Officer, Technical Director, Quality Corporate Planning
- Associate General Manager, Specialist Corporate Affairs