

Council for the Promotion of the Modern Industrial Heritage in Kyushu and Yamaguchi
to Inscription on the World Heritage

- President Yuichirou Ito, Governor of Kagoshima Prefecture
- Secretariat Kagoshima Prefectural Government
- Members Relevant local governments (8 prefectures and 12 cities)
8 prefectures: Fukuoka, Saga, Nagasaki, Kumamoto, Kagoshima, Yamaguchi,
Iwate, Shizuoka
12 cities : Kitakyusyu, Oomuta, Nakama, Saga, Nagasaki, Arao, Uki,
Kagoshima, Shimonoseki, Hagi, Kamaishi, Izunokuni.
- Advisory committee: consist of 16 domestic and foreign experts (domestic 7, foreign 9)
Chairperson Sir Neil Cossons
Chairperson Yukio Nishimura, Professor, The University of Tokyo
- Preparing for the nomination of industrial heritage including operational ones, by examining and selecting the properties mainly located in Kyusyu and Yamaguchi .
 - ✂ Operative properties Yawata Steelworks (Kitakyuusuu, Nakama)
Miike Port (Oomuta)
Nagasaki Shipyard (Nagasaki)
Hashino Iron Mining and Smelting Site (Kamaishi)
- aims to make the properties inscribed on the World Heritage List in the FY 2015.
- draft nomination papers for the application are scheduled to be submit to the Japanese government by July 2013, which is the deadline of the submission in 2013.

Expected Schedule regarding the Kyusyu Yamaguchi Industrial Heritage

Assuming that finalisation of the nomination papers and all other future processes, such as the evaluation in the Expert Committee, go smoothly as expected by the council, expected schedules for the inscription are as follows;

(2012)

July : The Expert Committee meeting (Explanation of the outline)

(2013)

Jan-Feb : The Expert Committee meeting (Explanation of the outline)

Spring : Submission of the draft nomination papers (by the council)

Spring-
Fall

: The Expert Committee meeting
(2-3 times for discussions and evaluation, decision to submit draft nomination to the UNESCO)

Fall : Submission of the draft nomination to the UNESCO

(2014)

Jan-Feb : The Expert Committee meeting (Decision to submit complete nomination)

: Cabinet agreement on the nomination

: Submission of the complete nomination to the UNESCO

Summer

- Fall : On-site evaluation by ICOMOS

(2015)

Summer : Decision by the UNESCO World Heritage Committee