



Nakagawa: manufacturing Japanese-quality jewelry and components

For discerning customers of Nakagawa's premium jewelry products, "quality matters", says president Takeyuki Nakagawa.

For centuries Japanese craftsmanship, or monozukuri, has centered around the pursuit of perfection. And that is certainly the case for leading jewelry manufacturer, Nakagawa Corporation, whose monozukuri focuses on the development of high-quality jewelry, accessories and components for discerning customers in Japan and around the globe.

With over 70 years' experience, Nakagawa is a world leader and highly reputed globally for its premium product quality and services. The company's portfolio includes finished products such as chains, necklaces, rings and bracelets, as well as parts and components which it develops for clients in the jewelry industry as an original equipment manufacturer (OEM), including several high-profile designers and fashion brands in the US and Europe.

"Quality matters and with our products, companies in America



or Italy, for example, can see the difference," says president and CEO, Takeyuki Nakagawa. "We are facing tough competition on the global scale with our products, but our strength is that we produce original products that are hard to replicate or no other company can create."

In recognition of its commitment to responsible manufacturing, Nakagawa recently received COC (Chain of Custody) and COP (Code of Practice) certification from the Responsible Jewelry Council, the standard for the jewelry supply chain that addresses a wide range of issues, including business ethics, human rights, and social and environmental performance. It was yet



another landmark in the rich history of Nakagawa, which aims to pursue international growth by capitalizing on the growing Asian market and the booming demand for jewelry manufactured from precious metals, as Mr. Nakagawa explains.

"Under the three mottos of "Creation", "Harmony" and "Sincerity" that we have adhered to since our founding, we will continue our diligent efforts to achieve continuous growth and to make contributions to society at large."

