

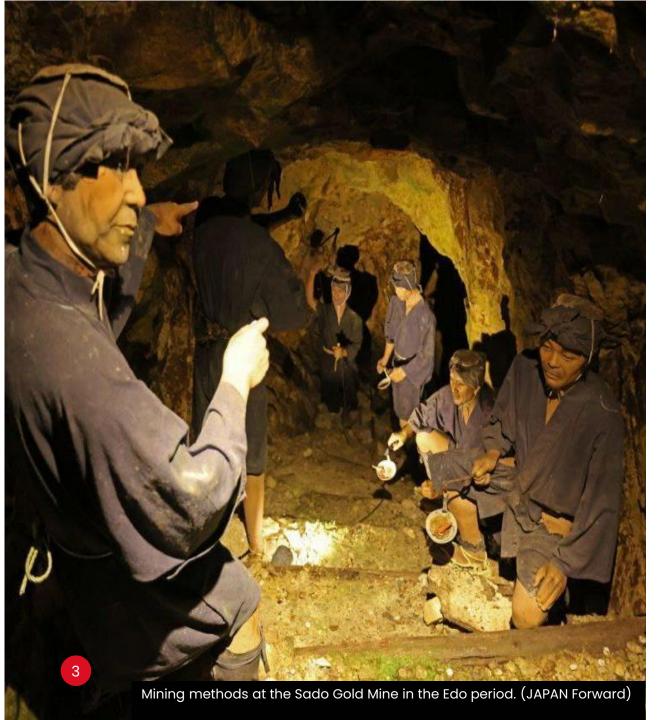
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The technical information in this presentation has been reviewed by Japan Gold's Vice President of Exploration, Andrew Rowe, BAppSc, FAusIMM, FSEG, who has sufficient experience relevant to the style of mineralization under consideration and qualifies as a Qualified Person as defined by National Instrument 43–101.

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# UNDER EXPLORED JAPAN



- 500 years of gold mining across the three main islands of Japan
- Rich in epithermal deposits
- Pre-WWII: the five largest mines produced over 1M ounces of gold with the largest producing over 2.5M ounces
- WWII: Government imposed closures of gold mines; redeployment of labour force
- Post WWII: Limited production
- 1981: Discovery of Hishikari Mine
  - 13M-ounce gold deposit
  - Highest-grade Tier 1 gold mine in the world
  - Production since 1985: 8.6M ounces
  - Only operating gold mine in Japan today

# **OVERVIEW**



2012 Mining Act Changes

Allowing foreign companies to enter Japan and restart the gold mining industry Priority targets in areas near historic and current gold mines

Barrick Gold Alliance

**Drill programs** underway

Japan Gold was the first foreign company to secure **prospective** tenements

Proven management with record of discoveries

Project Generator
New **exploration search space** 



# **JAPAN GOLD**







### **Target**

High Grade Epithermal **Underground Gold Mines** 

- High-grade, low-cost mines create significant cash flow
- Target Size: 1Moz Au @ 10g/t Au with potential upside



## **Approach**

**Deeper Exploration** 

- Searching for new mineralized structures within the shadow of the headframe
- Drill testing below existing high-level alteration and positive geochemistry



#### **Redefined Portfolio**

Focused Pipeline

- Resources concentrated on smaller high potential project pipeline
- High priority areas adjacent to known historic or existing gold
  - mines: Hishikari Mine
    - Konomai Mine
    - Taio Mine

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**JG Funded Exploration + Partner Funded Exploration** 



## **Japan Gold Funded Exploration**

- Project Generator
- Large land package within the key gold districts
- Portfolio of high-quality projects
- Accelerating projects to drill stage targets
- Seeking partners to advance drill prospects



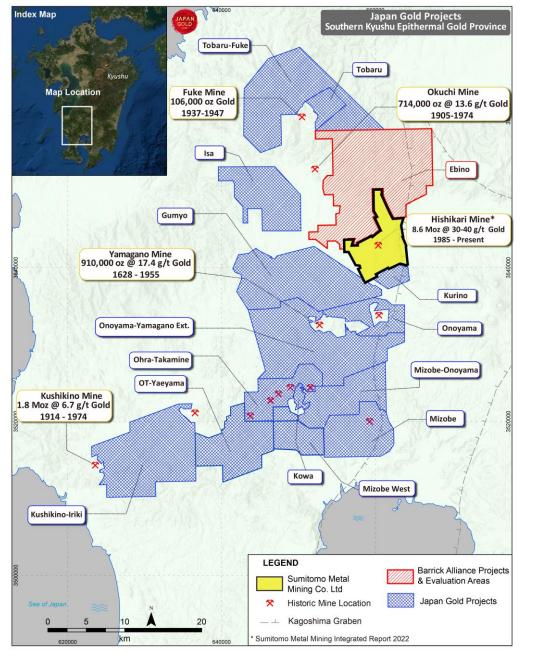
## **Partner Funded Exploration**

- Barrick Alliance established in 2020
- Advancing 3 Priority Projects

Potential for future partnerships and joint ventures to provide shareholder value and de-risk projects

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## PROJECTS IN HISTORIC GOLD Hokkaido GOLD MINING DISTRICTS Sado Mine Konomai Mine 2.5Moz Au 2.35Moz Au **TOGI** 1601-1989 1915-1973 **BAJO HAKURYU** Taio Mine 1.2Moz Au 1903-1973 Hishikari Mine 8.6Moz Au 1985-present Honshu Kushikino Mine 1.8 Moz 1914-1974 ACTIVE EXPLORATION **EBINO** Kyushu DRILLING UNDERWAY **MIZOBE** TSXV | JG OTCQB | JGLDF



# SOUTHERN KYUSHU TENEMENT OVERVIEW



**BARRICK** 

O Location

Southern Kyushu



## **Nearby Historic Mines**

- Hishikari
- Kushikino
- Fuke
- Ohra
- Urushi
- Takamine
- Yamagano

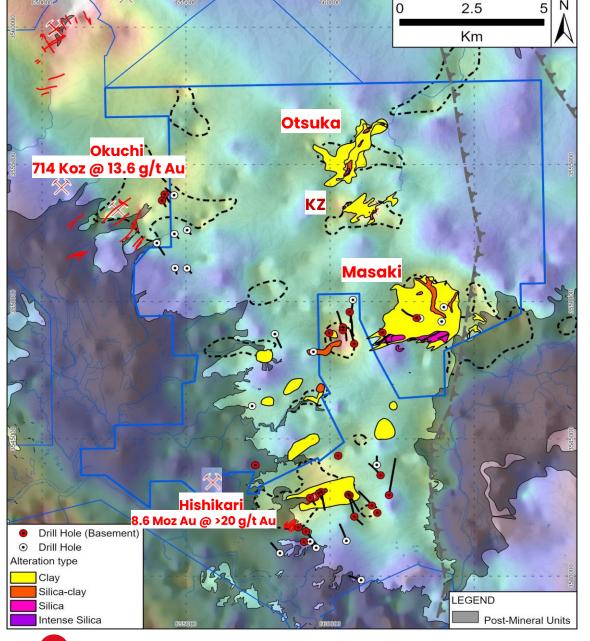


**Barrick Alliance Priority Project**Ebino



Japan Gold Priority Drill Programs Identified Targets:

Mizobe



# BARRICK ALLIANCE SOUTHERN KYUSHU:



# **EBINO**

Located immediately to the north of the **Hishikari Gold Mine** 



## **3 Priority Targets:**

High-level epithermal alteration zones, potential for high-grade veins

- Otsuka
- KZ
- Masaki

## **Next phase of exploration:**

Drill planning underway

# SHARE STRUCTURE

278,854,219

Shares Issued & Outstanding

14,210,000

Options (average weighted price C\$0.29)

13,661,682

**Restricted Share Units** 

306,725,901

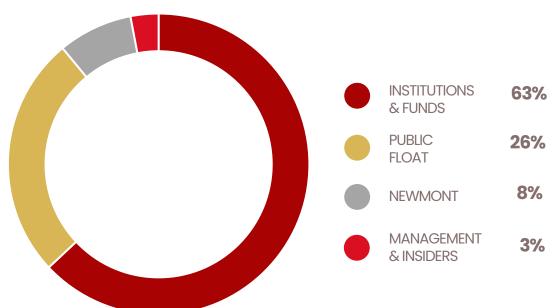
Fully Diluted Shares Outstanding

C\$23 M

Fully Diluted Market Capitalization (@\$0.075)

### **OWNERSHIP**





Capital Raising Activities 2024

\$2,755,000 (U\$\$2,000,000)

@\$0.13/Share

Barrick
Non-dilutive Funding

\$18.9M (US\$\$14.3M)

2020-2024

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# CORPORATE MANAGEMENT TEAM





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John Proust C.Dir.

#### **Expertise**

Corporate executive with 30+ years in the Canadian capital markets, as a founder, executive, financier, board member and principal shareholder of numerous public and private resource companies.



**CFO** 

Vince Boon CPA,CA

#### **Expertise**

10+ years of professional accounting experience with private and public companies. CFO of Southern Arc Minerals, Lincoln Ventures, Rise Gold Corp.



**GM, Business Administration** 

Yoshio Nojima LL.B, MBA

#### **Expertise**

40 years at Sumitomo Corporation specializing in mineral resources and investment, managing mining and subsidiary companies in South America and as GM responsible for investing in private equity globally.



VP, Corporate Communications

Alexia Helgason

#### **Expertise**

28 + years in the capital markets working for TSXV, CSE and OTC traded companies. 12 years at TSXV, managing the relationships with over 800 mining issuers and marketing the Exchange. Served as an IR officer for public companies for 16 years.

# DISCOVERY TEAM



President & Discovery Lead

Fraser MacCorquodale BAppSc (Hon)



Chief Operating Officer

Takashi Kuriyama B.Eng.

#### **Expertise**

40+ years at Sumitomo Metal Mining Co. as EVP of Metal Mining America; Managing Director of Metal Mining Oceania; General Manager of Global Exploration and Geology Manager of Sumitomo's Hishikari world class gold mine in Kyushu, Southern Japan.



Exploration Manager, Barrick Alliance

Andrew Rowe BAppSc, FAusIMM, FSEG

#### **Expertise**

30+ years of exploration. Held positions with Renison Goldfields, Normandy Anglo Asia, Phelps Dodge, Aurora Gold, Ivanhoe Mines, Pan Australian Resources Ltd (Laos).



**Chief Engineer** 

Dr. Kotaro Ohga, PhD

#### **Expertise**

Holds a PhD in Mining Engineering with extensive permitting and drill program experience in Japan.
Associate Professor at Hokkaido University in the Graduate School of Engineering.

## global exploration. Discoveries

**Expertise** 

Golpu Deeps, (Papua New Guinea)

35+ years global gold and copper

exploration. Led Newcrest Mining's

exploration experience; expertise in

near-mine, brownfield, and greenfield

- East Ridge (Canada)
- Havieron (Austraļia)
- Toguraci Deeps (Indonesia)
- Seguela (West Africa)

# BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND TECHNICAL ADVISORS





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Chairman of RTG Mining Inc. since 2013

and responsible for the development

of seven major gold mines in five

Accountant with over 30 years of

experience in the resources sector.

countries. Mr. Carrick is a Chartered



**Lead Director Murray Flanigan** CPA, CA, CFA

#### Expertise

Chartered Accountant and Chartered Financial Analyst with over 25 years of management and business development experience across multiple industries for Canadian & US companies including CFO of Kepis & Pobe Financial Group Inc. and VP of Corporate Development for Adelphia Communications.



**ADVISORS** 

Mitsuhiko Yamada **Paul Harbidge** Dr. Steve Garwin **John Carlile Robert Gallagher** 



Independent Director **Ian Burney** BA,MA

#### **Expertise**

Accomplished public service executive and diplomat with 30+ years of experience in international affairs, and global economic issues. Mr. Burney was the Ambassador of Canada to Japan from 2016 to 2021.



**Expertise** 

Independent Director

**Michael Carrick** BCom, BAcc, CA, ACA

#### **Expertise**

Distinguished University Professor Emeritus of the University of Ottawa. Professor of geochemistry and economic geology for 40 years. Completed her BSc degree in Geology, Master of Science in epithermal gold deposits in Japan and PhD in mineral deposits in Japan.



Independent Director Dr. Keiko Hattori



Independent Director **Tanneke Heersche** LLB,BSc, BA

#### **Expertise**

Expert and strategic advisor in the natural resources industry with 25+ years of international industry experience. From 2010 to 2023, Ms. Heersche was a senior partner at Fasken Martineau DuMoulin LLP, and previously a partner at White & Case

# WHY INVEST IN JAPAN GOLD



First World Country | First Class Assets | Management Expertise and Strategic Alliances

Low geopolitical risk with stable mining regulatory regime



Focused approach

a pathway to discoveries



**Strategic Alliance** 

with Barrick Gold Corporation





**High priority targets** in areas
near historic gold
mines

Japan's known mineralization is **underexplored** since WWII



Management team with **a proven track** record of discoveries



**Drill Programs**Multiple high priority targets provide opportunity for

discovery



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