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CURRICULUM VITAE

Name: Yoshinaka, Kazutaro

Date of Birth: 27 March 1894

Permanent Domicile: 135 Miyakomachi, Matsuyama City, Ehima Prefecture

Present Address: Kitazawa, Setagaya-ku, Tokyo Metropolis

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30 Aug 1924: Promoted to Captain of Artillery.

1 May 1925: Assigned to Heavy Artillery Regiment at Fukayama; graduated from Military Staff College on 27 November.

11 Mar 1926: Relieved from Principal Office and appointed Battery Commander of Heavy Artillery at Fukayama; assigned to Military Affairs Bureau, War Ministry on 10 December.

10 Feb 1928: Assigned to Heavy Artillery Regiment at Fukayama; Appointed staff of a Section, Military Affairs Bureau, War Ministry.

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5 May 1929:	Left for France. Officer in Imperial Headquarters.
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30 Aug 1933:	Concurrently appointed Instructor of Strategy at Military Staff College.
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5 Mar 1934:	Relieved from Principal and Concurrent office; assigned to Turkey. to General Staff Office.
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17 Mar 1934:	Left for Turkey as Attaché of Legation in Greece.
1 Aug 1935:	Promoted to Lieutenant Colonel of Artillery.
2 Jul 1936:	Relieved from Principal Office; appointed Staff in Military General Staff Office. of Imperial Headquarters.
15 Sep 1936:	Concurrently assigned to Military Affairs Bureau, War Ministry. to stationed in Yugoslavia.
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6 Feb 1940:	Assigned to General Staff Office.
29 Mar 1940:	Appointed Military Attache of Legation in Greece, to be stationed in Hungary.
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- (a) The nationality of the witness is Japanese.
- (b) The witness was Section Chief of GHQ Intelligence in 1936-1937 and had direct supervision over the White Russian Counter-Intelligence System in Germany and will testify as to the manner in which the campaign was carried on.

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