

8. Legal History, Sociology of Law and Legal Philosophy

a. Legal History

The Japan Legal History Association held its 44th General Meeting at Keio Gijuku University on April 3 and 4, 1992. The Association also held its 40th Study Meeting at Ehime University on October 2 and 3, 1992. The programs of these meetings were as follows.

[The 44th General Meeting]

The First Day:

(1) Natural Law in "The Mother's Rights" by Bachofen, by Tatsuya Yoshiwara (Professor, Hiroshima University).

(2) "Estate" in the Written Law of Ruebek, the Medieval City, by Itaru Inamoto (Associate Professor, Kinki University).

(3) Civil Procedure of *Kebiisi-cho* from Late Kamakura through the Two Factions of the Northern and Southern Courts Era, by Michiko Yoshida (Lecturer, Hokuriku University).

(4) Lord Laws and Village Laws, by Naomi Kanzaki (Chuo University).

(5) Rights of Lords in the Formation of the Common Law, by Katsujiro Matsumura (Professor, Kaigi University).

The Second Day:

(1) A Study of Punishment of Killing with a Heavy Stick from *Tang* through *Wu-Tai* Period, by Yasushi Kawamura (Assistant, Tokyo University).

(2) Reconstruction of "Ohtsu-jiken", by Tsutomu Arai (Associate Professor, Nihon University).

(3) Local Autonomy by Yukichi Fukuzawa, by Hisao Ishikawa (Professor, Chukyo University).

[The 40th Study Meeting]

The First Day:

(1) The *Komatsu* Clan from Legal and Social History, by Nariaki Hayashi (Professor, Kansei Gakuin University).

(2) The Individuality of the Classical Examination in the Ming Era, by Masahiro Ueda (Professor, Kyusyu International University).

(3) The Nation and Gemeinde, by Kenji Matsunari (Associate Professor, Osaka University).

(4) Witch Trials and Women in Europe, by Kazuo Muta (Associate Professor, Kyusyu International University).

(5) The History and Meaning of “Matsugaoka-Reclamation Program”, by Mitsue Kobayashi (Professor, Tokyo University of Economics).

The Second Day:

(1) The Birth of the Private University in Modern Japan, by Ryoji Igeta (Professor, Doshisha University).

(2) Formation of the Modern University in France, by Kazuaki Watanabe (Associate Professor, Kagawa University).

(3) History of the Modern University in Germany, by Yuu Yamamoto (Professor, Kyoto Municipal University of Medicine).

(4) A Problem of Atonement Money in Frank Law, by Morihiro Tanaka (Lecturer, Kanagawa Institute of Science and Technology).

(5) Local Society and Castle in Medieval Iyo, by Tsutomu Kawaoka (Associate Professor, Ehime University).

b. Sociology of Law

The Japanese Association of Sociology of Law held its 1992 General Meeting on May 9 and 10, 1992 at Osaka University.

[The First Day]

(1) The Constitution of Legal Standards and Justiciability of Decision, by Iwao Sato (Associate Professor, Osaka Municipal University).

(2) Research of Administrative Grievance Procedure, by Akira Moriya (Professor, Okinawa University).

(3) The Out of Court Procedure of the “Battle of a Husband