
ACTIVITIES OF ACADEMIC SOCIETIES

Jan. — Dec., 1994

1. Constitutional and Administrative Law

1. *The Japan Association of Public Law* held its 59th General Meeting at Waseda University on October 8 and 9. During the two-day meeting, the following presentations were made:

Joint Theme: Gewaltenteilung und Rechtsstaatsprinzip.

[The First Day]

(1) Rise and Development of “Separation of Powers” from Conceptual and Theoretical Perspectives, by Katsutoshi Takami (Professor, Hokkaido University).

(2) Parliamentary Cabinet System and Bureaucracy, by Masaru Nishio (Professor, Tokyo University).

(3) Der Begriff und die Entwicklungstendenz des Rechtsstaates, by Bin Takada (Professor, Osaka International University).

(4) Style administratif des collectivités décentralisées et principe de légalité en droit administratif contemporain, by Tsutomu Isobe (Professor, Tokyo Metropolitan University).

[The Second Day]

A. Constitutional Law Session:

(1) Gewaltenteilungssystem als Kontrollsystem der Staatsgewalten und mehrere politischen Parteien, by Eiji Yoshida (Associate Professor, Kansai University).

(2) La bureaucratie: ses représentations dans le système de la domination sociale au Japon, by Kiyoshi Hamakawa (Professor, Hosei University).

(3) Judicial Power and Popular Participation, by Teruki Tsunemoto (Professor, Hokkaido University).

(4) Economic Power and Public Regulation, by Makoto Kojo (Professor, Sophia University).

B. Administrative Law Session:

(1) Gesetzesbegriff in der japanischen Verfassungsrechtslehre, by Takeshi Horiuchi (Professor, Hirosaki University).

(2) Die kritische Theorie der Rechtsetzungsbefugnis der kommunalen Körperschaft, by Makoto Saito (Associate Professor, Tsukuba University).

(3) Der informelle Rechtsstaat: Eine rechtsvergleichende Studie über die gegenwärtigen Versuche einer Reform des Rechtsstaates in Japan und Deutschland, by Yoichi Ohashi (Associate Professor, Kyushu University).

(4) Das "Innere" der Verwaltung und das Recht, by Akio Takahashi (Associate Professor, Osaka University).

2. *The Japan Association for the Studies of Constitutional Law* held its Spring Meeting with the theme of "The Change of Government and Constitutional Law Theories" at Ritsumeikan University on May 13, 1994 and its Autumn Meeting with the theme of "What is the Protection of the Constitution?" at Seijo University on October 7, 1994. The following presentations were made:

[The Spring Meeting]

(1) A Change of Government and Constitutional Revisionism, by Noriho Urabe (Professor, Kobe University).

(2) Staatliche Parteienfinanzierung und Verfassung, by Hideki Nagata (Professor, Oita University).

(3) A Realignment of Party System and Representation without Civil Liberties, by Takashi Miwa (Professor, Saitama University).

[The Autumn Meeting]

(1) Modern Values and the Protection of the Japanese Constitution, by Masayuki Uchino (Professor, Tsukuba University).

(2) Proto and Current Theories of Constitutionalism in Japan, by Hideki Mori (Professor, Nagoya University).

(3) The Constitution of Japan under 1955 System, by Satoshi Kinoshita (Associate Professor, Kobe Gakuin University).

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2. Law of Property and Obligations

1. *The Japan Association of Private Law* held its 58th General Meeting at St. Paul's University on October 9 and 10, 1994.

Symposium: Professional Liability, chaired by Takeshi Kawai (Professor, Teikyo University) and Umeji Nishijima (Professor, Hosei University).

(1) Problems, by Takeshi Kawai (Professor, Teikyo University).

(2) Comparative Law

America, by Masao Yanaga (Associate Professor, Tsukuba University).

Germany and France, by Michitaro Urakawa (Professor, Waseda University).

(3) The Current Situation in Japan, by Kaoru Kamata (Professor, Waseda University).