

7. Legal History, Sociology of Law and Legal Philosophy

a. Legal History

The Japan Legal History Association held its 47th General Meeting at Tohoku University on May 13 and 14, 1995. The Association also held its 43rd Study Meeting at Ritsumeikan University on October 7 and 8, 1995. The programs of these meetings were as follows:

[The 47th General Meeting]

(1) An Analysis of American-type Lawyers, by Takashi Ouchi (Assistant, Tohoku University).

(2) Contrarius Consensus, by Mariko Isogimi (Kyushu University).

(3) The Resolution of Disputes in Rural Areas in the Early Meiji Era, by Gakusho Nakajima (Waseda University).

(4) The Characteristics of Legal Thought in Medieval Japan, by Ichiro Nitta (Associate Professor, Tokyo University).

(5) An Analysis of the Policy on Crime in the Early Edo Era, by Hiromitsu Morita (Kyoto University).

(6) The Temple Law in the Early Modern Period, by Nobuyasu Kojima (Lecturer, Soka University).

(7) The Varieties of *Kuji*, or Lawsuits, in the Edo Era, by Fumio Jinbo (Professor, Nagoya University).

(8) Legislation in the Late *Stanfen* Regime, by Yoichi Nishikawa (Professor, Tokyo University).

(9) The Transformation of Ownership by Handover, by Ryuichi Tsuno (Professor, Chuo University).

[The 43rd Study Meeting]

(1) The Significance of Commercial Law Reform in the 44th year of the Meiji Era (1911), by Fumihito Takakura (Osaka University).

(2) An Outline of Studies of Legal History in China and Taiwan, by Makoto Okano (Professor, Meiji University).

(3) The Process of Creating German Civil Law, by Kimio Hirata (Okayama University).

(4) The Influence of Japanese Private Law on Asia, by Naoyuki Igarashi (Associate Professor, Kyushu University).

(5) The Development of the Concept of Possession, by Hitoshi Uetani (Professor, Hiroshima Shudo University).

b. Sociology of Law

The Japanese Association of Sociology of Law held its 1995 General Meeting on May 27 and 28 at Nihon University.

(1) Verification of the Fiscal Parliamentary Rule in Japan, by Katsuhiko Tani (Anan Professional School of Technology).

(2) Some Results and Issues concerning the Execution of CT Law in Japan, by Yoshiaki Nakamura (Professor, Nihon University).

(3) "Substantive Orientation" and "Process Orientation" in Legal Movements, by Hideki Kashizawa (Associate Professor, Kagoshima University).

(4) The Protection and Dissolution of Common (*Iriaiken*) by State Power, by Hidetoshi Nakao (Seinan Gakuin University).

(5) Landwirtschaftliches Bondenrecht und Rechtssoziologie, by Juichi Takahashi (Ibaraki University).

(6) Urban Land Property and Sociology of Law, by Sumitaka Harada (Professor, Tokyo University).

(7) What is "The Inner Order of Social Association"? by Toru Otsu (Kokushikan University).

(8) Multiple Sources of the Legal System and Its Change, by Atsuhito Eguchi (Associate Professor, Kyushu University).

(9) Functions and Characteristics of Environmental Dispute Mediation in Japan, by Hiroshi Takahashi (Graduate Student, Tokyo University).

(10) A Structural Analysis of Morality and Legal Enforcement, by Manako Kinoshita (Lecturer, Kagawa University).

(11) On Japanese "Sei-i" as a Sense of Social Norm, by Isamu Yoshida (Professor, Kumamoto University).