

Tomotaka Fujita (Professor, The University of Tokyo).

Workshop:

“Corporate Governance and the Role of Corporate Law”

Hiroshi Noda (Professor, Hitotsubashi University).

Individual Reports:

- (1) “Die Sacheinlage von Nutzungsrechten im deutschen Aktiengesetz”
Hironobu Kubo (Lecturer, Fukuoka University).
- (2) “Structuring the Corporate Law Creditor Protection for Restructuring Enterprises”
Tomoyo Matsui (Associate Professor, Tohoku University).
- (3) “Outside Director’s Duty to Monitor and Liability to Corporation in United States”
Yukimi Kawaguchi (Associate Professor, Komazawa University).
- (4) “Regulation of Securities Offerings”
Yasunobu Wakabayashi (Lecturer, Kokugakuin University).
- (5) “The Regulation of Control Acquisitions and the Anti-Takeover Defense”
Takashi Ieda (Lecturer, Nagoya University of Commerce & Business).

7. Labor Law

The Japan Labor Law Association held its 108th General Meeting at Nihon University on October 24, 2004.

Reports: Labor Law in the Information Society

Coordinators: Makoto Ishida (Professor, Waseda University) and Katsutoshi Kezuka (Professor, Chuo University).

- (1) “Introduction”
Yoichi Shimada (Professor, Waseda University).
- (2) “Protection of Business Proprietary Information and Contracts of

Employment”

Hiroshi Ishibashi (Professor, Kumamoto University).

- (3) “The Employees’ Access to Related Information about Working Conditions held by the Employer”

Kiyoshi Takechi (Professor, Toyama University).

- (4) “Protection of Workers’ Personal Data and Privacy in the Information Society”

Ikuko Sunaoshi (Assistant Professor, Rikkyo University).

- (5) “Legal Construction for the Protection of Employees’ ‘Whistleblowing’: In Connection with the Recent Enactment of the Public Interests Disclosure Protection Law”

Fumito Komiya (Professor, Hokkai-Gakuen University).

8. Legal History

The Legal History Association held its 56th General Meeting at Hitotsubashi University on April 24 and 25, 2004 and its 52nd Study Meeting at Kyoto University on November 27 and 28, 2004.⁽¹⁾

1. The 56th General Meeting

Individual Presentations

- (1) “The Abolition of the Portuguese Consular Court in Japan—Before the Treaty Revision of 1894”

Emiko Nakaami (Student, Waseda University).

- (2) “The Agreement of Sales Contracts and Ownership Transfer in the French Civil Code from the Perspective of Legal History”

Guido Tsuno (Professor, Chuo University).

- (3) “The System of Parliament and Elections in Modern Germany—The Electoral Way in Prussia”

Kaori Matoba (Assistant, Osaka University).

⁽¹⁾ See “Japan Legal History Association” (<http://www.soc.nii.ac.jp/jalha/index.htm>) for further information. The Homepage is written mainly in Japanese, but partly in English.