- Sonoko Shiba (Lecturer, Saitama University).
- (7) "Function and Liability of the Underwriter in the Securities Market" Kouji Noda (Associate Professor, Jochi University).
- (8) "Consideration concerning the Legal Location of Accounting Standards"
 - Takumi Adachi (Associate Professor, Chuogakuin University).

7. Labor Law

The *Japan Labor Law Association* held its 108th General Meeting at Okayama University on October 16, 2005.

"Basic Theory and Policy Problem of the Law of Employment Contract"

Coordinators: Hiroshi Karatsu (Professor, Nanzan University) and Akira Hamamura (Professor, Hosei University).

- (1) "The Scope of Application and the Basic Structure of Law of Employment Contract"
 - Koichi Kamata (Professor, Toyo Univercity).
- (2) "The Control over Social and Economic Powers of the Enterprise by the Law of Employment Contract"
 - $Masanobu\ Mitsui\ (Professor,\ Hiroshima\ University).$
- (3) "The New Plan for Fixed-term Labor Contracts" Tomoko Kawada (Professor, Asia University).
- (4) "Legal Principle on Specification and Change of the Contents of a Labor Contract"
 - Shinobu Nogawa (Professor, Tokyo-Gakugei University).

8. Legal History

The Japan Legal History Association (LHA) held its 57th General Meeting at Toin University of Yokohama, on April 23 and 24, 2005 and