

- (12) “A Phase from Roman Law to French Law by Kenjiro Ume: A Comparative Study of Amicable Settlements”
Akihiko Tsujimura (Graduate Student, Tokyo University).

9. Sociology of Law

The *Japanese Association for the Sociology of Law* held the 2005 General Meeting at Senshu University on May 13, 14, and 15.

Symposium: The Whereabouts of Legal Subjects

1. General Session: The Whereabouts of Legal Subjects

- (1) “The Whereabouts of Legal Subjects”
Kenji Yamamoto (Professor, Kobe University).
- (2) “On the Need for Recognition in Liberal Society”
Tomohiko Tanaka (Associate Professor, Tokyo Medical and Dental University).
- (3) “The Transformation of Modern Subject and Self-narrative Theory”
Tomohiko Asano (Associate Professor, Tokyo Gakugei University).
- (4) “On *Subjektivität des Subjekt* from the Viewpoint of Jurisprudence”
Tsutomu Hibino (Professor, University of Tokyo).

2. 1st Sub-Session: The Politics of Recognition and Legal Subject

- (1) “‘The Politics of Recognition’ at Stake”
Yayo Okano (Professor, Ritsumeikan University).
- (2) “The Importance of the ‘Right to the City’ in the Era of Globalization”
Takashi Sakai (Lecturer, Osaka Prefecture University).
- (3) “Subject, Justice, and Law”
Ko Hasegawa (Professor, Hokkaido University).

3. 2nd Sub-Session: Subject, Care, and Narratives

- (1) “Ethic of Care, Needs, and Law”
Tetsuhiko Shinagawa (Professor, Kansai University).

- (2) “Health Care and Norm”
Michio Miyasaka (Associate Professor, Nigata University).
- (3) “People ‘become’ Disputants and Mediators through Voices”
Hidekazu Nishida (Professor, Konan University).

4. 3rd Sub-Session: Institutions and Legal Subjects

- (1) “Homeless Means What?”
Hiromichi Endo (Lawyer).
- (2) “La Subjectivite des Personnes et la Droit”
Akio Yamanome (Professor, Waseda University).
- (3) “Actors and Law in the Urban Public Sphere”
Ichiro Ozaki (Associate Professor, Hokkaido University).
- (4) “Reconsiderations of Legal Agents”
Kunihiko Yoshida (Professor, Hokkaido University).

Individual Reports (Special Articles):

1. Policy Making an Expanded Role for Litigation

- (1) “Introduction”
Ikuo Sugawara (Professor, Nagoya University).
- (2) “Transformation of Legal Circumstances and Function of Litigation”
Yoshitaka Wada (Professor, Waseda University).
- (3) “Judicial Decision and Policy Making”
Seigo Hirowatari (Professor, University of Tokyo).
- (4) “Human Resource for an Expanding Function of Civil Litigation”
Kyoko Harada (Professor, Nagoya University).
- (5) “The Present Situation for Policy-Oriented Contemporary Litigation and the Need for Further Reforms of Justice System in Japan”
Setsuo Miyazawa (Vice President, Omiya Law School).
- (6) “The Effects of Legal Mobilization toward the Policy Making Process”
Hiroshi Otsuka (Lecturer, Nara Women’s University).
- (7) “Toward Empirical Studies of Decision-making Process on Procedural Issues”
Tomohiko Maeda (Lecturer, Sapporo University).
- (8) “How the Law of ‘Empowerment/Autonomy’ is Realised in the Legal Process”

Fumie Suga (Lecturer, Musashino University).

- (9) “The Litigation and Formation of the Right to Scenery”
Kiyoshi Hasegawa (Associate Professor, Tokyo Metropolitan University).
- (10) “Identity Formation and Litigation Process in the Self Defense Forces Enshrinement Case”
Hiroki Matsuzawa (Researcher, Japan Society For the Promotion of Science, and Graduate Student, Tohoku University).

2. Viewpoints on Judicial Reform

- (1) “The Shortage of Legal Services in Rural Areas”
Shiro Kashimura (Professor, Kobe University).
- (2) “Can Justice be Taught?”
Sylvia Brown (Professor, Kwansei Gakuin University).

3. Sociology of Law in the World

- (1) “Law and Psychiatry: The Conjuncture of Two Disciplines”
Leonard Kaplan (Mortimer Jackson Professor of Law, University of Wisconsin Law School).
- (2) “RCSL 2005 Annual Meeting in Paris”
Takayuki Ii (Research Associate, Waseda University), Gakuto Takamura (Associate Professor, Tokyo Metropolitan University), Chan Kay-Wah (Postgraduate Director (Asian Languages), Macquarie University).
- (3) “A Short Report on Attending the 15th European Conference on Psychology and Law, and the 7th Biennial Meeting of International Association of Forensic Linguistics”
Masahiro Fujita (Associate Professor, National Graduate Institute for Policy Studies).

Articles:

- (1) “Two Deviationist Movements”
Satoshi Agatsuma (Graduate Student, Kyoto University).
- (2) “Discourse as a Strategy”
Machiko Furuyama (Graduate Student, Kyoto University).

- (3) “Formal and Substantial Arguments in the Courtroom”
Shin’ichiro Ishida (Visiting Researcher, National Museum of Ethnology, and Researcher, Japan Society For the Promotion of Science).
- (4) “The Uses of Reproductive Technologies and Married Couples”
Kuniko Kimura (Lecturer, Tokyo Kasei-Gakuin University).

10. Legal Philosophy

The *Japan Association for Legal Philosophy* held its 2005 General Meeting at Nanzan University on November 12 and 13, 2005.

Main Theme: The Rule of Law in Modern Japanese Society: Its Ideal, Reality, and Prospect

Workshop:

- (1) “A Tentative Plan on the Institutions that are Logically Consistent with Libertarianism: A Theory against the Inheritance System, and the Three Institutions That are Required under It”
Takayuki Yashima (Doctoral Candidate, Tohoku University).
- (2) “An Evolutionary Biological View of Humans, and Human Rights Theory: On Human Rights and National Relations”
Atsushi Naito (Hitotsubashi University).
- (3) “The Dilemma Held by the Theories of Equality Concerning ‘Sexuality’”
Rokuro Ayabe (Doctoral Candidate, Hokkaido University).
- (4) “The Theories of Liberal Nationalism, and the Way to Discuss Justice”
Teruhisa Se (Associate Professor, Kyushu University).
- (5) “Patriotism and Cosmopolitanism: The Theories of Publicity Beginning with Kant’s Theory”
Jun Kihara (Lecturer, Fukushima National College of Technology).
- (6) “Struggle and Justice: Right and Justice in Jellinek’s Public Rights Theory”