

Symposium:

“The Significance of and Problems with the New Japanese Corporation Act”

Shinsaku Iwahara (Professor, Tokyo University)

Workshop:

“Internal Control”

Taro Sakai (Associate Professor, Hitotsubashi University)

Reports:

- (1) “Transitions of Two Series of Conventions about Ship Finance”
Kazuhiko Shizuta (Professor, Toyama University)
- (2) “Large Publicly Held Corporations Theory under Japanese Commercial Law before the Reforms of 1945”
Yoshiaki Nishikawa (Associate Professor, Tokushima University)
- (3) “Fair Issuing Value for Issuance of Shares through a Public Offering”
Takahiro Sugita (Lecturer, Shobi University)
- (4) “Allocation of Voting Rights among Shareholders”
Takahito Kato (Associate Professor, Kobe University)
- (4) “The Regulation of Insider Trading”
Shinji Ueda (Associate Professor, Kansai University)
- (5) “The Regulation of Credit Rating Agencies”
Mayumi Takahashi (Associate Professor, Nanzan University)
- (6) “The Process of Legislating Securitization Laws in Japan”
Masahiko Takahashi (Professor, Yokohama National University)

7. Labor Law

The Japan Labor Law Association held its 112th General Meeting at Nanzan University on October 15, 2006.

Reports: Workers’ Health : The Issues of Compensation and Damages
Coordinators: Kenichiro Nishimura (Professor, Kyoto University) and Hiroya Nakakubo (Professor, Kyushu University (Now, Hitotsubashi

University)).

- (1) “The Present Issues of Occupational Safety and Health and Workers’ Compensation”
Mitsugi Shinada (Professor, Kobe City University of Foreign Studies)
- (2) “Recognition of Brain and Heart Disease as Result of Employment and Employer’s Responsibility for Damages under the Civil Code”
Fumiko Obata (Professor, Kyoto University)
- (3) “Mental Disorders Arising in Connection with Employment and the Issues they Raise for Compensation under Statutory Workers’ Compensation Schemes and Civil Damages Claims”
Tatsuko Ueda (Professor, Doshisha University)
- (4) “Treatment/Injury and Sickness Suspensions/Dismissals on the Basis of the Employers’ Duty to Care for Employee Safety and Health”
Makoto Iwade (Lawyer)
- (5) “The Role of the State in Workers’ Safety and Health”
Ikuko Mizushima (Professor, Osaka University)

8. Legal History

The Japan Legal History Association (LHA) held its 58th General Meeting at Keio University on April 22 and 23, 2006.

1. The 58th General Meeting

Special Topic: Law as Practice-The History of Art in Interpretation

- (1) “Introduction”
Jyurou Iwatani (Professor, Keio University)
- (2) Lawyers in Pre- modern Japan : Myobo
Yasuo Umeda (Professor, Kanazawa University)
- (3) The Legal Phronesis of the Orator in Ancient Rome
Toshihiko Hirano (Professor, Hiroshima University)
- (4) The Interpretation of Legal Texts : Educational Approaches Based on the Historical Experience in Early Modern Jurisprudence