

Minoru Tanaka (Professor, Nanzan University)

- (5) The Rhetoric and its Background of the *Shou- Fa*¹ in Tang China

Makoto Okano (Professor, Meiji University)

Individual Presentations

- (1) The Governance of the Carpenters and *Mokuryou*² in the 8th Century
Youichi Sogawa (Student, Keio University)
- (2) The Structure of the Tort Law and its Reception in the Boissonade's Draft
Akihito Kushihi (Student, Keio University)
- (3) The Characteristic Features of *Chengdanchong*³ Punishment under the Qin Dynasty : One of the Causes to the Penal Reforms Made by the Former Han Dynasty
Hiroshi Ishioka (Lecturer, Meiji University)
- (4) Functions and Effects of the Land- Commendation Documents in the Medieval Period : Review of *Buddha- Senyunochi- Kuikaesubekarazu*⁴
Kiyoshi Jinno (Assistant, Musashino Gakuin University)
- (5) The Launch of Study about Legal History in the U.S. : Why is it not so popular in Japan?
Takashi Ouchi (Professor, Tohoku University)

9. Sociology of Law

The Japanese Association for the Sociology of Law held its 2006 General Meeting at Kwansei Gakuin University on May 12, 13, and 14.

¹ Shou-Fa (守法): It means that the bureaucrats should adhere the law in spite of the emperor's order.

² *Mokuryou* (木工寮): Ministry of Construction.

³ *Chengdanchong* (城旦舂): A non-commutable life sentence involving corvee (mainly earthwork) for the army.

⁴ *Buddha-Senyunochi-Kuikaesubekarazu* (仏陀施入之地不可悔返): A legal theory that land once donated to the Buddhist temple cannot be canceled.

Symposium: Collaboration between Private and Public Law

1. General Symposium: Collaboration between Private and Public Law

- (1) “Collaboration between Private and Public Law in Contemporary Japan: Identifying the Issues”
Sumitaka Harada (Professor, University of Tokyo).
- (2) “Die Arten der Verschränkungen vom öffentlichen Recht und Privatrecht”
Ryuji Yamamoto (Professor, University of Tokyo).
- (3) “Collaboration between Private and Public Law : From the Viewpoint of Civil Law”
Yasuhiro Akiyama (Associate Professor, Waseda University).
- (4) “An Analysis of the Concepts ‘Cooperation’, ‘New Publicness’ and ‘Civil Society’”
Toshihiko Nawata (Professor, Hosei University).
- (5) “The Function of the Judiciary in the Context of Collaboration between Private and Public Law”
Shigeaki Tanaka (Professor, Kwansei Gakuin University).

2. Mini- Symposium: Law and Social Norms Concerning Corporations

- (1) “The Background and Purpose of the Mini- Symposium ‘Law and Social Norms Concerning Corporations’”
Setsuo Miyazawa (Professor, Omiya Law School).
- (2) “Hostile Takeovers from Japanese Perspective”
Koichi Kusano (Lawyer).
- (3) “The Firm as an Incentive Mechanism : Impacts of Hard Law and Soft Law”
Zen’ichi Shishido (Professor, Seikei University).
- (4) “Corporate Governance and Soft Law”
Hiroshi Noda (Professor, Hitotsubashi University).

Individual Reports:

1. Special Articles 1: Socio- Legal Studies of Sanctions

- (1) “Introduction of the Special Articles 1 ‘Socio- Legal Studies of Sanctions’”

- Atsushi Bushimata (Professor, Fukuoka University).
- (2) “A Note on Collective Sanctions”
Takashi Iida (Associate Professor, Seikei University).
- (3) “Sanction and the Audience”
Hiroaki Matsunaga (Researcher, Japan Society For the Promotion of Science, and Graduate Student, Osaka City University).
- (4) “Recapturing ‘Behavior’”
Jun Baba (Graduate Student, Tokyo Metropolitan University).
- (5) “Giciaro : Mutual Expectations and Sanctions among the Igembe of Kenya”
Shin’ichiro Ishida (Research Visitor, National Museum of Ethnology, and Researcher, Japan Society For the Promotion of Science).
- (6) “Transformation of Criminological Thought and Roles of Punishment”
Hideyo Matsubara (Associate Professor, Ehime University).
- (7) “From Punishment to Restitution : For Support Of Crime Victims”
Yuko Hashimoto (COE Program Researcher, Kobe University).
- (8) “A Comparative Study of the Attorney Discipline Systems in Japan and Washington State”
Kyoko Ishida (Ph. D. Candidate & Senior Researcher, Asian Law Center, University of Washington School of Law).
- (9) “Contempt and Child Contact”
Norihide Ishido (Lecturer, Tokyo University of Agriculture).
- (10) “Contrasting Regulatory Styles Revisited: Do Differences in Institutional Dynamics of Environmental Regulations Still Persist between Japan and the United States?”
Kazumasu Aoki (Associate Professor, University of Toyama).
- (11) “Koban and Its Police Culture”
Naoko Yoshida (Graduate Student, Kyoto University).

2. Special Articles 2: Viewpoints on Judicial Reform

- “Recent Reforms to the Japanese Judiciary”
Daniel H. Foote (Professor, University of Tokyo).

3. Special Articles 3: Sociology of Law in the World

- “Selective Adaptation and Institutional Capacity”

Pitman B. Potter (Professor, University of British Columbia).

Articles:

- (1) "On the Implication of the Studies of 'Order in Court'"
Tomone Koniya (Graduate Student, Tokyo Metropolitan University).
- (2) "The Fact of Reasonable Pluralism in Rawlsian Political Conception of Justice"
Ryohei Itabashi (Research Visitor, Meiji University Institute for Disarmament and Peace Studies).
- (3) "Recognizing Legal Pluralism"
Masaru Noritake (Researcher, Japan Society For the Promotion of Science, and Graduate Student, Osaka University).
- (4) "A Theory of Social Order as Public Philosophy in Rawls's Political Justice"
Ryohei Itabashi (Research Visitor, Meiji University Institute for Disarmament and Peace Studies).
- (5) "Child Abuse and Parent Support"
Ayako Harada (Researcher, Japan Society For the Promotion of Science, and Graduate Student, Tokyo University).

10. Legal Philosophy

The Japan Association for Legal Philosophy held its 2006 General Meeting at Aoyama Gakuin University on November 25 and 26, 2006.

Main Theme: Legal Philosophy and Legal Education: in the age of Law School

Workshops:

- (1) "A Study of Wesley N. Hohfeld's Theory on Legal Concepts"
Takuya Mitsumoto (Part-time Lecturer, Ritsumeikan University)
- (2) "Ronald Dworkin's Moralistic Interpretation Theory: Referring to the Controversy over Abortion as a Subject"
Nozomi Hayakawa (Doctoral Course, Tohoku University)