

Politicians and Bureaucrats: Control over Administration and so on”  
Shigeru Takahashi (Professor, Hitotsubashi University)

## **2. First Session on October 11, 2009**

Reports:

- (5) “Control over Administration with Fundamental Law”  
Toru Mori (Professor, Kyoto University)
- (6) “Legislation by Parliament Members and Legislation by the Cabinet”  
Masato Tadano (Professor, Hitotsubashi University)
- (7) “Legal Control over Public Finance”  
Takuma Kimura (Professor, Chiba University)
- (8) “Reform of Legislation and Local Government”  
Yoshinobu Kitamura (Professor, Sophia University)

## **3. Second Session on October 11, 2009**

Reports:

- (9) “Research and Management Functions of Parliament”  
Kazuaki Harada (Professor, Yokohama National University)
- (10) “Parliamentary Control over Administrative Organization and Personnel Management”  
Hiroshi Matsudo (Professor, Osaka City University)
- (11) “Dual Functions of Committee and Control over Government”  
Kyoko Katsuyama (Professor, Doshisha University)
- (12) “Control over Administration outside Parliament”  
Hidenori Sakakibara (Professor, Nanzan University)

## **2. Law of Property and Obligations**

*The Japan Association of Private Law* held its 73rd General Meeting at Seikei University on October 11 and 12, 2009.

**First Day:**

**Reports:**

First Section

- (1) “Die Problematik des Ehrenschutzes”  
Miyabi Nakajima (Associate Professor, Seikei University)
- (2) “Sensitive Victims in Japanese Tort Law — Realizing the Equitable Distribution of Damages —”  
Akira Kiuchi (Lecturer, Tokyo Keizai University)
- (3) “Sur la notion du dommage pour la condition de la responsabilité délictuelle”  
Masayuki Kato (Associate Professor, Kobe Gakuin University)
- (4) “Eine theoretische Untersuchung über den Entstehungsgrund des Unterlassundsanspruchs”  
Hisanori Nemoto (Lecturer, Meiji Gakuin University)

### Second Section

- (1) “Theoretische Struktur vom Kontrahierungszwang”  
Yousuke Tanie (Lecturer, Tokai University)
- (2) “La structure et le développement du contrôle des clauses abusives”  
Aya Osawa (Associate Professor, Hosei University)
- (3) “Zur Überprüfung der Rechtsgeschäftslehre — Vom Standpunkt der Rechtsstruktur und des Rechtsgedankenprinzips im Rechtssystem —”  
Kuniyasu Nakano (Associate Professor, Toin University of Yokohama)
- (4) “La garantie des vices cachés et l'inexécution de l'obligation de délivrance d'une chose”  
Masamichi Nozawa (Professor, Rikkyo University)

### Third Section

- (1) “Die gegensätzliche Struktur — Pflichtteilsrecht und Tätigkeit der Stiftungen und Unternehmen —”  
Mika Aotake (Associate Professor, Hiroshima Shudo University)
- (2) “Das Rechtsprinzip der deutschen Treuhand”  
Hideyuki Nakata (Lecturer, Komazawa University)
- (3) “Does inventory finance need purchase-money priority? — A historical account on secured transaction law in the United States —”  
Haruna Fujisawa (Associate Professor, Rikkyo University)
- (4) “Secondary victim's cause of action for damages in the tort of negligence — Concerning psychiatric illness suffered by the close rela-

tives of the primary victim —”  
Shigeki Yamaguchi (Professor, Chuo University)

#### Fourth Section

- (1) “Set-off as a preferential right —‘compensation -privilège’ theory —”  
Yuka Fukagawa (Lecturer, Toyo University)
- (2) “Zur Reform des Bürgschaftsrechtes im Jahre 2004”  
Ayumu Endo (Associate Professor, Kyushu University)
- (3) “Gurundlagen und Grenzen der gesellschaftsrechtlichen Bindungen  
des Wohnungseigentümers”  
Hidetoshi Ito (Lecturer, Aichi Gakuin University)

Enlarged Workshop: “Revision of the Japanese Civil Code (Law of Obligation) ”

Chaired by Hisakazu Matsuoka (Professor, Kyoto University) and Yoshio Shiomi (Professor, Kyoto University).

Reporter and Person in charge of the Workshop:

Yutaka Yamamoto (Professor, Kyoto University)

Reporter:

Hiroyuki Hirano (Professor, Keio University)

Makoto Takahashi (Professor, Osaka City University)

#### Second Day:

#### **Symposium: The reform of family law**

Chaired by Takashi Uchida (Former-Professor, University of Tokyo) and Hiroyasu Nakata (Professor, University of Tokyo).

- (1) “Marriage and Divorce”  
Atsushi Omura (Professor, University of Tokyo)
- (2) “Parent and Child Relationship”  
Atsumi Kubota (Professor, Kobe University)
- (3) “The Law of Adoption”  
Fumio Tokotani (Professor, Osaka University)
- (4) “Parental Rights”  
Noriko Mizuno (Professor, Tohoku University)
- (5) “Comment”  
Nobuhisa Segawa (Professor, Hokkaido University)