

Hiroshi Takahashi (Professor, Kobe University).

- (2) “Development of Date Archives and its Significance for Socio-legal Studies”

Iwao Sato (Professor, University of Tokyo).

Articles:

- (1) “The Disparities of the Responses to the Victims of Domestic Violence among the Local Governments in Japan”

Akiko Tejima (Graduate Student, Kyoto Women’s University, Lecturer, Kobe College).

- (2) “Significances and Limitations in Legal Remedies toward Past Injustice”

Kumiko Tsuchida (Researcher, Tohoku University Global COE Program).

- (3) “Exploring Japanese Cop Culture through Questionnaire Survey”

Naoko Yoshida (Research Visitor, Meiji University).

10. Legal Philosophy

The Japan Association for Legal Philosophy held its 2009 General Meeting at Kansai University on November 14 and 15, 2009.

Main Theme: Risk Society and Law

Presentations on Each Theme:

Section A:

- (1) “Can Hume be a Contract Theorist?: Through Examining David Gothie’s Analysis of Hume”

Takahumi Nakamura (Lecturer, Kagoshima National College of Technology)

- (2) “Review on the Theory of Immigrants’ Justice: Examining Joseph Carens’ Open Borders Theory”

Seiko Urayama (Special Researcher, Japan Society for the Promotion

of Science)

- (3) “Manners of Criticizing Culture: Through Considering Joseph Carens’ Theory”
Takayuki Kawase (Researcher, Kyoto University)
- (4) “The Limit of the Harm Principle: Reconsidering “the Compulsion of Morals by Law”
Mayu Miyazaki (Research Associate, Tamagawa University)

Section B:

- (1) “The Method and the Constitution in the 19th Century German Constitutional Law”
Kiyotaka Nishimura (Doctor Course Student, Waseda University)
- (2) “What is the Midfare? : The Concept of Equality in G. A. Cohen’s Theory”
Hiroshi Miyazawa (Part-time Lecturer, Rikkyo University)
- (3) “Legal Theory on Possession and Exchange of Internal Organs: Why an Organ Trade is not permitted?”
Shintaro Suzuki (Lecturer, Aichi Gakuin University)
- (4) “Evaluation of the Positive Action by the Theory of Legalization”
Yukie Matsushima (Associate Professor, Nihon University)

Workshops:

Section A: “Ronald Dworkin’s Legal Philosophy and Political Philosophy”

First Part: “The Basic Theory: On Anti-Archimedeanism”

- (1) “Explanation of the Plan”
Makoto Usami (Professor, Tokyo Institute of Technology)
- (2) “Description and Practice in Legal Philosophy and Political Philosophy”
Shinichiro Hama (Professor, Doshisha University)
- (3) “To What Degree is the Meta-Ethics the Normative-Ethics?”
Hideharu Takahashi (Professor, Mie University)
- (4) “Comment”
Hitohiko Hirano (Professor, Ritsumeikan University)

Second Part: “Specific Issues; Equality, Constitution, and Principle”

- (1) “Is Ronald Dworkin an Egalitarian?”
Akira Inoue (Research Associate, The University of Tokyo)
- (2) “Political Duty and the Constitution”
Yoshiyuki Koizumi (Professor, Kansai University)
- (3) “Ronald Dworkin’s Theory of Interpreting Law: Focusing on the Pedigree of Principle Thinking”
Nozomi Hayakawa (Lecturer, St. Andrew’s University)
- (4) “Comment”
Ko Hasegawa (Professor, Hokkaido University)

Section B1: “Legally Philosophical Thinking concerning the Legal Status of Animals”

- (1) “A Moral Dilemma: Why the Link between Animal Abuse and Human Violence Demands a New Approach to the Treatment of Farm Animals”
Pamela Frasca (Professor, Lewis & Clark Law School)
- (2) “Comment”
Aki Nagao (Former Doctor Course Student, Osaka University)
- (3) “Animal Testing: Concerns and Consequences”
Kathy Hessler (Professor, Lewis & Clark Law School)
- (4) “Comment”
Mie Furusawa (Doctor Course Student, Chiba University)
- (5) “Comment”
Hitoshi Aoki (Professor, Hitotsubashi University)

Section B2: “Ultimate Facts Theory, and the Technique of Examining and Drafting: Considering From the Perspective of Jurisprudence”

- (1) “Explanation of the Plan”
Hiroshi Kabashima (Professor, Tohoku University)
- (2) “The Methodology of Settling Cases in German Education of Law”
Thomas B. Schäfer (Professor, Tohoku University)
- (3) “Comment”

Toshihiko Suehisa (Professor, Tohoku Gakuin University)

(4) “Comment”

Hideo Aoi (Professor, Okayama Shoka University)

Section C: “Contemporary Meaning of Adam Smith’s Theory”

(1) “Doctor of Laws: Adam Smith”

Nakatani Takeo (Professor, Kyoto Tachibana University)

(2) “The Theory of Moral Sentiments and the Lectures on Law: In the Perspective of the Relationship between Modern Self and Institution Building”

Masako Inoue (Professor, Kanagawa University)

(3) “Smith’s Theory on Competition and the Confidence as a Basis of the Market”

Masanori Taishido (Lecturer, Toyo University)

Presentations on Main Theme: Risk Society and Law

(1) “Risk Society and Law: Propositions, Arrangement of Issues, and the Prospect”

Ryuichi Nakayama (Professor, Osaka University)

(2) “Law and Democracy in a Risk Society”

Kouzi Aikyo (Professor, Nagoya University)

(3) “Comment”

Ryosuke Hirai (Professor, Kyoto Institute of Technology)

(4) “The Change of Private Law in a Risk Society”

Yuki Asano (Professor, Kinki University)

(5) “Comment”

Kouta Fukui (Associate Professor, Osaka University)

(6) “A Risk Society and Environmental Law: On the Prevention Principle in Environmental Law”

Tadashi Otsuka (Professor, Waseda University)

(7) “Comment”

Mitsuo Matsumoto (Associate Professor, Kochi University)

(8) “A Risk Society and Criminal Law”

Yoshihiro Matsubara (Professor, Waseda University)

(9) “Comment”

Takehiro Oya (Associate Professor, Nagoya University)

- (10) “Global Risk and the World Order”
Hirohide Takigawa (Professor, Osaka City University)
- (11) “Comment”
Taku Morimoto (Lecturer, Health Sciences University of Hokkaido)
- (12) “Symposium: The Risk Society and Law”

11. Comparative Law

I. The *Japan Society of Comparative Law* held its 72nd General Meeting at Kanagawa University on June 6 and 7, 2009.

First Day

1. Anglo-American Law Section:

- (1) “The Principle of Good Faith in American Law”
Yuko Funakoshi (Lecturer, Okinawa International University).
- (2) “Function and Significance of Protective Order in the Discovery”
Harumi Takebe (Doctrinal Course, Kwansei Gakuin University).
- (3) “Legal Policy for Brown Field Problems in America — Comparison between Federal Law and California State Law and its Indications for Japan”
Kumiko Fukuda (Doctrinal Course, Waseda University).

2. Continental Law Section:

- (1) “Neues Kaufgewährleistungsrecht und Wahlrecht des Insolvenzverwalters”
Koichi Tamura (Associate Professor, Kumamoto University).
- (2) “Des restitutions en droit civil français”
Tetsushi Saito (Associate Professor, Hokkaido University).

3. Socialist Law Section:

- (1) “Trail for Khmer Rouge and the Future Tasks of Cambodian Judicial System”
Kuong Teilee (Associate Professor, Nagoya University).