

8. Legal History

The *Japan Legal History Association* (LHA) held its 63rd General Meeting at Ritsumeikan University on May 4 and 5, 2011.

1. The 63rd General Meeting

First Day:

Individual Presentations

- (1) The Process of Planning for the Local Finance Regulation System before World War II in Japan: The Political Framework from the “Plan of Administration of Home Affairs” to the “System of Local Taxes”
Tsutomu Yagiri (Graduate Student, Osaka University).
- (2) The Mongolian Community and the Legal System in the Ching Age
Erdenchulu (Graduate Student, Kyoto University).
- (3) Consular Trials through the Source Book of Judgment: Consular Trials in South Korea
Emiko Nakaami (Chief Researcher, Center for Professional Legal Education and Research of Waseda University).
- (4) The System of Appeal and Sovereignty: *legislateur* and *justicier*, The Code of Juridical Reform of *Louis IX* and *Alphonse*, Count of *Poitou*
Masanori Yabumoto (Lecturer, Keio University).
- (5) The Kyoto Osaka area Ruling of the Edo Shogunate: The Reconsideration of “Ruling Area”
Takashi Ogura (Associate Professor, Osaka Ohtani University).
- (6) The Reconsideration of the Papyrus of A.D. 557 for the Selection of a Tutor in Rieti
Shigeo Nishimura (Professor, Fukuoka Institute of Technology).

Second Day

Individual Presentations

- (1) *Kenmon* Trial and *Honjyo* Trial in the Early Middle Ages of Japan
Yuki Sato (Fellowship Resercher, Japan Society for the Promotion of

Science).

- (2) The Relation between the Chinese Nationalist Party and the Administration of Justice in the Period of the Nationalist Government
Yosuke Mitsuhashi (Graduate Student, University of Tsukuba).
- (3) The Import action of the German Prison Law and Its Development in Modern Japan: The Opening of the “Prison Law” of 1908.
Mizuho Himejima (Lecturer, Kyoto Women’s University).
- (4) The Historical Structure of the Legal Doctrine of Retrospective Punishment in the Law of *Van Der Lubbe*
Minoru Honda (Professor, Ritsumeikan University).
- (5) The Structure of the *Sou*-Constitution: Through the Comparison between the *Tou*-Code and the *Keigen*-Constitution
Yasushi Kawamura (Professor, Kwansei Gakuin University)

9. Sociology of Law

The *Japanese Association for the Sociology of Law* held its 2011 General Meeting at The University of Tokyo on May 6, 7, and 8.

The Report on the JASL Special Session for Discussing:

“Socio-Legal Issues of the Great Earthquake of Japan on March 11, 2011”
Shiro Kashimura (Professor, Kobe University)

Symposium: The New Field of Legal Profession and the Sociology of Law

1. General Symposium: Works, Roles, Ethics and Identity of the Legal Profession in the Globalizing Society

- (1) “Outline of the JASL Plenary Symposium 2011”
Kota Fukui (Professor, Osaka University).
- (2) “In-house Counsel and its Future in Japanese Corporations From a Historical Analysis on Series of Questionnaire Surveys”
Ken’ichi Yoneda (Professor, Kagoshima University).
- (3) “New Roles of Lawyers: What Roles does a Corporate Client Expect Lawyers to Play?”