
ACTIVITIES OF ACADEMIC SOCIETIES

Jan. - Dec., 1982

1. Constitutional and Administrative Law

(1) *The Japan Association of Public Laws* held its general meeting at Keio Gijuku University on Oct. 10 and 11 under the unified theme of "Problems Involving Equality of Rights." During the two-day annual meeting, following reports were made:

"Gleichbehandlungsgebot und Recht auf Gleichbehandlung," by Prof. Toshiyuki Kawazoe of Chuo University.

"Equality under the Law and Rational Differentiations," by Prof. Mutsuo Nakamura of Hokkaido University.

"Retrospect and Prospect upon the Drafting of the Administrative Litigation Act," by Prof. Ichiro Ogawa of Seikei University.

"Administrative Justice and Modern Administration," by Itsuo Sonobe of the Supreme Court.

[First Session]

"Political Participation and Equality," by Assoc. Prof. Hidenori Tomatsu of Seijo University.

"Sex Discrimination and the Equal Protection of the Laws," by Prof. Taisuke Kamata of Doshisha University.

"Welfare and Equality," by Prof. Akira Osuga of Waseda Uni-

versity.

“Gleichheit und Auslander,” by Assoc. Prof. Yasuo Saito of Kanagawa University.

“Affirmative Action and Equality,” by Assoc. Prof. Masanari Sakamoto of Hiroshima University.

[Second Session]

“A Contemporary Type of Administrative Activities and Judicial Review,” by Prof. Hiroya Endo of Hokkaido University.

“Collective Interests in Administrative Procedure,” by Prof. Masashi Kaneko of Dokkyo University.

“Die zeitliche Dimension im Verwaltungsrechtsschutz,” by Prof. Yasutaka Abe of Kobe University.

“Two Fundamental Categories in Suits for Governmental Actions,” by Prof. Yoshihiro Murakami of Osaka Prefectural University.

“Administrative Procedures and its Prospects for Improvement,” by Assoc. Prof. Konosuke Kimura of Keio Gijuku University.

(2) *The All-Japan Constitution Study Association* held its spring meeting at Okayama University on May 10 under the unified theme of “Constitution and Education.” There were following reports:

“Education in the Post World War II Period and the Constitution of Japan,” by Prof. Kenichi Nagai of Hosei University.

“Students’ Constitutional Consciousness of a Teachers College and Problems of the Constitution Education,” by Assoc. Prof. Nobuyoshi Harima of Yamaguchi University.

“Peace Education in the Nuclear Era and the Constitution of Japan,” by Prof. Naomi Shono of Hiroshima Jogakuin University.

The autumn meeting of the association was held at Chuo University on Oct. 9 under the theme of “Administrative Reform and Constitution.” Reporters and their titles were as follows:

“Administrative Reform and Constitution – General Study,” by Prof. Tsutomu Muroi of Nagoya University.

“New Concept of Military Expansion – Administrative Reform

and Defense Problems,” by Prof. Atsushi Furukawa of Tokyo University of Economics.

“Welfare Service and Process of Realization – Administrative Reform and Welfare Problems,” by Assoc. Prof. Hiroko Hashimoto of Kanagawa University.

(3) *The Tax Law Association* held its meeting at Senshu University on Oct. 8 under the theme of “Grounding Theory of Tax Law.” There were following reports:

“Tax Law and Administrative Law,” by Prof. Hirokata Minami of Tsukuba University.

“Relations between Taxable Condition Law and Tax Procedure Law,” by Assoc. Prof. Mitsuaki Usui of Yokohama National University.

“Legal Principle of Taxation and Principle of Equality in Taxation – on Taxation of Asset Tax on the Basis of Assessment Below Market Price,” by Prof. Hiroshi Ishijima of Okayama University.

“Legal Problems Centering on Withholding Tax,” by Assoc. Prof. Toshiaki Fuke of Nagoya University.

“Latest Arguments over Laws for Economic Observation,” by Masaaki Iwasaki, LL.M. of Tsukuba University.

(4) *The Law Section of the Association of Democratic Scientists* held a two-day meeting at Tokyo Metropolitan University on Oct. 2 and 8. A symposium on “Comprehensive Security: A Critical Study of Present System,” was held. Following reports were also presented:

“Formation of Comprehensive Security Strategy,” by Assoc. Prof. Osamu Watanabe of Tokyo University.

“Comprehensive Security Strategy and Problems of Constitutional Revision in 80’s,” by Assoc. Prof. Takashi Miwa of Saitama University.

“The Incidences of the Recent Administrative Reform to Administrative Law,” by Prof. Hiroshi Hamakawa of Hosei University.

“Reorganization of Criminal Legislation under Security System,”

by Prof. Atsushi Fukui of Hosei University.

“Comprehensive Security and International Public Law,” by Masayuki Shiroyama, part-time lecturer at Ibaraki University.

A supplementary report by Assoc. Prof. Haruo Saburi of Nagoya University on “Comprehensive Security Doctrine and the New International Economic Order,” was also presented.

Special reports:

“The Policy of Maintaining Military Bases in Okinawa after the Reversion,” by Assoc. Prof. Hiroshi Nakachi of Ryukyu University.

“How We Should Approach Problems of Security System,” by Inejiro Numata, Professor Emeritus of Tokyo Metropolitan University.

(5) *The Association of Social Security Law* held its spring meeting at Ehime University on May 14 under the theme of “Legal Problems on Welfare and Health Care for the Aged.” Reports were as follows:

“American Social Service in the Making,” by Assoc. Prof. Hiroko Hashimoto of Kanagawa University.

“Present Situation and Problems of Geriatric Welfare Administration and Finance,” by Assoc. Prof. Kyoko Iwami of Koyasan University.

“Existing Health and Medical Care System for the Aged and Problems of Present Laws Concerned,” by Haruko Yamaguchi, LL.M. of Tokyo Metropolitan University.

“Legislation Policy of Medicare for the Aged,” by Prof. Masahiko Uemura of Nagoya University.

The autumn meeting of the association was held at Keio Gijuku University on Oct. 7 and 8 under the unified theme of “Laws and Rights Relating to Social Security and Related Problems.”

Reports on the first day were as follows:

“Legal Right Concerning Public Annuity,” by Prof. Michio Nishihara of Kobe University.

“Structure of Social Security Finance – Including Public Annuity,” by Prof. Masuo Fujisawa of Keio Gijuku University.

“Harmony and Conflict between Public Annuity and Private

Annuity,” by Prof. Noriaki Niwata of Keio Gijuku University.

“Consideration in Social Security Law,” by Professor Emeritus Tooru Ariizumi of Tokyo University.

The second-day session dealt with the unified theme of “On Laws and Rights Relating to Existing Social Security System – in Connection with Legal Systems of Rights and Social Security.”

Reports:

“Rights for Relief out of Public Fund in the Weimar Republic,” by Hideo Kinoshita, LL.M. of Kyoto University.

“Study on Social Security Finance,” by Assoc. Prof. Shozo Endo of Shimane University.

“*Horiki* Case and Social Security as Human Rights,” by Assoc. Prof. Hideo Inoue of Ibaraki University.

“Significance of Fact-Finding Survey in Social Security Trials,” by Norishiro Takano, attorney.

“Present Situation and Problems of Income Security System – Study of Present Situation and Problems of Income Security System through Analysis of Present Laws Relating to Income Security,” by Assoc. Prof. Tadashi Kataoka of Fukuoka University.

(6) *The Japanese Association of Sociology of Law.*

See Academic Activities, “7. Legal History, Sociology of Law and Legal Philosophy.”

(7) *The Nichi-Doku-Hogaku-Kai* (Japanische-Deutsche Gesellschaft für Rechtswissenschaft).

See Academic Societies, “9. Comparative Law.”

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