



2022 Activities Report



Institute of Comparative Law,
Waseda University

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Welcome to Waseda University Institute of Comparative Law

Masanori Okata

Professor of Law

21st and current Director of
the Institute of Comparative Law

Waseda University

September 2020-Present

The Institute of Comparative Law (ICL) at Waseda University was established in 1958. The purpose of the Institute is to conduct comparative research on the legal systems of Japan and other countries, and to contribute to research and education in the field of Japanese legal studies. Working towards these goals, the Institute has been systematically collecting material on the legal systems of other countries, including their statutes, case reports, and law journals, to build one of Japan's most impressive law libraries. With the development of Japan's social and economic systems and the evolution of its legal system, our mission has expanded. We aim to disseminate information on the development of contemporary Japanese law and Japan's legal system, and to raise critical legal questions of universal importance for discussion from a Japanese perspective.

At present, the Institute has more than 110 research members who are full-time faculty members at Waseda University, and over 150 research affiliates from outside the university. In addition, agreements have been concluded with the Institute of Law, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences; School of Law, Tsinghua University; Institute for Comparative and International Law, University of Melbourne; School of Law, Duke University; the Max Planck Institute for Foreign and International Criminal Law; the Korea Legislation Research Institute; and University College London (UCL). Exchange researchers from these institutions are welcome to work with us at the Institute. Scholars and researchers from other countries can arrange to visit the Institute through such channels as the International Affairs Division of Waseda University.

The Institute conducts three different programs: specific or individual events, group research projects, and multi-annual research that is carried out by the Institute as a whole.

1. In terms of specific events, the Institute holds public lectures on a semi-monthly basis for which it invites legal academics from around the world who are at the forefront of research in various fields of law. In addition, our research affiliates contribute articles to our annual journal, the Waseda Bulletin of Comparative Law, or to our online publication, Topics of Japanese Law. Both publish articles in English for readers worldwide, and the topics are related to the contemporary Japanese legal system, such as recent Japanese legislation and important Japanese court judgments.

2. Concerning group research, 24 joint research projects are being conducted by our research affiliates and adjunct researchers, who are working together on comparative legal studies.

3. Since 2013, the Institute has been conducting a research project on law and sustainability, with emphasis on the Asian region. As a result, Law for Our Sustainable World: Promoting "Law and Sustainability", edited by Tamio Nakamura, was published in August 2020. The research project is based on a critical view of modern states and their societies, the rapid economic development of which is considered the premise of social development. However, the economic development has accelerated the depletion of natural resources and environmental deterioration. Thus, the project aims to determine a new role for law and legal studies that will be instrumental in bringing about a balance between the economy, society, and the environment, to achieve a transition to a sustainable society that protects the interests of future generations. Economic activities go beyond nation-states, and the social problems that result from these activities inevitably extend beyond national borders. Thus, an effective legal response to the problem would require legal measures and/or regimes at national, macro-regional, and global levels to work in a mutually reinforcing and complementary manner. In this research project, we have tried to conceptualize an Asian regional law/regime that will respond to some of the major cross-border problems. Since there is a lack of research on macro-regional legal responses in Asia, we will keep on studying the experiences of the European Union for lessons and inspirations.

The results of our various research projects are published regularly, in print and online. The print versions include our journal, Hikaku Hogaku (Comparative Law Review), our comparative law book series, Hikakuho Kenkyujo Soshu, and our

annual journal in English, the Waseda Bulletin of Comparative Law. We also publish online articles in English in Topics of Japanese Law. In addition, in 2016, we started two new online publications, Waseda ICL Online Journal and Waseda ICL Online Forum.

The ICL aspires to be a unique forum that will strengthen ties between legal scholars in Japan and other countries through its diverse research activities. We welcome research proposals and initiatives, as well as academic professionals, from all over the world.

Sustainable Technology and Law (2019~)

The institute-wide research and education project “Sustainable Technology and Law” began full-fledged activities in 2019 as an extension of “AI/Robotics and Law”, which began as a research group in 2018 in collaboration with the Faculty of Science and Engineering.

At present, attention is focused merely on the technical aspects of advanced technology, but it cannot be said that the legal system has necessarily kept pace with technological progress. In this project, we will examine the legal issues that need to be resolved and the legal system that should be developed when introducing advanced technology into society, from the perspective of both science and engineering and law.

In 2019, we first held a symposium in Tokyo on “Current Status and Challenges of Laws concerning AI and IT from the Perspectives of Civil Law, Criminal Law, Procedural Law and Financial Law”, followed by an international symposium in Beijing with the Institute of Law of the Chinese Academy of Social Sciences on “New Technology and Law”, in which Japanese and Chinese legal scholars discussed new technologies from the perspectives of civil law (auto-driving technology, auto-driving accidents and law), commercial law (virtual currency, fintech and law), criminal law (development, operation and utilization of AI and law), and procedural law (the introduction of IT in legal procedure). And in 2020, we were preparing to hold the second part of the symposium on “New Technology and Law” in Tokyo, but unfortunately, due to the global spread of the new coronavirus infection, the symposium had to be postponed.

The 2021 symposium was initially planned as an offline event, but due to the continuing pandemic, it ended up being an online symposium. Nevertheless, the symposium turned out to be very successful, covering a variety of topics including “AI and Labor Law”, “AI, the Internet and Copyright”, “Financial Legal Regulation of Crypto Assets”, “Competition Legal Regulation of Platform Companies” and “AI and Criminal Liability Entities”.

We sincerely hope that the new coronavirus infection will be brought under control as soon as possible so that the interactions among researchers can be reinvigorated and deeper research would be viable again.

Achievements

Type	Title	Date and Location	Rapporteur
Symposium	Current Status and Challenges of Laws concerning AI and IT from the Perspectives of Civil Law, Criminal Law, Procedural Law and Financial Law	2 August 2019, at Waseda University (Tokyo, Japan)	YAMAGUCHI, Nariaki (Research Staff, Professor, Faculty of Law, Waseda University) ENDO, Sota (Research Staff, Associate Professor, Faculty of Law, Waseda University) UCHIDA, Yoshiatsu (Research Staff, Professor, Faculty of Law, Waseda University) KURONUMA, Etsuro (Research Staff, Professor, Faculty of Law, Waseda University)
Symposium	New Technology and Law	4 September 2019, at Institute of Law of the Chinese Academy of Social Sciences (Beijing, China)	[Japanese Side] KURONUMA, Etsuro (Research Staff, Professor, Faculty of Law, Waseda University) YAMAGUCHI, Nariaki (Research Staff, Professor, Faculty of Law, Waseda University) ENDO, Sota (Research Staff, Associate Professor, Faculty of Law, Waseda University) KURONUMA, Etsuro (Research Staff, Professor, Faculty of Law, Waseda University) [Chinese Side] ZHAO, Lei (Research Staff, Institute of Law, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences)

			GAO, Simin (Associate Professor, Tsinghua University) LIU, Renwen (Research Staff, Institute of Law, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences) JIANG, Su (Associate Professor, Peking University) FENG, Jue (Associate Research Staff, Institute of Law, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences) XIONG, Bingwan (Associate Professor, Renmin University) LU, Yanbin (Research Staff, Institute of Law, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences) YANG, Yanchao (Associate Research Staff, Institute of Law, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences)
Symposium	New Technology and Law	17 September 2021, on Zoom Webinar	[Japanese Side] OHKI, Masatoshi (Research Staff, Professor, Faculty of Law, Waseda University) UENO, Tatsuhiro (Research Staff, Professor, Faculty of Law, Waseda University) KUBOTA, Takashi (Research Staff, Professor, Faculty of Law, Waseda University) TSUCHIDA, Kazuhiro (Research Staff, Professor, Faculty of Law, Waseda University) WANG, Weisi (Research Fellow, KDDI Research Atelier) [Chinese Side] WANG, Tianyu (Associate Research Staff, Institute of Law, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences) YANG, Yanchao (Research Staff, Institute of Law, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences) JIN, Shanming (Associate Research Staff, Institute of Law, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences) LIU, Renwen (Research Staff, Institute of Law, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences)
Symposium	New Technology and Law	5 September 2022, on Zoom Webinar	[Japanese Side] UENO Tatsuhiro (Faculty of Law, Waseda University) YAMAGUCHI Nariaki (Faculty of Law, Waseda University) KOEZUKA Tadao (Faculty of Law, Waseda University) KURONUMA Etsuro (Faculty of Law, Waseda University) KOYAMA Takaharu (Oita University) OHASHI Asaya (Faculty of Law, Waseda University) [Chinese Side] GUAN Yuying (Institute of Law, CASS) ZHANG Peng (Institute of Law, CASS) ZHOU Hui (Institute of Law, CASS) CHEN Jie (Institute of Law, CASS) ZHAO Lei (Institute of Law, CASS) WANG Tianyu (Institute of Law, CASS)

Japan-China Symposium "New Technology and Law III

Hosted by: Institute of Comparative Law, Waseda University, Institute of Law, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences

Co-hosted by: Institute of Law and Ethics of Advanced Technology, Waseda University

Date and Time: September 5, 2022, 9:00-18:00

Place: Online (Zoom)

On September 5, 2022, the Institute of Comparative Law (Waseda University) and the Institute of Law (Chinese Academy of Social Sciences) jointly hosted an online symposium titled "New Technologies and Law III." This

event marks the third installment in a series of joint symposiums, with the previous editions being "New Technology and Law I" in September 2019 and "New Technology and Law II" in September 2021, organized collaboratively by both institutes.

In the previous symposiums, Japanese and Chinese legal scholars engaged in comprehensive discussions spanning a wide array of topics, including artificial intelligence, intellectual property, financial law, economic law, and criminal law. In this third installment, our focus remained on addressing the emerging issues in both Japan and China.

The symposium commenced with opening remarks from MO Jihong, Director of the Institute of Law at CASS, and OKADA Masanori, Director of Waseda University's ICL.

This symposium featured four sessions:

- Copyright Law in the Digital Economy
- Legal Regulation of Internet Medicine
- Internet Finance and Law
- Labor Law Protection for Platform Workers

During each session, researchers from Japan and China presented their research and engaged in discussions. These sessions were highly successful, with up to 57 participants joining online to actively participate in the discussions.

The program schedule is as follows:

Opening speech 9:00-9:20

MO Jihong (Director, Institute of Law, CASS)

OKADA Masanori (Director, Waseda University ICL)

Session 1, "Copyright Law in the Digital Economy" 9:20-10:50

UENO Tatsuhiko (Faculty of Law, Waseda University)

GUAN Yuying (Institute of Law, CASS)

Comment by ZHANG Peng (Institute of Law, CASS)

Session 2, "Legal Regulation of Internet Medical" 11:00-12:30

ZHOU Hui (Institute of Law, CASS)

YAMAGUCHI Nariaki (Faculty of Law, Waseda University)

Comment by KOEZUKA Tadao (Faculty of Law, Waseda University)

Session 3, "Internet Finance and Law" 14:30-16:00

CHEN Jie (Institute of Law, CASS)

KURONUMA Etsuro (Faculty of Law, Waseda University)

Comment by ZHAO Lei (Institute of Law, CASS)

Session 4, "Labor Law Protection of Platform Workers" 16:10-17:40

KOYAMA Takaharu (Oita University)

WANG Tianyu (Institute of Law, CASS)

Comment by OHASHI Asaya (Faculty of Law, Waseda University)

Closing Remarks 17:40-18:00

OHASHI Asaya (Vice Director, Waseda University ICL)

CHEN Guoping (Vice Director, Institute of Law, CASS)

Joint Research Projects

ICL conducts joint research projects by research members (faculty members of Waseda University) and research affiliates. The following chart shows our research activities in 2022.

Subject/Representation	2022 Research Activities
Research on Civil Procedure in Foreign Countries Kazuhiko Teshigahara	Conducted comparative research on civil procedure in Europe, the US, and Asian countries; published the Japanese translation of <i>Lawyers as Counselors: A Client Centered Approach</i> ; published articles in <i>Waseda Bulletin of Comparative Law</i> and other journals.
Change and Development of the Constitutional Law toward the 21 st Century Katsuyuki Ehara	Conducted comprehensive research on the change and development of constitutional law towards the 21 st century, mainly from the perspective of comparison with Germany, and published the research study.
Analysis of the Latest Trend of the French Law for the Purpose of Making a Database Asaya Ohashi	Weekly research seminars through Zoom; translation of revised <i>Furansu Hōritsu Yōgo Jiten, [Dictionary of French Legal Terms]</i> 3 rd ed. (Sanseidō, 2012); research on recent important legislation in France. Research study published in <i>Comparative Law Review</i> .
Comparative Studies on Intellectual Property Law and International Trade Law Yusuke Tanemura	Presentations were made at online workshops (5 times) and at the Korean International Conference on Next Generation Content Property. The contents of the presentations were published in a journal.
Research Project on the United States Supreme Court Shigeo Miyagawa	Symposium and 8 research seminars held online; research published in <i>Comparative Law Review</i> .
Studies in Anglo-American Criminal Law Yoshiki Ogawa	Reviewed criminal related decisions of the Supreme Court of the United States and published research articles in <i>Comparative Law Review</i> .
Comparative Study of Asian Constitutional Law Katsuyuki Ehara	Organized a content review meeting for the Japan-China joint symposium on public law.
Research on Anglo-American Juvenile Law Tokikazu Konishi	Held online research seminars every Saturday; translation of “Balancing Juvenile Justice” (continuing since 2015).
Comparative Legal Research on Economic Administrative Law and Theory Masanori Okada	Published research articles. Advancing the research selected for the Grant-in-Aid for Scientific Research C based on this joint research.
Studies on the Supreme Court of the United Kingdom Tamio Nakamura	6 online seminars; published research.
Studies of Current Development of European Law Tamio Nakamura	6 online seminars; published research.
Study on Scandinavian Law Shin Matsuzawa	Published research and lectures on criminal and commercial law.
Law and Sustainability Yoshiki Kurumisawa	6 online seminars; published research in bulletins.

Subject/Representation	2022 Research Activities
Comprehensive Research of Social Law in a Society with a Declining Population Yoshimi Kikuchi	Routinely held research seminars online (6 times). Published research.
Basic Research on Modifying Tort Law Tadashi Otsuka	Published research.
Comparative Research on Legal Remedies in the Civil Procedural Law System Kazunori Matsumura	Research pertaining to the revision of the Civil Enforcement Law. Holding online seminars (16 times). Published research in <i>Waseda Law School Journal</i> .
Analysis of the problems and the future amendment on the Basic Law of Environment Tadashi Otsuka	Held seminars.
AI (Artificial Intelligence) and Law Etsuro Kuronuma	Organized an online seminar in preparation for the Japan-China joint symposium. Held online seminars.
Comparative Study on Company and Financial Market Laws of the Commonwealth Countries Izumi Kawashima	Research conducted by individual researchers; published research.
Law and Politics in Japan-Korea Relationship Hiroyuki Banzai	Held an online seminar.

Academic Exchange

ICL has signed academic exchange agreements with various institutions including the Institute of Law, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences; School of Law, Duke University; Institute for Comparative and International Law, University of Melbourne, the Max Planck Institute for Foreign and International Criminal Law; School of Law, Tsinghua University; the Korea Legislation Research Institute; and University College London.

ICL has regularly held joint symposia in Tokyo and in Beijing with the Institute of Law, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences, since 1993. Following "New Technology and Law" held in Beijing in September 2019, "New Technology and Law II" was scheduled to be held in Tokyo in September 2020, but unfortunately, due to the spread of the new coronavirus infection, it has been postponed to 2021.

In September 2021, the "New Technology and Law II" symposium was conducted online, followed by the "New Technology and Law III" symposium in September 2022, also held online.

Japan-China Joint Symposium “New Technology and Law III”

2022.9.5 (Mon)

From 9:00 to 18:00 (Japan time) on ZOOM Webinar (in Japanese and Chinese ONLY)

Host: Institute of Law, Chinese Academy of Social Science; Waseda University ICL

Co-host: Waseda University Sustainable Technology and Law Institute

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The Institute of Comparative Law has published the results of its research both in print and online.

Comparative Law Review and *Waseda Bulletin of Comparative Law* as well as *Comparative Law Study Series* were issued regularly.

In 2022, *Comparative Law Review*, Vol. 56, No. 1, 2 and 3, and *Waseda Bulletin of Comparative Law*, Vol. 41 (2021) were published.

Additionally, in our *Comparative Law Studies* series, *Comparative Study on Legal Policy Toward a Sustainable Land Use: Germany, China and Japan* was published.

Our online publications, *Topics of Japanese Law*, *Waseda ICL Online Journal* and *Waseda ICL Online Forum* have been routinely issued.

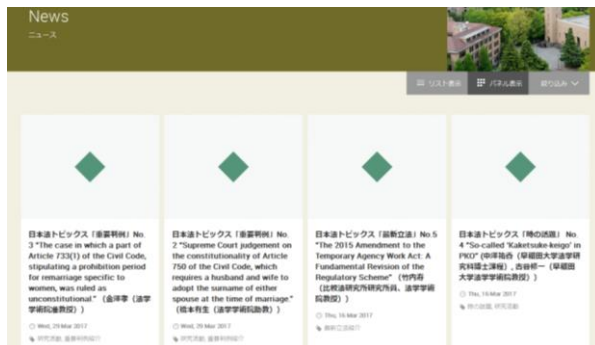
ICL also dispatched newsletters to domestic and overseas researchers 13 times in 2022.



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Comparative Law Studies Series (book publications) [Those marked ★ are out of print]

★	1	Harold Cooke Gutteridge, trans. Yoshio Mizuta, <i>Comparative Law</i> , 1964.
★	2	Teruzo Katsuragi, <i>Igirisu Senpaku Hoken Keiyaku Ron</i> , 1962.
★	3	Masajiro Takigawa, <i>Nijo Jinya Kenkyu: Kuji-yado no Kenkyu</i> , 1962.
★	4	Helmut Rumpf, Ryokichi Arikura and Chigetoshi Takeuchi, <i>Regierungsakte im Rechtsstaat</i> , 1964.
	5	Tatsuo Sato, <i>Igirisu Gyosei Sosyo hou no Kenkyu</i> , 1968.
★	6	Masao Fukushima et. al. (eds.), <i>Ono Azusa's "Kokken Ronkou: Roma Ritsuyou"</i> , 1974.
★	7	Atsushi Saito, <i>LEX XII TABULARUM</i> , 1969.
★	8	Keishiro Irie, <i>Kaihatsu Tojokoku ni okeru Kokuyuka</i> , 1974.
★	9	A.A. Tille trans. Seizo Tadagawa, <i>Socialist Comparative Jurisprudence</i> , 1979.
	10	Karl Petels, trans. Ichiro Uchida, <i>Collection of Articles on Contemporary West German Law of Criminal Procedure</i> , 1980.
	11	Tatsuo Sato, <i>Great Scholars who built up Contemporary German Public Laws</i> , 1982.
	12	trans. Kojiro Nishimura, <i>Controversy on Continuity of Law in China</i> , 1983.
	13	Saburo Kuroki, <i>Study of Comparative Sociology of Law</i> , 1984.
	14	Haruyasu Sugiyama et. al., <i>The Japanese Penal Code Drafts Amended by the Review Board (1877-1879)</i> , 1984.
	15	trans. Teruaki Tayama, <i>Neues Landpachtrecht in der Bundesrepublik Deutschland</i> , 1986
★	16	Allan Wilbur, trans. Ichiro Uchida, <i>Supreme Court of the United States: Guarantee of Due Process of Law</i> , 1986.
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★	18	Haruyasu Sugiyama et. al., <i>Keihou Kaisei Shinsa Iinkai Ketugiroku Keihou Souan</i> , 1989.
	19	Teruo Doi, <i>Intellectual property protection and management: law and practice in Japan</i> , 1992.
	20	Toshiya Yato (ed.), <i>English Law and European Community Law</i> , 1992.
	21	Atsushi Sato, <i>LEX XII TABULARUM</i> (2nd ed.), 1993.
★	22	Stein Ekkehart, trans. Kenji Urata et. al., <i>The German Constitution</i> , 1993
★	23	Volker Jacobi, trans. Teruaki Tayama, <i>Der Geistigbehinderte und sein Recht</i> , Lambertus Verlag, 1996.
	24	Teruo Doi, <i>International business transactions: contract and dispute resolution</i> , 1996.
	25	Hikota Koguchi (ed.), <i>Economic Development and Law in P.R.C.</i> , 1998.
	26	Waseda University Study Group on Civil Procedure (ed.), <i>Theories of Civil Procedure in Europe</i> , 1999..
	27	John Burroughs, trans. Kenji Urata, <i>Legality of Threat or Use of Nuclear Weapons</i> , 2001.
	28	Akira Osuka (ed.), <i>State Legal Intervention and Freedom</i> , 2001.
★	29	Minoru Nomura and Zhang Ling, <i>China's Amended Criminal Law: Annotations</i> . 2002.
	30	Waseda University Institute of Comparative Law (ed.), <i>A Next Stage of Studies of</i>

	<i>Comparative Law: For Theories of Reception of Law and Legal Transplants</i> , 2003.
31	Kenji Urata, <i>Reflections on global constitutionalism: perspectives based on the Constitution of Japan</i> , 2005.
32	Waseda University Institute of Comparative Law (ed.), <i>International Context of Japanese Law: Index of Linkage with the West and Asia</i> , 2006.
33	Waseda University Institute of Comparative Law (ed.), <i>Japanese Law in an International Context: Law in its Origin and Law in its Global Context</i> , 2006.
34	Waseda University Institute of Comparative Law (ed.), <i>Japanese Legal Studies in Comparative and Historical Context: from the Perspective of Comparative Law</i> , 2008.
35	Shin Matsuzawa, <i>The Danish Administration of Justice Act's Historical Context: Its Perspective of Comparative Law</i> , 2008.
36	Shigeo Miyagawa (ed.), <i>The Rehnquist Court and the American Judicial Tradition</i> , 2009.
★ 37	Institute of Comparative Law 50th Anniversary Lecture Series, <i>Comparative Law and Legal Science</i> , 2010.
38	Hans-Joachim Koch (Hrsg.) [Masanori Okada (trans.)], <i>Umweltrecht</i> , 2012.
39	Ulrich Sieber, [Katsunori Kai and Morikazu Taguchi (trans.)] <i>Die Herausforderungen an die Strafrechtswissenschaft im 21. Jahrhundert: Globalisierung, Informationsgesellschaft und Risikogesellschaft</i> , 2012.
40	Shoichi Kidana (ed.), <i>Study on Principles of Private International Law on Intellectual Property: The Joint Proposal by Japan and Korea as a Proposal from East Asia</i> , 2012.
41	Institute of Comparative Law (ed.), <i>Exploring Foreign Laws as a Part of Japanese Law: Comparative Analysis of the Main Codes of Japan</i> , 2014.
42	Katsumi Yoshida and Mathilde Boutonnet (eds.), <i>L'environnement et le contrat: regards croisés franco-japonais</i> .
43	Yoshiki Kurumisawa (ed.), <i>Law and Legal Studies for Sustainable Society</i> , 2016.
44	Deborah L. Rhode [Kyoko Ishida (trans.)], <i>Pro Bono in Principle and in Practice</i> , 2018.
45	Tamio Nakamura (ed.), <i>The Role of Constitutional Principles in the Interpretation and Application of Private Law: A Comparison between Japan and China at the Time of the Codification of the Chinese Civil Code</i> , 2018.
★ 46	Darryl E. Flaherty [Hiroshi Asako (trans.)], <i>Public Law, Private Practice: Politics, Profit, and the Legal Profession in Nineteenth-Century Japan</i> , 2019.
47	James R. Silkenat, James E. Hickey Jr., Peter D. Barenboim [OKADA Masanori, KAMINO Kenji, TAKAHASHI Akio (trans.)], <i>The Legal Doctrines of the Rule of Law and the Legal State (Rechtsstaat)</i>
★ 48	Tamio Nakamura (ed.), <i>Law for Our Sustainable World: Promoting "Law and Sustainability"</i> , 2020.
49	Kazunori Matsumura, Jyunpei Yoshida, <i>Grundriss des schweizerisches Zivilprozessrechts</i> , 2022
50	Motoharu Bun and Yoshiki Kurumisawa, <i>Comparative Study on Legal Policy Toward a Sustainable Land Use: Germany, China and Japan</i> , 2023

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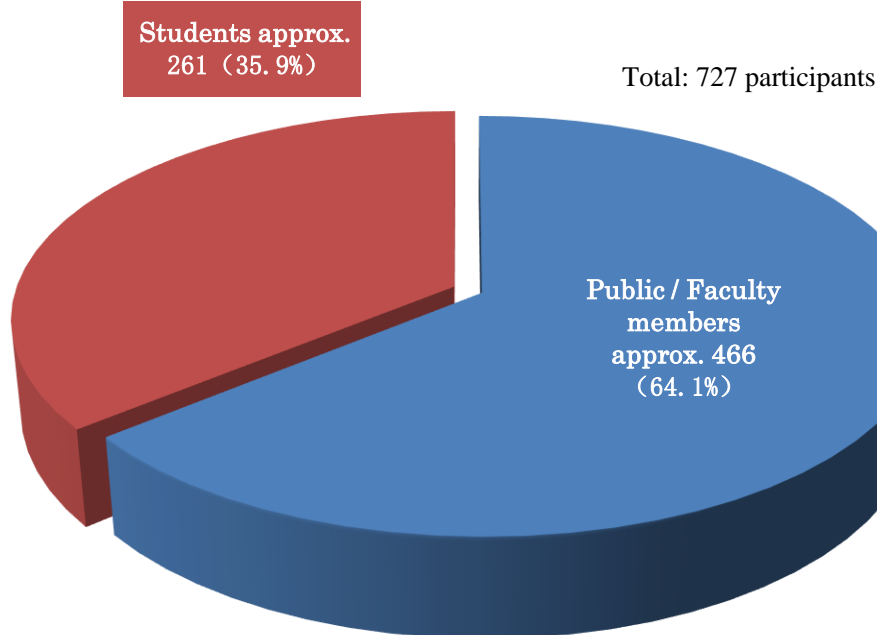
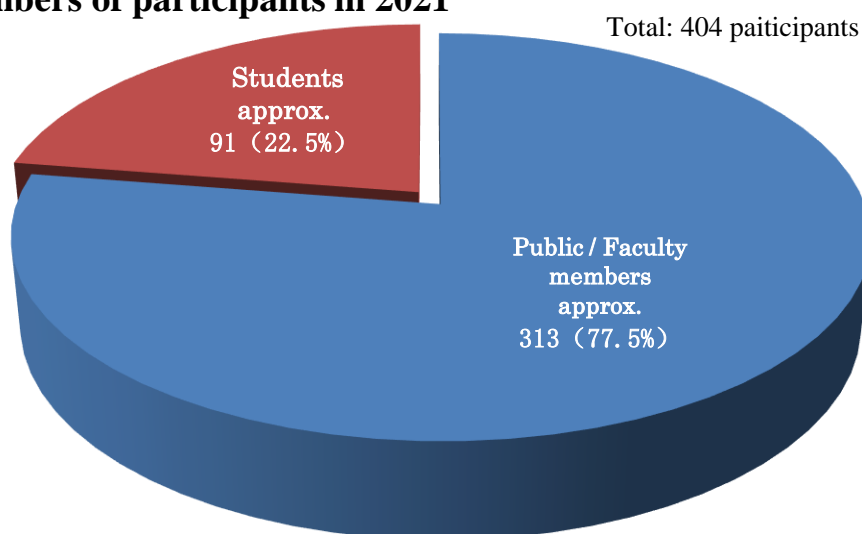
Symposia and Lectures

ICL disseminated the results of its research to relevant researchers, and more widely to students and the general public through symposia and public lectures. ICL continued to deepen its exchanges with interested parties both within and outside Waseda University.

In the first quarter of 2022, it was difficult for us to organize in-person public lectures due to the spread of COVID-19 infection. However, it soon normalized, and we were able to hold many public lectures and symposia. In 2022, ICL organized four public lectures, five symposia, three ICL seminars, and one international conference. These were attended by as many as 1,000 people. We will continue to work vigorously in the coming years.

*: The statistics includes only part of the symposia that we were able to determine the attendees. The actual participants number could be higher.

Symposia and study seminar: numbers of participants in 2021



Public lectures: 2022 numbers of participants

(1) Open Lectures (4 times in total)

2022 June	<p>"Freezing, Seizing, Attachment, Confiscation - The Enforcement of Sanctions against Russian Emerging Oligarchs and the Challenge to the Rule of Law"</p> <p>Speaker: Arndt Sinn (Professor at the Faculty of Law, University of Osnabrück)</p> <p>2022.6.17 (Fri) 18:15-19:45</p> <p>Room 303, Building 8, Waseda Campus</p> <p>Coordinator: Yuki Nakamichi</p> <p>Interpreter: Hayato Sogo</p>
October	<p>"Implementation of the Istanbul Convention in Europe and Germany"</p> <p>Speaker: Ina Holznagel, Minister of Justice of the State of North Rhine-Westphalia, Germany</p> <p>2022.10.31 (Mon) 10:40-12:10</p> <p>Room 203, Building 3, Waseda Campus</p> <p>Languages: English and Japanese (with simultaneous interpretation)</p> <p>Moderator: Christoph Rademacher</p> <p>Commentators: Tamio Nakamura and Shuichi Furuya</p>
March	<p>"Normbegründung und Zurechnung – Grundlagen eines restriktiven Tatbegriffs"</p> <p>Lecturer: Joachim Renzikowski (Professor, Martin-Luther Universität Halle-Wittenberg)</p> <p>2023.3.6 (Mon) 16:00 to 18:00 (Japan Time)</p> <p>Room 303, 8th building, Waseda Campus</p> <p>Organizer and Translator: Yuki Nakamichi (ICL Research Staff, Professor, Waseda University)</p> <p>Host: Institute of Comparative Law, Waseda University</p> <p>German with Japanese translation.</p> <p>"Potenziale des Strafverfassungsrechts"</p> <p>Speaker: Christoph Burchard (Professor, University of Frankfurt)</p> <p>2023.3.14 (Tue) 16:00-18:00</p> <p>Room 602, Building 3, Waseda Campus</p> <p>Coordinator/Interpreter: Yuki Nakamichi</p> <p>Language: German (with Japanese interpretation)</p> <p>Host: Waseda University Institute for Advanced Social Sciences</p> <p>Co-host: Waseda University Institute of Comparative Law</p>

(2) International Symposia (5 times in total)

2022
June

"Artificial Intelligence and Law –Chances and Risks–"

Date: Friday, 10 June 2022, 9:30 to 17:10 (Japan Time)

Venue: Ono Auditorium, Waseda University (B2F, Building 27, Waseda Campus). Scheduled for Simultaneous online distribution.

Language: German and Japanese (simultaneous translation)

Host: Deutsch-Japanische Juristenvereinigung e.V. (DJJV)

Co-host: Japanisch-Deutsches Zentrum Berlin. Research Center for the Legal System of intellectual Property (RCLIP), Waseda University. Institute of Comparative Law, Waseda University

September

"Agricultural Policy and Legal Instruments for a Sustainable Agricultural Land Use in Germany and Japan"

Date: 10 September 2022, 10:00 to 17:00 (Japan Time)

Venue: B107, Building 8, Waseda Campus, Waseda University

Language: Japanese and German (translation available)

Host: JSPS18H00793. Institut für Landwirtschaftsrecht, Georg-August-Universität Göttingen.

Co-host: Institute of Comparative Law, Waseda University. School of Law, Waseda University.

Explaining the Purpose of the Symposium / Prof. Yoshiki Kurumisawa

Subsidies as a Public Instrument for Sustainable Agricultural Land Use: The Case of the Common European Agricultural Policy / Anna-Lena Poppe, Researcher, Institute of Agricultural Law, University of Goettingen

Aims and Challenges of the "みどりの食料システム戦略(Green Food System)" in Japan / Prof. Mitsuyoshi Ando (University of Tokyo)

Legal Regulations for Land Transactions and Share Deals / Prof. Anna Kiermeier, Attorney at Law, Institute of Agricultural Law, University of Goettingen

Land Law Policy for Sustainable Agricultural Land Use in Germany / Prof. Dr. Jose Martinez, Director, Institute of Agricultural Law, University of Goettingen

Land Law Policy for Sustainable Agricultural Land Use in Japan / Prof. Yoshiki Kurumisawa (Waseda University)

2022.9.5 (Mon)

From 9:00 to 18:00 (Japan time) on ZOOM Webinar (in Japanese and Chinese ONLY)

Host: Institute of Law, Chinese Academy of Social Science; Waseda University ICL

Co-host: Waseda University Sustainable Technology and Law Institute

Program:

Opening speech 9:00-9:20

MO Jihong (Director, Institute of Law, CASS)

OKADA Masanori (Director, Waseda University ICL)

Session 1, “Copyright Law in the Digital Economy” 9:20-10:50

UENO Tatsuhiro (Faculty of Law, Waseda University)

GUAN Yuying (Institute of Law, CASS)

Comment by ZHANG Peng (Institute of Law, CASS)

Session 2, “Legal Regulation of Internet Medical” 11:00-12:30

ZHOU Hui (Institute of Law, CASS)

YAMAGUCHI Nariaki (Faculty of Law, Waseda University)

Comment by KOEZUKA Tadao (Faculty of Law, Waseda University)

Session 3, “Internet Finance and Law” 14:30-16:00

CHEN Jie (Institute of Law, CASS)

KURONUMA Etsuro (Faculty of Law, Waseda University)

Comment by ZHAO Lei (Institute of Law, CASS)

Session 4, “Labor Law Protection of Platform Workers” 16:10-17:40

KOYAMA Takaharu (Oita University)

WANG Tianyu (Institute of Law, CASS)

Comment by OHASHI Asaya (Faculty of Law, Waseda University)

Closing Remarks 17:40-18:00

OHASHI Asaya (Vice Director, Waseda University ICL)

CHEN Guoping (Vice Director, Institute of Law, CASS)

October “Digital Platforms in French Law”

2022.10.25 (Tue)

From 14:30 to 19:30 (Japan Time) at B104, 26th building, Waseda Campus

Organizer: YAMASHIRO, Kazumasa (Research Staff; Professor, Faculty of Law, Waseda University)

Host: Sustainable Technology and Law Institute, Comprehensive Research Organization, Waseda University

Co-host: Waseda University ICL

This lecture is held in French with translation.

Session 1

"Responsibility of Digital Platforms" Nathalie Blanc (Université Paris 13 Nord)

"Digital Platforms and Environmental Law" Mustapha Mekki (Université Paris 1)

"Digital Platforms and Consumer Law" Claire-Marie Pégion (Université Paris 2)

Session 2

"Dispute Resolution Platforms" Soraya Amrani Mekki (Université Paris 10)

"Applicable Law for Digital Platforms" Bernard Haftel (Université Paris 13 Nord)

2023 March	"Possibilities of Interdisciplinary Education in the Waseda University Faculty of Law's 'Advanced Science and Technology and Law' Course"
	Date and Time: March 4, 2023 (Saturday) 13:00-16:00
	Venue: B104, Building 26, Waseda Campus
	Format: Hybrid event with in-person and live-streamed sessions
	Host: Waseda University Faculty of Law
	Co-host: Institute of Comparative Law, Waseda University. Institute for Advanced Technology and Ethics, Waseda University. Research Institute for Science and Engineering, Waseda University. AI and Robotics Research Institute, Waseda University.
	Opening Remarks: Tatsuhisa Tamura
	Explanation of Purpose: Takashi Kanazawa
	Part 1: Possibilities of Interdisciplinary Education between Law and Science and Technology at Waseda University
	Keynote Lecture: "Possibilities of Interdisciplinary Education from the Perspective of Science and Technology" by Tetsuya Ogata
	General Lecture: "Possibilities of Interdisciplinary Education from the Perspective of Law" by Tatsuhisa Tamura
	Dialogue: "Passionate Discussion on the Possibilities of Interdisciplinary Education between Law and Science and Technology" by Tetsuya Ogata and Tatsuhisa Tamura (Moderator: Mikiko Shimaoka)
	Part 2: Reports and Other Updates from Students in the "Advanced Science and Technology and Law" Course for the 2022 Academic Year
	Educational Philosophy of the "Advanced Science and Technology and Law" Course by Tadao Koezuka
	Learning Experiences of Students (Moderator: Mitsuki Hirai)
	(1) Medical Issues and Online Healthcare in Awashima, Mitoyo-shi, Kagawa Prefecture
	(2) Various Issues Surrounding Social Media
	Developments for the 2023 Academic Year
	(1) Introduction of New Appointed Faculty Members and Newly Offered Courses for the New Academic Year
	(2) On the Occasion of the Launch of the Donated Course "Metaverse and Law" by Hiroshi Arakawa
	Closing Remarks: Masanori Okada

(3) ICL Study Seminar (3 times in total)

2022 June	"Exploring the Realm of Advanced Science and Technology through Case Studies from Germany and Switzerland"
	Lecturer: Yusuke Takaoka
	2022.6.2 (Thu) 16:30 to 18:00 (Japan Time) on Zoom
July	Host: Institute of Comparative Law, Waseda University. Graduate School of Law, Waseda University.
	"The Use and Protection of Medical Information in France - The Emergence of Digital Tools and the Right to Respect for Private Life"
	Lecturer: Miyako Tsukabayashi

	2022.7.7 (Thu) 16:30 to 18:00 (Japan Time) on Zoom Host: Institute of Comparative Law, Waseda University. Graduate School of Law, Waseda University.
November	"How to Write an Academic Paper in English" Lecturer: Glenn Stockwell 2022.11.17 (Thu) 16:30 to 18:00 (Japan Time) on Zoom Host: Institute of Comparative Law, Waseda University. Graduate School of Law, Waseda University.

(4) Global Conference (once)

2023 March	<p>"Global Crisis and Global Legal Ordering"</p> <p>Held in a hybrid format (Japan International Dispute Resolution Center, JIDRC)</p> <p>All speakers will be attending in-person unless otherwise stated.</p> <p>Jointly organized by The Institute of Comparative Law at Waseda University, JSPS Study Group on 'Global Constitutionalism' at Waseda University (JSPS 18H03617) with assistance from JSPS Core-to-Core Program on 'Asian Constitutionalism' at Nagoya University (JPJSCCB-20190002), JSPS Study Group on Reconstruction of domestic constitutional order in the age of Globalization (JSPS MKK255H-2) at Keio University, JSPS Study Group on a plural, non-hierarchical and circulatory system for human rights protection (JSPS 18H03616) at Meiji University, and JSPS Study Group on Judicial Dialogue (JSPS 19H01415) at the University of Tokyo.</p> <p>Day 1: 1 March 2023</p> <p>3:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m. Introduction</p> <p>Welcome by Masanori Okada, Director of the Institute of Comparative Law</p> <p>3:30 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. First Session: The War in Ukraine and Global Legal Ordering</p> <p>(Chairpersons) Dimitri Vanoverbeke (The University of Tokyo, Japan), Takao Suami (Waseda University, Japan)</p> <p>Julia Kapelańska-Pręgowska (Nicolaus Copernicus University, Poland) and Tetyana Antsupova (Supreme Court of Ukraine, Ukraine), United Nations as the promoter of peace, justice, and human rights, Is UNSC still fit for the purpose? (online)</p> <p>Patryk I. Labuda (University of Zürich, Swiss), The War in Ukraine, International Law, and an Emerging Regional Ordering of Security</p> <p>Mattias Kumm (WZB/Humboldt, Germany, and New York University, USA), Prerogative power and great power competition in international law (online)</p> <p>Aiko Nakai (Osaka Metropolitan University, Japan), Is Current Global Legal Order Fair?: Legitimacy Crisis of Today, Power Politics in the Past</p> <p>Anna Dolidze (Rabdan Academy, UAE), Estrangement, Silent Reception and Empowerment: Explaining Russia's Approach to International Law</p> <p>Marek Jan Wasiński (University of Lodz, Poland), The Glass Bead Game: How International Lawyers Unleashed the Ukraine War</p>
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7:00 p.m. – 9:30 p.m. Second Session: State-hood, domestic constitutionalism, and democracy facing the Global Crisis

(Chairpersons) Hajime Yamamoto (Keio University, Japan) and Tomoaki Kurishima (Saitama University, Japan)

Mohammad Shahabuddin (University of Birmingham, UK), International Law and the Postcolonial State

Vlad Perju (Boston College Law School, USA), Transnational Constitutional Norms

Tamar Hostovsky Brandes (Ono Academic College, Israel), Global Constitutionalism from Below: Domestic Constitutionals and Transnational Commitments

Andrei Medushevskiy (National Research University, Russia) and Aziz Ismatov (Nagoya University, Japan), Legal Ordering in Central Asia: Strategies of Maneuvering between Global and National Priorities

Yaniv Roznai (Harry Radzyner Law School, Israel) and Amichai Cohen, Post-populist Populism (Israel)

Leigha Crout (King's College London, UK), Constitutional Vitalization: Theories of Constituent Power in Autocratic States

(Discussant) Yaniv Roznai (Harry Radzyner Law School, Israel)

Day 2: 2 March 2023

2:30 p.m. – 5:30 p.m. Third Session: Dialogue and Cooperation between International and National Constitutionalism for Human Rights and Climate Change

(Chairpersons) Akiko Ejima (Meiji University, Japan) and Yota Negishi (Seinan Gakuin University, Japan)

Polina Inozemtseva (Free University of Moscow, Russia), The European Court of Human Rights in the light of authoritarian turn in Russia: two decades of collaboration and conflict

Simone Pitto (University of Genoa, Italy), The “universal constitutionalization” of the food security and the *vis expansiva* of international law (online)

Rodrigo Castillo Jofré (Universidad de Las Americas, Chile) and Amaya Álvarez Marin (Universidad de Concepción, Chile), Global constitutionalism of the environment and the commons in Latin America

Robin Ramcharan (Mahidol University International College and Asia Centre, Thailand), International Law and National Human Rights Protection System in Asia

Fabian Duessel (Constitutional Court of Korea, Republic of Korea), Fostering joint research between Asian constitutional courts: Global constitutionalism in practice?

Yifan Jia (Kong's College London, UK), How do Magnitsky Sanctions Influence Global Human Rights Governance?

Akiko Ejima (Meiji University, Japan), Circulatory (global?) constitutionalism enabling every individual to access the human rights protection system

(Discussant) Anne Peters (Max Plank Institute for Comparative Public Law and International Law, Germany) (online)

6:15 p.m. – 9:15 p.m. Fourth Session: Future of Global Legal Ordering

(Chairpersons) Kaoru Obata (Nagoya University, Japan) and Keisuke Kondo (Kyoto University, Japan)

Prof. Dr. iur. Dr. rer. pol. h.c. Carl Baudenbacher (Partner Baudenbacher Law, Zurich/Brussels; Door Tenant

Monckton Chambers, London; Visiting Professor LSE; Former President of the EFTA Court),
Dejudicialisation of International (and National) Law? (online)

Obiora C. Okafor (John Hopkins University, USA), Africa in the Future of International Law and Order: A
TWAIL Perspective

Marina Aksenova (IE University, Spain), Global Citizenship and the Right of Access to Justice

Carlos Arturo Villagrán Sandoval (Universidad Rafael Landívar, Guatemala), Challenges of an
International/Supranational Constitutional Court: Global Lessons from the Central American Court of
Justice

Qingxiu Bu (University of Sussex, UK), Pluralism vis-à-vis Exceptionalism: Reassessing the Beijing Model
in the Constitutionalised Global Governance

Patrizia Hobbs (Brunel University, UK), Reconceptualising the principle of equality in the international legal
order (UK) (online)

Nikolas M. Rajkovic (Tilburg University, The Netherlands), Don't Look [Down]!, International Law and its
Worn Geopoetry

(Discussant) Hans Lindahl (Tilburg University, The Netherlands) (online)

9:15 p.m. – 10:00 p.m. Closing remarks & Reception

Venue:

The Japan International Dispute Resolution Center (JIDRC)

105-6405 Toranomon Hills Business Tower 5 Floor, 1-17-1 Toranomon, Minato-ku, Tokyo,
Japan

※For the prevention of the spread of the new coronavirus infection, we postponed all the open lectures, interdisciplinary events and thematic seminars.

Implementation of student-targeted programs

The ICL has been working to promote academic exchanges with some non-legal academic fields, collaboration with the school of law, graduate school of law and law school, and strengthening collaboration with other affiliated and external institutions. From the year 2021, we took a step further and introduced “ICL Study Seminar”, which will target Waseda students (including undergraduate and graduate students), with the aim of broadening their understanding of foreign legal cultures.

Aiming to introduce the research findings of the ICL to students, these seminars are not as specialized as the open lectures and open seminars intended for researchers. In fact, through the ICL Study Seminar, we wish to convey knowledge on foreign law to students in an easy-to-understand manner from a variety of perspectives.

Specifically, the seminars are planned to be held 2-3 times a year, covering contents such as introduction of foreign legal culture, including experiences of overseas activities such as study abroad and attending international conferences, to help students planning to study overseas or to proceed to graduate school.

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Research on Civil Procedure in Foreign

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Change and Development of the Constitutional Law toward the 21st Century

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Analysis of the Latest Trend of the French Law for the Purpose of Making a Database

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Comparative Studies of Intellectual Property Law and International Trade Law

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Studies in Anglo-American Criminal Law	
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Comparative Study of Asian Constitutional Law	
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Kumamoto Gakuen University	MORIGUCHI, Chihiro
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The University of Tokyo	SHISHIDO, George
Taiwan Asia University	SUNG, Ming-His
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Guangzhou University	WEN, Zhiqiang
Wuhan University	XIONG, Qi
China University of Political Science and Law	ZHAO, Yidan
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Kokushikan University	YOSHIKAI, Taichi
Comparative Legal Research on Economic Administrative Law and Theory	
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Study on Scandinavian Law	
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