

Admission 2008

LL.M. (Comparative Law) & LL.D. (Comparative Law)
Program in Law and Political Science
for International Students

Graduate School of Law (GSL)
Nagoya University
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Greeting to Applicants

It is a pleasure for us to announce the Comparative Law Programs in Law and Political Science for international students at the Nagoya University Graduate School of Law (GSL) for the academic year of 2008.

We are living today in a society driven by market exchange, with increasing levels of cross-border interaction. Legal and political skills are essential to the successful management of affairs in such a society, because frictions inevitably do emerge, and these manifest themselves as legal and political conflicts. In the interest of peace and prosperity, it is a grave duty for any faculty of law or politics to contribute to the education of specialists in these areas.

As a leading center of legal and political study in Japan, the Graduate School of Law at Nagoya University provides graduate programs for international students: the LL.M. (Comparative Law) Program in Law and Political Science and the LL.D (Comparative Law) Program in Law and Political Science with a

view to fulfilling our educational and research mission. In these programs, both class teaching and the required thesis are in English, with a wealth of curricular and extra-curricular support within the Faculty and the University. Through the individual guidance of a supervisor, each student can immerse themselves in the joys of learning, whilst building strong bonds with fellow students from many other nations. In this way we seek to provide the conditions for our students to reach their full potential. Each year, overseas students who join our programs enrich us further by bringing with them the immediate experience of their countries of origin. It is our sincere desire that the environment of our school will permit all of our members to reach their fullest potential as researchers, and that our graduates achieve commensurate success in their careers.

We look forward to welcoming successful applicants to this program, and hope that it opens the door to a bright future through the Nagoya University Graduate School of Law.

Objective

As a number of Asian countries have undertaken to make the transition to a market economy, as well as to become constitutional, democratic nation-states, they are in urgent need of adjustments to their legal and political system to effect and accommodate these changes. The Nagoya University Graduate School of Law has accordingly strengthened its commitment to academic and research work relating to legal and political reform and legal training, to provide expertise in building the legal and political systems of selected Asian countries in cooperation with the Japanese Ministry of Foreign Affairs, the Japanese Ministry of Justice, and the Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA).

Our primary objective is the long-term development of human resources. To that end, the Nagoya University Graduate School of Law has established Comparative Law Programs, mentioned above. These programs aim providing training to those person-

nel faced with the difficult task of building institutions necessary to the transition to a market-oriented model of government and regulation, a democratic system of politics, and a civil society governed by the rule of law. These programs, taught in English are directed towards persons mainly in the Asia-Pacific region who will be engaged in the reform of their domestic legal and political systems, or who will educate students and civil service staff in the field of law and political science. These programs closely related to legal technical assistance projects administered through our School, will provide a variety of opportunities to communicate worldwide, and to network with domestic and overseas partner institutions. Additionally, they will benefit students to access information relevant to their studies in this worldwide environment.

LL.M. (Comparative Law) Program in Law and Political Science

Goals

The aims of the program leading to the degree of Master of Laws (Comparative Law) are the following:

- To lead students to acquire a balanced fundamental knowledge in the fields of law and politics;
- To improve basic skills of argumentation and negotiation

through experience within the program;

- To lead students to discover, explore, and cultivate specialization; and
- To provide training in basic research skills.

Features

The distinctive features of this program are the following:

- Provision of a variety of course options from which students may choose;

- Focused instruction in research methods and academic writing, through a suite of Academic Writing courses that run the length of the program in support of the thesis writing

- process; and
- Individual and specialized tutorials with supervisory professors

◆ Program of Instruction

Duration of the Program is at least two years. Students spend the first six months in the course studying Japanese language on an intensive basis at the Nagoya University's Education Center for International Students (ECIS), after being matched with a faculty advisor. During this period, students also consult with their advisor regularly to refine their research topic.

After the concentrated Japanese study, students begin their

in the subject area of each candidate, in close coordination with the academic writing courses referred to above.

legal studies in earnest. Students are required to attend a selection of courses conducted in lecture and seminar format in the English language which are connected to the Program and write a master's thesis over a period of two years.

* Students with adequate Japanese language ability can directly begin their legal studies without intensive Japanese studies.

◆ Requirements of Obtaining the Degree of Master of Laws (Comparative Law)

In order to obtain the degree of Master of Laws (Comparative Law), students are required; (1) to be enrolled in the Graduate School for two years, (2) to earn a minimum of 30 credits, including 10 credits from compulsory courses – Academic Writing I and Special Research I & II – and 12 credits from courses offered in the Program, (3) write a master's thesis, and (4) pass an oral defense of the thesis. Students' research, submitted as a master's thesis, will be carried out under supervision of a designated faculty member for two years. Special Research I and Special Research II – which represent supervised work

toward the preparation of the thesis – are each worth four credits. Completion of Special Research I requires regular consultation with the student's supervisor, and submission of a midterm research report at the end of the first year. Special Research II requires submission of the Master's thesis at the end of the second year. Students with adequate language ability can supplement the course offerings of the program from courses offered in the Japanese language on the LL.M. (Modern Law) Program of our Graduate School.

◆ Language

As courses and supervising are conducted mainly in English, competence in the English language is essential. Students are also strongly encouraged to build skills in spoken and written Japanese both before and after coming to Japan, as is the most common medium of expression in both academic studies and everyday life. Furthermore, discussions concerning subjects such as politics and law are difficult when student and instructor are expressing themselves outside their native language. We stress therefore the importance in students' attendance at the intensive

Japanese training course during the first six months.

Students who proceed to study toward a doctorate will prepare their thesis in English. However, in the nature of research at the doctoral level, they will need to demonstrate in their research a command of the Japanese language for research purposes. Students intent on pursuing study toward a doctorate are therefore strongly encouraged to dedicate themselves to improving their Japanese language skills.

◆ Academic Year

The 2008 Academic Year is divided into the spring term which begins in April 2009 and the autumn term which begins

in October 2009.

◆ Admission Procedures

The total number of openings in the Master's programs at our Graduate School in each year is 35. Applicants are expected to be those who intend to pursue careers within government ministries or in academic institutions as researchers in the fields of law and political science. The Nagoya University Graduate School of

Law will screen candidates on the basis of submitted application documents, in some cases supplemented by an interview.

Application materials are downloadable from the GSL website: <http://gsl-nagoya-u.net>.

◆ Advice to Applicants

Along with attendance in courses offered in the English curriculum, students are required to possess the discipline and dedication necessary to carry through with a single research plan over a two year period and to complete a master's thesis. For this reason, applicants should consider carefully their intended topic of research. Applications which present a workable and concrete research topic, show awareness and understanding of the

relevant materials and set forth a careful plan for proceeding to completion will be given preference. Admission is also premised on the availability of a faculty supervisor with expertise in the applicant's chosen field of research. Applicants are therefore encouraged to review the fields of specialty of individual faculty members. (See the GSL website.)

Courses taught through English offered in the LL.M. (Comparative Law) Program for International Students for the academic year of 2007

Course subject	Course title	Credit	Instructor (professor)	Course format	Student cohort/ Term offered
ACADEMIC WRITING I [Compulsory]	Legal research and writing I	2	Matsura Yoshiharu	Lecture	M1&M2 / 1st semester
ACADEMIC WRITING II	Legal research and writing II	2	Frank Bennett	Lecture	M1 / 2nd semester
ACADEMIC WRITING III	Legal research and writing III	2	Frank Bennett	Lecture	M2 / 1st semester
PROFESSIONAL STUDIES IN CONTEMPORARY LEGAL DISCIPLINES	Politics and Law in Japan	2	Frank Bennett	Lecture	M1&M2 / One-year course (every two weeks)
COMPARATIVE STUDIES IN JURISPRUDENCE	The Law and its Personnel	2	Morigiwa Yasutomo	Lecture	M1&M2 / 1st semester
COMPARATIVE STUDIES IN CONSTITUTIONAL LAW	Outline of Modern Constitution	2	Moto Hidenori	Lecture	M1&M2 / 1st semester
COMPARATIVE STUDIES IN ADMINISTRATIVE LAW	Modern Administrative Law	2	Ichihashi Katsuya	Lecture	M1&M2 / 2nd semester
PROFESSIONAL STUDIES IN INTERNATIONAL LAW	Introduction to International Law	2	Yamagata Hideo (*GSID)	Lecture	M1&M2 / 1st semester
PROFESSIONAL STUDIES IN INTERNATIONAL HUMAN RIGHTS LAW I	Development and Issues on Law on International Human Rights – the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights	2	Ando Nisuke (Honorable Professor of Kyoto University)	Lecture	M1&M2 / An intensive lecture
PROFESSIONAL STUDIES IN INTERNATIONAL HUMAN RIGHTS LAW II	Seminar on Human Rights and Refugee Law	2	Obata Kaoru	Seminar	M1&M2 / 2nd semester
PROFESSIONAL STUDIES IN INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC LAW I	Studies in Law on WTO	2	Kawashima Fujio (GSID)	Lecture	M1&M2 / 1st semester
PROFESSIONAL STUDIES IN INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC LAW II	Problems of the WTO Legal System	2	Mizushima Tomonori (GSID)	Seminar	M1&M2 / 2nd semester
COMPARATIVE STUDIES IN CIVIL LAW I	Contract Law	2	Kagayama Shigeru (Professor of Meiji-gakuin Univ)	Lecture	M1&M2 / 1st semester / Biennial opening of a course
COMPARATIVE STUDIES IN CIVIL LAW II	Comparative Considerations of Tort Law	2	Kagayama Shigeru (Professor of Meiji-gakuin Univ)		M1&M2 / 1st semester / Biennial opening of a course / Not Open for 2007
COMPARATIVE STUDIES IN CRIMINAL LAW	Development of national criminal law under the influence of foreign and international law	2	Takayama Kanako (Professor of Kyoto Univ)	Lecture	M1 / An intensive lecture
COMPARATIVE STUDIES IN JUDICIAL SYSTEM	Introduction to the Civil Justice System	2	Kawano Masanori	Lecture	M1&M2 / 2nd semester
COMPARATIVE STUDIES IN BUSINESS LAW I	Corporate Law I	2	Ueda Jyunko (Professor of Sugiyama Jyogakuen)		M1&M2 / 1st semester / Biennial opening of a course / Not Open for 2007
COMPARATIVE STUDIES IN BUSINESS LAW II	Corporate Law II	2	Ueda Jyunko (Professor of Shizuoka University)	Lecture	M1&M2 / 1st semester / Biennial opening of a course
COMPARATIVE STUDIES IN POLITICS I	Modernization of Japan	2	Masuda Tomoko	Lecture	M1&M2 / 1st semester
COMPARATIVE STUDIES IN POLITICS II	Japanese Diplomacy and International Politics	2	Sadakata Mamoru	Lecture	M1&M2 / 2nd semester
COMPARATIVE STUDIES IN PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION	Comparative public administration	2		Lecture	M1&M2 / Not open for 2007
COMPARATIVE STUDIES IN POLITICAL THOUGHT	Political Theory of Modern Europe	2	Isobe Takashi	Lecture	M1&M2 / 2nd semester
SPECIAL RESEARCH I [Compulsory]	Tutorials	4	Each supervisor (main advisor)	Lecture	M1 / One-year
SPECIAL RESEARCH II	Tutorials	4	Each supervisor (main advisor)	Lecture	M2 / One-year
SPECIAL LECTURE AND SEMINAR III (BUSINESS LAW AND PRACTICES)	Corporate Legal Practices	2	Mr. Tanaka, manager of legal division of TMC, Ms. Shibata from Aishin Seiki Corporation (TOYOTA Group Legal Meeting)	Lecture / Seminar / Practice	M1&M2 / 2nd semester
SPECIAL LECTURE AND SEMINAR	Workshop on International Negotiation	2	Frank Bennett	Lecture / Seminar / Practice	M1&M2 / 1st semester
SPECIAL LECTURE AND SEMINAR	YOMIURI SHIMBUN Special Lecture – Comparative Asian Corporate theory –	2	Assoc Professor Yoshimasa Tomohiro and reporters for Yomiuri Shimbun Tokyo main office	Lecture	M1&M2 / 2nd semester
SPECIAL LECTURE AND SEMINAR	Japanese Judicial Institutions	2	Mr. Ogawa Akitsuyu, Attorney from Aichi Bar Association	Lecture / Seminar / Study trip	M1 / 2nd semester
SPECIAL LECTURE AND SEMINAR	Legal and Business Ethics in Developing Countries	2	Morigiwa Yasutomo	Lecture	M1&M2 / 2st semester
SPECIAL LECTURE AND SEMINAR	Peer Support Initiative (Comparative Law and Politics Seminars I)	2	Supervising teachers: Each member of teaching staff	Seminar	M1 / 2nd semester
SPECIAL LECTURE AND SEMINAR	Peer Support Initiative (Comparative Law and Politics Seminars II)	2	Supervising teachers: Each member of teaching staff	Seminar	M1&M2 / 1st semester
SPECIAL LECTURE AND SEMINAR	Peer Support Initiative (Comparative Law and Politics Seminars III)	1	Supervising teachers: Each member of teaching staff	Seminar	* The schedule of the above intensive courses will be notified later on the bulletin board.
Studies in Environmental Policy	International Environmental Corporation	4	Kato Hisakazu	Lecture	one-year course
Seminar on International Environmental Law	International Environmental Law	4	Kato Hisakazu	Seminar	one-year course

Note:

* GSID indicates 'Graduate School of International Development' of Nagoya University

* An academic year of 2007 runs from April 1, 2007 through March 31, 2008.

* 1st Semester runs from April 1 through September 30.

* 2nd Semester runs from October 1 through March 31 of the following year.

* One course for two credits holds 15 classes (90 minutes each).

* One intensive course holds 15 classes (90 minutes per class) for 3-4 days.

*For the outline of each course listed above, please visit the website of GSL: <http://gsl-nagoya-u.net/>

LL.D. (Comparative Law) Program in Law and Political Science

◆ Prerequisites to the Program

This LL.D. (Comparative Law) Program offers a path for further study to students who excel in the LL.M. (Comparative Law) Program at this institution. However, in keeping with the overriding objective of providing opportunities for academic and practical research across the fields of law and politics, especially in the field of law reform, social planning and cooperative "Asian Legal Assistance" (that is, international cooperation in connection with legal and political systems undergoing transi-

tion from socialist and authoritarian systems) in a wide sense of meaning, applications to the program are open to both domestic and overseas applicants who have demonstrated exceptional performance in their studies toward the Masters' degree and whose research purpose meets the program objective of making a contribution towards decisions and discoveries regarding practical and theoretical issues in the field of the Asian Legal Assistance, mentioned above.

◆ Goals

The goals of this program are the following:

- Learning further specialized legal and political studies, as appropriate to the candidate's research objective;
- Pursuit of an advanced specialized topic of study;
- Engendering a sound awareness of the operation of the

- Japanese legal and political systems;
- Fostering of practical research management skills; and
- Laying the foundation for future partnerships in legal research and legal technical assistance.

◆ Features

The distinguishing features of the program are the following:

- Training in research methods through an Advanced Academic Writing seminar, focused on the skills required for independent research and publication;
- Independent Research Under Mentor: Individual and specialized tutorials with supervisory staff, in the subject area of each candidate, in close coordination with the Advanced Academic Writing seminar referred to above;
- Critical Discussion Sessions: It is a basic principle of study at the doctoral level that candidates must go beyond the precise delivery of their own conclusions, however correct, and develop the ability to appraise and glean from the research of others. Doctoral candidates will be expected to exercise these skills in regular classes and research seminars;
- Research Management Skills Training Program: Training in the essential processes of research management - develop-

ment of an overall ability to carry out a continuous informative research system through managing research projects from the planning to the evaluation stage, that is, setting a research objective, collecting and managing the funds necessary to support its realization, and the final production of published results. These skills must be learned thoroughly during the program, with a view to enhancing the research environment in the candidate's country of origin; and

- Internship/Apprenticeship Program: Toward a more thorough understanding of the Japanese legal and political systems, candidates will have an opportunity to experience Japanese private and public administration first-hand to acquire an active and realistic understanding of the system through internship arrangements. As necessary, candidates will be expected to conduct fieldwork in Japan and overseas. Support will be provided for this purpose to the extent possible.

◆ Requirements for obtaining a Degree of Doctor of Laws (Comparative Law)

In order to complete the doctoral program and obtain a doctorate, a student (1) must have spent three years or more on the doctoral program; (2) must submit a dissertation upon completion of required research under the supervision of academic advisors; and (3) must pass an investigation and examination of the submitted thesis. However, those deemed to have completed research of exceptional quality may be awarded the doctorate after at least one year of enrollment.

Submission of the dissertation* requires completing the Research Management Program. Participation in the Critical

Discussion Sessions along with regular meetings with the academic advisor is a condition for the submission of the dissertation. Participating in the Internship Program is strongly recommended.

* Graduate students who are seeking to obtain a doctorate should on their own initiative have a conscious aim and plan to this end. To guide and help students to carry out their research, the faculty has established a Doctoral Thesis Writing Program. Graduate students must, under the direction of their senior tutor, progress according to this program in parallel with their thesis research.

◆ Admission Procedures

Openings:

The total number of openings in the LL.D. (Comparative Law) Program in each year is around five: Applicants are expected to pursue careers within government ministries or in academic institutions as researchers in law and political science.

Requirements and Selection:

The Nagoya University Graduate School of Law will screen candidates on the basis of submitted master's thesis (in the case of applicants who are finalists in a Masters program, the draft thesis will be accepted for this purpose), documents including proposed

program for dissertation and references from the president or dean of applicants' last schools or supervisors who know the applicant well in his/her academic activities and by an interview which will be conducted based on the master's thesis. As supervision is conducted mainly in English, competence in the English language is essential, proof of the English language proficiency are requisite for application. Finally, as Japanese reading ability is important in study toward the LL.D. (Comparative) Degree, the Faculty may require, for reference, proof of the applicant's Japanese language ability.

Guidance Notes for Applicants

Application information on the Programs:

This booklet provides general information on the LL.M. (Comparative Law) Program in Law and Political Science and LL.D. (Comparative Law) Program in Law and Political Science at the Nagoya University Graduate School of Law. Application information on the Programs can be obtained from the Admission Office of the Graduate School of Law, Nagoya University.

Practical Information on tuition fees, accommodation, health care, financial supports, visas and how to apply is available on

the 'Prospectus 2008' or on the website: <http://www.gsl-nagoya-u.net>.

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(Graduated schools and awarded degrees, field of specialty* and research interest)

Department of Combined Graduate Program

Prof. AIKYO Koji

LL.D. from Waseda University, LL.M. & LL.B. from Waseda University
*Constitutional Law

1. History of Constitutionalism in UK
2. Constitutional theories

Prof. AIKYO Masanori

LL.D. from Nagoya University, LL.M. from Waseda University, LL.B. from Keio University

*Comparative Law (Vietnam)

1. History of Vietnamese Constitutional Law

Assoc. Prof. Frank BENNETT

JD from UCLA School of Law, USA, B.A. from University of California at Berkeley, USA

*Comparative Law

1. Comparative Law (property, secured claims and related aspects of civil procedure)

Assoc. Prof. FURUKAWA Nobuhiko

LL.B. from the University of Tokyo

*Criminal Law

1. The Theory of Criminal Negligence

Assoc. Prof. HAYASHI Shuya

Completed Dr. Course work in Kyoto University Graduated School of Law, LL.M. from Kyoto University, LL.B. from Doshisha University

*Competition Law

1. Competition law and policy
2. Trade Regulation Law (Electricity and Telecommunication)

Prof. ICHIHASHI Katsuya

LL.M. from Nagoya University, LL.B. from Nagoya University

*Administrative Law

1. Administrative remedy
2. Law on self-administration of local governments

Prof. IMAI Katsunori

LL.D. from Nagoya University, LL.M. & LL.B. from Nagoya University

*Commercial Law

1. Payment Law
2. Banking Law

Assoc. Prof. INABA Kazumasa

LL.D. from Nagoya University, LL.M. from Nagoya University, B.A. from Mie University

*Administrative Law

1. Reformation of administrative law in an age of Deregulation
2. Legal limitation on privatization
3. Broadcasting law in the US and Japan

Prof. ISHII Mitsuki

LL.M. from Kyoto University, LL.B. from Kyoto University

*Legal History (France)

1. History of penal reform in eighteenth-century France
2. Law and society in the time of the French revolution
3. Institutions and Royal ritual of Old Regime

Prof. ISOBE Takashi

LL.M. from Nagoya University, Bachelor's degree in Political Science from Waseda University

*History of Political Thought (Europe)

1. History of western political thought
2. History of eastern political thought

Prof. JIMBO Fumio

LL.M. from Nagoya University, LL.B. from Nagoya University

*Legal History (Japan)

1. Law in early modern Japan
2. Litigation system of Tokugawa Shogunate

Assoc. Prof. KAKUTA Tokuyasu

Ph.D. from Tokyo Institute of Technology, Master of Science from Tokyo Institute of Technology, LL.B. from Meiji Gakuin University

*Legal Informatics

1. Legal reasoning by teleological analogy
2. Computational argumentation systems
3. Knowledge representation

Assoc. Prof. KANG Dongkook

LL.D. (summa cum laude) from the University of Tokyo, M.A. from the Graduate School of Seoul National University, Korea, B.A. from Seoul National University, Korea

*History of Political Thought (Asia)

1. Nationalism and Colonialism in East Asia
2. Conceptual History in East Asia

Prof. KATO Hisakazu

M.A. in International Relations from University of Sussex Graduate

School, U.K., LL.B. from the University of Tokyo

*Environmental Law

1. Policies and measures under the Climate Change Convention and the Kyoto Protocol
2. Formation of regional environmental regimes in East Asia
3. Sustainable development of the western region in China

Prof. MASUDA Tomoko

LL.D. from Nagoya University, M.A. from Aoyama Gakuin University

*Political History (Japan)

1. Constitutional Emperor system
2. Ultra nationalism in modern Japan

Assoc. Prof. MIZUSHIMA Tomonori

LL.M. from London School of Economics and Political Science, LL.M. from Kyoto University, LL.B. from the University of Tokyo

*International Public Law

1. Jurisdictional Immunity of Foreign States
2. International Economic Law

Prof. MOTO Hidenori

LL.D. from Nagoya University, LL.M. & LL.B. from Nagoya University

*Constitutional Law

1. Constitutional law in Japan and Germany
2. Law on political parties and constitution
3. Constitutional analysis of 'public sphere'

Assoc. Prof. NAKANO Taeko

LL.B. from the University of Tokyo

*Social Services Law

1. Sick insurance
2. Social welfare
3. Social Security in Sweden

Prof. NAKADA Mizuho

LL.M. from the University of Tokyo, LL.B. from the University of Tokyo

*Political History (Europe)

1. East Central European political history
2. Comparative Politics
3. Civil Society, European Integration

Assoc. Prof. OHYA Takehiro

LL.B. from the University of Tokyo

*Jurisprudence

1. Philosophical basis of legal interpretation
2. Effects of information technology on legal values

Assoc. Prof. OKAMOTO Hiroki

LL.D. from Hitotsubashi University, LL.B. from Osaka University

*Civil Law

1. Contract and the third party
2. Structural analysis of contractual obligation

Prof. ONO Koji

LL.D. from Kyoto University, LL.M. from Nagoya University, LL.B. from Kyoto University

*Political Science

1. German politics
2. Comparative politics

Prof. SADAKATA Mamoru

Ph.D. Candidate at Kobe University, LL.M. from Kanazawa University, LL.B. & B.A. from Saitama University

*International Politics

1. Contemporary Balkan History

Assoc. Prof. SAITO Akiko

LL.M. from Kyoto University, LL.B. from Kyoto University

*Criminal Law

1. Criminal Law
2. Complicity
3. Omission

Prof. SUGIURA Kazutaka

LL.M. from Nagoya University, LL.B. from Nagoya University

*Comparative Law (Russian and former Soviet states)

1. Judicial reform in Russia
2. Human rights in Russia
3. Russian constitutional court

Assoc. Prof. TAMURA Tetsuki

LL.D. from Nagoya University, LL.M. & LL.B. from Nagoya University

*Political Science

1. Contemporary democratic theory
2. Political theory of the welfare state
3. Feminism and political theory

Assoc. Prof. UDAGAWA Yukinori

LL.M. from Hokkaido University, LL.M. & LL.B. from Hokkaido University

*Comparative Law (China)

1. Private law in China
2. Judicial reform in China

Prof. USHIRO Fusao

LL.M. from Nagoya University, LL.B. from Kyoto University

*Political Science, Public Administration

1. Nonprofit sector and reorganization of the welfare system
2. Institutional reforms and political realignment in Japan and Italy

Prof. WADA Hajime

LL.M. from the University of Tokyo, LL.B. from the University of Tokyo

*Labour Law

1. Employment contract theory
2. German labour law

Assoc. Prof. WATANABE Miyuki

LL.B. from Tohoku University

*Civil Procedure law

1. Rechtskraft
2. Arbitration
3. Fundamental theory of civil procedure

Assoc. Prof. YOSHIMASA Tomohiro

LL.M. from Kyoto University, LL.B. from Kyoto University

*Civil Law

1. Contract Law

Department of Program for Legal Practice

A professor indicated with ※ belongs to both departments of Combined Graduate Program and Program for Legal Practice (NULS).

Prof. CHIBA Emiko

LL.M. from Hokkaido University, LL.B. from Hokkaido University

*Civil Law

1. Floating charge
2. Structured finance
3. Consumer protection

※Prof. FUKE Toshiro

LL.B. from Tokyo Metropolitan University, B.A. (Social Science) from International Christian University

*Tax Law

1. Paradigmatic transformation in the law and theory of public finance
2. Historical development of administrative law; whether it is a special system of remedies unavailable in the ordinary court of law or not

Prof. HAMADA Michiyo

LL.M. from Nagoya University, LL.M. from Harvard Law School, LL.B. from Nagoya University

*Commercial Law

1. Corporate law theory
2. History of corporate law

Prof. HASHIDA Hisashi

LL.M. from Kyoto University, LL.B. from Kyoto University

*Criminal Law

1. Self-defense and necessity
2. Subjective elements of illegality

Prof. HONMA Yasunori

LL.D. from Hokkaido University, LL.M. & LL.B. from Hokkaido University

*Civil Procedure

1. Third party involvement and procedural safeguards
2. 'Standing' in litigation and procedural theory
3. Procedures in the resolution of family cases

Prof. KAMINO Kenji

LL.M. from Nagoya University, LL.B. from Nagoya University

*Administrative Law

1. Public values in public law
2. Administrative legal theory
3. Administrative procedure act and administrative guidance

※Prof. KAWANO Masanori

LL.D. from Kyushu University, LL.M. & LL.B. from Kyushu University

*Civil Procedure

1. Fundamental principles of civil procedure
2. Harmonization of civil procedure
3. International arbitration

Prof. KOBAYASHI Ryo

LL.M. from Kyoto University, LL.B. from Kyoto University

*Commercial Law

1. Commercial law
2. Financial law

Assoc. Prof. KOJIMA Jyun

LL.M. from Waseda University

*Criminal Procedure

※Prof. MATSUURA Yoshiharu

LL.M. from Osaka University, LL.M. from Yale Law School, LL.B. from Osaka University

*Legal Informatics

1. Application of information technology to legal analysis
2. Development of "Science of Law" in 19th century America
3. Invention of legal skills for social change

Prof. MORIGIWA Yasutomo

LL.M. from the University of Tokyo, LL.B. from the University of Tokyo

*Jurisprudence

1. Legal values as public goods

※Prof. NAKAHIGASHI Masafumi

LL.D. from Nagoya University, LL.M. & LL.B. from Nagoya University

*Commercial Law

1. Mergers and Acquisitions
2. History of Corporate Law
3. Corporate Law and Securities Regulation in Canada

Prof. NAKAYA Hiroki

LL.M. from Nagoya University, LL.B. from Nagoya University

*Civil Law

1. The contract theory of multiparty relationships
2. Analogical interpretations in the Japanese Civil Code

※Prof. OBATA Kaoru

LL.M. from Kyoto University, LL.M. from Kyoto University

*International Public Law

1. Diplomatic protection, state responsibility, status of foreigners
2. European convention of human rights

※Prof. SUGAWARA Ikuo

LL.D. from Tohoku University, LL.B. from Tohoku University

*Legal Sociology

1. Law and psychology

Prof. SUZUKI Masabumi

LL.M. from Harvard Law School, LL.B. from the University of Tokyo

*Intellectual Property Law

1. Law and policy concerning intellectual property
2. International intellectual property system

※Prof. TADAKA Hirotaka

LL.D. from Nagoya University, LL.M. & LL.B. from Nagoya University

*Civil Law

1. Mortgage Foreclosure
2. Security Interests
3. Guaranty

Prof. URABE Noriho

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