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Measures for maintaining order in financial services markets

- Hideki Kanda, Regulatory differences in bank and capital market regulations
- Mee-Hyon Lee, Regulatory reforms for transparency and competitiveness
- Lawrence S Liu, Financial industry convergence and institutional (re)building

Functions of family courts in an ever-changing society

- Osamu Kaneko, Function of the family court in Japan
- Judge Patrick Mahony, Functions of family courts in an ever-changing society
- Justice Alwynne Rowlands, Aspects of judicial professionalism in the Australian family law context

Corporate governance in the Asia Pacific region (part 1: Japan & Korea)

- Hasung Jang, Corporate governance reform in Korea
- Noboru Kashiwagi, A view of recent trends of Japanese corporate governance
- Kon Sik Kim, The rule of law and the role of lawyers in corporate governance: Korean case
- Hideaki Kubori, "linkai to secchi kaisha" and corporate governance in Japan

Enforcement of foreign judgements regarding business activities

- John McDermott, Enforcement of foreign judgements in the United States
- Kyung-Han Sohn, Enforcement of foreign judgements regarding business activities: study on Korea
- Hefu Zhang, The rules and practices on the recognition and enforcement of foreign judgements in China

Legal education and training of lawyers in the age of globalisation

- Ji Weidong, Legal education in China, a great leap forward for professionalism
- Mah Weng Kwai, Legal education and training of lawyers in the age of globalisation
- Wonkyou Ryou, The education of lawyers in Korea for the global age
- Shigeaki Tanaka, Expectations and concerns about the new law school system in Japan

Problems of juvenile delinquency and the juvenile justice system

- Justice Vicha Mahakun, Juvenile delinquency and the juvenile justice system of Thailand
- Judge Yukio Shirai, Juvenile delinquency and juvenile justice system in Japan
- Tamaki Yokochi, The treatment of juvenile delinquents in Japan

Corporate governance in the Asia Pacific region (part 2: countries other than Japan and Korea)

- Suchint Chaimungkalanont, Good corporate governance principle: Thailand's perspective
- Jeff Leong, Corporate scams: the accountability of lawyers under Malaysian law
- Preeti Mehta, Corporate governance: the Indian scenario
- VK Rajah & Kala Anandarajah, The current status of corporate governance in ASEAN and challenges in connection therewith

Protection of domain names on the Internet

- Kazufumi Dohi, Should registrars transfer their domain names to famous trademark holders? The current domain name problems in Japan
- Boh Young Hwang, UDRP Arbitration: from the eyes of a panellist
- Erik Wilbers, The collision between trademarks and internet domain names: an update on the UDRP, ccTLDs, Second WIPO domain name process, and new gTLDs

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Human rights institutions in the Asia Pacific region

- Tsuyoshi Kondo, Report from Japan
- Carlos Medina, Developments towards the establishment of an Asia Pacific mechanism on human rights
- Chan-Un Park, International human rights law in Korea: its status, application and recent situation
- Dr Purificacion Valera Quisumbing, Human rights institutions in the Asia Pacific region
- Dr Sev Ozdowski, What makes a national human rights institution independent and why should we care?
- Somchai Homlaor, A sketch of human rights situation in southeast Asia

Diversification of the laws on shares

- Piyanuj Ratprasatporn, Thailand: diversification of the laws on shares
- Malcolm Smith, Recent developments in the laws on share capital in Australia
- Hajime Tanahashi, Share capital in Japan: general legal overview and recent legislation as to class stock
- Xin Tang, State-owned shares in listed companies in China – circulation and classification
- Youngshin Yoon, Diversification of equity finance in Korea

Recent developments in intellectual property legislation, litigation and enforcement of rights

- Mike Ellis, A case example of taking civil action in China post WTO
- Prof Brian Fitzgerald, Database protection under Australian copyright law: Desktop Marketing Systems Pty Ltd v Telstra Corporation Limited
- Takahiro Hagiwara, Enforcement of intellectual property rights in Asia
- Isabella Ho, Recent developments of intellectual property legislation and enforcement rights – Thailand
- Hoo-Dang Lee, Recent developments of intellectual property legislation and enforcement rights in Korea
- Toshiaki Imura, Recent developments of intellectual property legislation and enforcement rights in Japan

Future of ADR

- Jayavadh Bunnag, Arbitration and alternative dispute resolution in Thailand
- Peter Scott Caldwell, Arbitration and mediation in mainland China
- Peter Scott Caldwell, Hong Kong as a choice for dispute resolution
- Richard Eastman, Arbitration and alternative dispute resolution in Japan
- Richard Eastman, Arbitration and alternative dispute resolution in the Republic of Korea
- Michael Hwang, Arbitration and alternative dispute resolution in Singapore
- Dr Luke Nottage, Comparing alternative dispute resolution in Australia and New Zealand

Protection of migrant workers' rights and legal aid

- Jae-Hyun Bae, Rights and benefits for Koreans residing in Japan
- Masashi Ichikawa, Immigration and settlement issues and legal aid
- Xiu Lizheng, Preservation of rights for Chinese residing in Japan

Protection of children's rights

- John Brennan, Children's wishes in custody proceedings
- Andrew Davies, Unifying the enforcement of family orders concerning children in Asia
- Tomiyuki Ogawa, Protection of children's rights in Japan

Transmission of musical works by the Internet

- Haruhiko Kato, Construction of a common model for the content business in the broadband era
- Mamoru Kato, Current situation of music transmission in Japan and JASRAC's efforts
- Yutaka Tanaka, Light and shade of networking – diagnosis from a legal perspective

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Trans-border activities of legal practitioners and their regulation

- Nozomu Ohara, International cooperation in legal services in the borderless era

Recent human rights topics in the Asia Pacific region – human rights situation after 9/11

- Tsutomu Arakaki, Human rights situation in Japan after the September 11 terrorist attack on the United States
- Justice Kishor Govind, September 11 and human rights
- Mah Weng Kwai, Human rights in Malaysia post-September 11
- Rachel Pastores, The Philippines after 9/11

Ways of dealing with international family disputes in the Asia Pacific region

- Diana Franco, Applying the Philippine Law
- Ian Kennedy, Dealing with international family disputes in the Asia Pacific region: an Australian perspective
- Mikiko Otani, The child custody cases between the Philippine mothers and the Japanese fathers in the Japanese courts
- Yuan Yi, International family disputes in China

Asian/Pacific perspective and activities for the prevention of corruption

- Sang-ok Park, 2003 Seoul Anti-Corruption Conference: preparations and its outcome
- Prof Krikkiat Phipatseritham, Prevention of corruption: case of Thailand
- Tony Kwok, Activities of the Hong Kong Independent Commission Against Corruption (ICAC): its investigative technique
- Dr Wang Yunhai, Corruption in Chinese society

The environment and activities of enterprises

- Kihan Lee, Case study of environmental liability doing business involving the acquisition of a facility for the treatment of hazardous waste
- Tadashi Otsuka, Legal evaluation of the Soil Remediation Act
- Manabu Sakuma, The outline of the renewable portfolio standard system in Japan
- Chia Lin Sien, Environmental pollution control in Singapore

Domestic implementation of WTO agreements in the Asia Pacific region

- Manoj Chhabra, Domestic execution of WTO agreements – an Indian perspective
- Yuji Iwasawa, The WTO agreement in Japanese law
- Wang, Xiaoping, China's administrative regime in WTO implementation

Economic globalisation and fair labour standards

- Young Hoon Byun, International labour standards and Korean labour law with focus on freedom of association
- Judge Graeme Colgan, Economic globalisation and fair labour standards – New Zealand & Australia perspective
- Rasamani Kandiah, Economic globalisation and fair labour standards – Malaysia

Electronic commerce: electronic contracting and consumer protection

- Noel Cox, The extraterritorial enforcement of consumer legislation and the challenge of the Internet
- Dr Gordon Hughes, Electronic contracting and consumer protection: an Australian perspective
- Bimal Raut, The internet and the jurisdiction: is the trans-judicial dialogue a way forward?
- Kenta Tsujimaki, Japanese laws concerning electronic commerce – from the viewpoint of consumer protection

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Money laundering and gatekeeper rules applicable to attorneys

- Financial Action Task Force on Money Laundering (FATF), *The forty recommendations*
- Yoshihau Kawabata, *Revision of the FATF forty recommendations*
- Maurice Laprairie QC, *Canadian money laundering court challenge – chronology of events*

Competition Law in the Asia Pacific region

- Rick Beckmann, *Anti-monopoly and unfair competition laws in Indonesia*
- San Jiang, *The constituting status of Chinese anti-monopoly law*
- Masahiro Murakami, *History and development of the Japanese Anti-Monopoly Act – the original sin in enacting the Japanese Anti-Monopoly Act*
- Dr Iwakazu Takahashi, *The character of competition law in Japan*
- Hoil Yoon, *Towards a new competition policy in Korea*

Gender bias in the courts

- Livingstone Armytage, *Judicial education on equality: gender equality in the courts – leadership and the role of education*
- Mary-Jane Ierodiaconou, *Gender bias in the courts – recent Australian insights and implications for the future*
- Masako Kamiya, *Gender bias in courts*

Electronic commerce and taxation

- Akira Kamitomi, *Electronic commerce and consumption tax system – OECD work*
- Chang Hee Lee, *Impact of e-commerce on allocation of income tax revenue among nations*
- Prof Robin Woellner, *Interactive gambling on the internet – some potential tax implications*

Overcoming the economic crisis and reform in insolvency regimes/development of creative reorganisation techniques

- Prof Dr Sunaryati Hartono, *On the Indonesian bill of debt restructuring of companies*
- Hikmahanto Juwana, *Indonesia's experience on bankruptcy law reform: a best alternative in time of economic crisis?*
- Yong Kap Kim, *Korean corporate insolvency system – 30 year history, 5 year experience and new regime*
- Koji Takeuchi, *Japan has revamped its corporate insolvency system by creating new procedural rules and substantive provisions*