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Akira Moriwaki's legal practice in China first began in 1998, back when doing so was still a relatively rarity amongst Japanese lawyers. He continued to practice in Beijing until 2007, during which time, he dealt with a large variety of legal issues encountered by Japanese companies then entering into the Chinese market. Although the main focus of his work continues to remain in China related business matters, since returning to Japan he has used his unique experiences to widen his areas of interest to include other Asian jurisdictions, such as Hong Kong, Taiwan, India, Malaysia, Indonesia, Vietnam, Thailand, Korea, Singapore and Myanmar. Akira is highly experienced in a wide range of fields, such as green-field direct investment into Asian jurisdictions, M&A, private equity and Competition law. Through over a decade of experience, he has come to be recognized as one of the foremost and most experienced Japanese lawyers in international trade issues, such as anti-dumping and countervailing duty. For over 3 years, Akira has provided invaluable support to Japan's ODA project relating to the promulgation of Chinese Company law, Competition law and other distribution regulations, and he was also involved in the promulgation of Tort Law of China. Since 2009, he has been conducting lectures in Mandarin Chinese as a visiting professor at Renmin University of China (RUC) Law School.

In December 2012, he was ranked first in the "overall ranking" and second in the "companies choice ranking" under the Foreign Law division of the Nihon Keizai Shimbun "Most active lawyer of the year" awards.

Practice Areas

Key Practice Areas

M&A	Corporate	Dispute Resolution	Real Estate	Labor and Employment	Intellectual Property/TMT
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Related Practice Areas

M&A	Cross-border M&A Business Alliances	M&A/Business Restructuring	Joint Ventures	Venture Capital
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Corporate	Corporate and Commercial Transactions Shareholders' Meetings and Relationships with Shareholders Establishing a Business Presence in Japan	Corporate Governance
Dispute Resolution	International Litigation and Cross-Border Disputes Alternative Dispute Resolution	International Arbitration General Commercial Litigation IP Disputes
Real Estate	Real Estate Investment	Real Estate Transactions
Labor and Employment	Labor and Employment Disputes Labor and Employment Law Compliance	Executive (Board Members and Auditors) Issues
Intellectual Property/TMT	IP Licensing and Transactions IT and Telecommunications law and Regulation IP Disputes	Copyright and Entertainment Health Care, Pharmaceutical and Life Science

Topics

Achievements Dec 7, 2023	The Nikkei " Top-performing Lawyer " in 2023
External Seminars Nov 22, 2023	Internationalization of "The Belt and Road Initiative(BRI)" - Providing Legal Services Aimed at Higher Level – Theme : Development of International Legal Professionals
External Seminars Nov 17, 2023	First Annual Sino-International Law Forum, Regional Panel Discussions, Session 2A Asia regional update: Japan “Overview of Inward Direct Investment Regulations in Japan”

Practice Groups

Asia and Emerging Countries Practice Group Data Privacy & Digital Group	Competition Law Group	Financial Restructuring & Insolvency Group
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Background

Mar 1992	Keio University (LL.B.)
Apr 1995	The Legal Training and Research Institute of the Supreme Court of Japan, Joined Anderson Mori & Tomotsune
Sep 1998 - Sep 1999	Beijing Language and Cultural University (Language Training), China University of Political Science and Law (non-degree graduate course)
Oct 1999	Resume work at Anderson Mori & Tomotsune
May 2000 - Sep 2000	Worked for Pillsbury Winthrop Shaw Pittman (formerly Winthrop, Stimson & Putnam Roberts) (New York Office)
Oct 2000	Resume work at Anderson Mori & Tomotsune
Jan 2002	Became Partner of Anderson Mori & Tomotsune
Jun 2002 - Dec 2007	Appointed as Chief Representative of Anderson Mori & Tomotsune Beijing Office
Dec 2004 - Jan 2005	Adjunct Lecturer (Graduate School of Business Sciences, University of Tsukuba)
Jan 2007 - Feb 2007	Adjunct Lecturer (Graduate School of Business Sciences, University of Tsukuba)
Mar 2008	Adjunct Lecturer (Graduate School of Business Sciences, University of Tsukuba)
Jan 2009 - Feb 2009	Adjunct Lecturer (Graduate School of Business Sciences, University of Tsukuba)
Apr 2009 - Present	Visiting Professor, Renmin University of China Law School

Jul 2011 - Present	The East Asian Association of Insolvency & Restructuring Japan Chapter Board Member Chapter Director
Sep 2013 - Present	Appointed as Chief Representative of Anderson Mori & Tomotsune Shanghai Office
Dec 2014 - Present	Appointed as Arbitrator, Shanghai International Economics and Trade Arbitration Commission (Shanghai International Arbitration Center)
Apr 2017 - Present	Part-time Lecturer, Keio University, Law School
Apr 2018 - Sep 2018	Part-time Lecturer / Visiting Professor, Graduate School of Law, Kobe University
Apr 2020 - Sep 2020	Part-time Lecturer / Visiting Professor, Graduate School of Law, Kobe University
Jun 2020 -	Vice-Chair, Committee on Foreign Lawyers and International Legal Practice, Japan Federation of Bar Associations
Oct 2020 -	Mediator, International Commercial Mediation Center for Belt and Road Initiative
Jan 2022 -	Arbitrator, Shanghai Arbitration Commission
Apr 2022 - Sep 2022	Part-time Lecturer / Visiting Professor, Graduate School of Law, Kobe University
Apr 2022 - Mar 2023	Board member, Japan-China Investment Promotion Organization
Oct 2022 -	Panel of Expert Mediators, Shenzhen Futian Hetao International Commercial Mediation Center
Apr 2023 -	Member of the Counsel, Japan-China Investment Promotion Organization
Jul 2023 -	Shanghai Pudong New Area Committee Shanghai Pudong New Area People's Government (Free-Trade Zone Management Committee) : Adviser

Publications

China's Digital Strategy and Law - The Current Location of China's Information Law and the Future of the Digital Society Koubundou Publishers Inc.	Nov 2022
Amendment to Rules and Regulations for Newly Introduced Law Firm Structure, "Joint Corporation" JFBA Committee News (Foreign Lawyers & International Legal Practice Committee News)	Sep 2021
The Constitution Under Covid-19 Crisis Koubundou	Mar 2021
Introduction to Chinese Law Koubundou	Oct 2019
Outline of FTA/EPA MUFG BK China Monthly (Jun 2019)	Jun 2019
Deregulation of M&A and strategic investment in Chinese companies BTMU China Monthly (November 2017)	Nov 2017
New Third Board - Overview, Current Situation, and Potential - BTMU China Monthly (July 2017)	Jul 2017
AMT – Facilitating two-way business between Japan, China and key Asian jurisdictions	Apr 2017
Key Points for Negotiation when ending Business Relationship with a Chinese Company The Lawyers (November 2015)	Nov 2015
Common Key Points in the Legal Risk Management of Antidumping, Antitrust and Anticorruption Matters The Lawyers (October 2014)	Oct 2014
Introduction to Chinese Law Koubundou Publishers, Inc.	Oct 2013
Q&A: Strategies for Corporate Law Practice in Asia and Emerging Countries Shoji Homu	Apr 2013
Legal Issues for Japanese companies expanding in Asia The Lawyers (January 2012)	Jan 2012
The Latest Theory and Practice of Chinese Business Law Koubundou Publishers, Inc.	Oct 2011
Japanese Law Firm in Asian Legal Market The Lawyers (March 2011)	Mar 2011
Newest Practice of Chinese Anti-Monopoly Law ~Promulgation of Chinese Leniency~ The Lawyers (February 2011)	Feb 2011
Labor management for Japanese companies in China - prompt recognition of the situation and pragmatic management Monthly Global Management, No.344	Dec 2010
Enactment of Tortlaw in China, the Possibility of Increase in Litigation Risk, Ten Characteristics and the True Impact on Corporate Practice The Lawyers (May 2010)	May 2010
Enactment of Tortlaw of the People's Republic of China and trends of civil law in China Horitsujiho (February 2010)	Feb 2010
At the Front Line of Chinese Anti-Monopoly Law: Latest Case Study and Expected Promulgation of Guidelines for Merger Control The Lawyers	Jun 2009
Recent Development of Chinese Environmental Regulations The Lawyers (March 2009)	Mar 2009
Risk of Antitrust Laws Involving Doing Business in P.R. China The Lawyers (November 2008)	Nov 2008
Foreign Investment in Chinese Real Estate The Lawyers (July 2008)	Jul 2008
Ignorance is Inexcusable - Antitrust Laws in P.R. China Weekly Economist (February, 2008)	Feb 2008
Impact of Enactment of Antitrust Laws in P.R. China - M&A and Compliance Issues and Their Active Utilization The Lawyers (November 2007)	Nov 2007

Doing Business in China - Compliance System and Its Increased Necessity in China	Weekly Economist (August 2007)	Aug 2007
Anti-Trust Bill of P. R. China (Draft as of June 22, 2006) --Overview and Possible Corporate Risk Management--	Kokusai Shoji Homu, Vol. 34, No., 9-11 (September, October and November 2006)	Sep 2006
Provisions for Anti-Dumping Cases in P.R. China (I)~(II)	Japan Commercial Arbitration Journal, No. 538 (April 2002), No. 540 (June 2002)	Apr 2002
New Developments of the Anti-Dumping System in P.R. China	Japan Commercial Arbitration Journal, No. 535 (January 2002)	Jan 2002
Internet Law Encyclopedia for Businessman	Nikkei Business Publications, Inc., February 2001	Feb 2001
Enforcement of International Commercial Arbitration Awards in P.R. China	Japan Commercial Arbitration Association (JCAA), Publishers, February 2000	Feb 2000
A New Interpretation on Chinese Contract Law	International Business Law, Vol. 28, No. 2 (February 2000)	Feb 2000
Promulgation of 'Provisions on Mergers and Splits of Foreign Investment Enterprises' in P.R. China	International Business Law, Vol. 27, No. 12 (December 1999)	Dec 1999

Lectures

Internationalization of "The Belt and Road Initiative(BRI)" - Providing Legal Services Aimed at Higher Level – Theme : Development of International Legal Professionals	Organizer : Shanghai International Studies University Co-organizer : Shanghai International Studies University School of Law, River Delta Law Firm Shanghai Office Sponsor : IPBA	Nov 22, 2023
First Annual Sino-International Law Forum, Regional Panel Discussions, Session 2A Asia regional update: Japan "Overview of Inward Direct Investment Regulations in Japan"	SIPAC	Nov 17, 2023
14th Annual Symposium of East Asian Association of Insolvency and Restructuring (Hangzhou 2023) Theme : Resolution of Failing Financial Institutions (Japan Moderator)	Host : The East Asian Association of Insolvency & Restructuring School of Law, Zhejiang Gongshang University Co-organizer : Zhejiang Bankruptcy Law Society	Nov 4, 2023
International Commercial Arbitration Salon	ZCIA, Sun Yat-sen University School of Law, Guangdong-Hong Kong-Macao Greater Bay Area Arbitration Research Association of Zhuhai Law Society	Sep 14, 2023
Senior Symposium on Maritime Silk Road International Economic and Trade Arbitration "New Development of the Dispute Resolution in Countries and Regions along the Maritime Silk Road"	China Maritime Arbitration Commission (CMAC), Fujian Xiamen Pilot Free Trade Zone (XMFTZ), China Council for the Promotion of International Trade (CCPIT) Fujian Sub-council, CCPIT Xiamen Committee, CMAC Maritime Silk Road Arbitration Center	May 18, 2023
The 1st meeting of the Finance and Insurance Subcommittee in 2023 (for members of the Finance and Insurance Department)	"Chinese Law - Similar but Different from Japanese Law: Data Sovereignty and the Protection of Personal Data" Shanghai Japanese Commerce and Industry Club	Mar 23, 2023
IPBA 31st Annual Meeting and Conference in Dubai Concurrent Committee Sessions 5 "Is China Still an Important Destination for Global Investment?"	The Inter-Pacific Bar Association (IPBA)	Mar 9, 2023
The 2023 Yangtze River Delta Forum on Finance and the Rule of Law - Legal Perspectives on Financial Services for the Integration of the Yangtze River Delta "Perspectives from Tokyo on the International Capital Market"	Jiangsu University, Legal Research Center for the Bund Financial Innovation Pilot Zone, Shanghai Private Equity Association and Shanghai Association of International Services Trade, Zhenjiang Lawyers Association and Zhenjiang Lawyers College, IPBA	Feb 19, 2023
JFBA International Business Support Lawyer Referral System for Small and Medium Enterprises: 10th Anniversary Symposium "The Future of the Japanese Economy and the Role of Lawyers"	Japan Federation of Bar Associations	Feb 15, 2023
China-Japan-ROK Arbitration Law Comparative Research Forum 2022 "The Latest Developments in Japanese Arbitration Legal Practice"	Li Changdao Academic Thought Research Center, Shanghai Association of International Services Trade and Qingdao Enterprise Evaluation Association	Nov 24, 2022
CHINA ACADEMY OF ARBITRATION LAW 2022 ANNUAL CONFERENCE - THE 15th CHINA ARBITRATION AND FORUM "Online Dispute Resolution System Platform"	CHINA ACADEMY OF ARBITRATION LAW, The China International Economic and Trade Arbitration Commission (CIETAC), China Maritime Arbitration Commission (CMAC)	Nov 12, 2022
Innovation Works: Understanding Overseas Market Knowledge Series - Japan	Sinovation Ventures	Nov 3, 2022
the 204th IBL Chinese Lawyers Club <Panel Discussion> Local Situation in Shanghai, China under the COVID-19 pandemic ~Reporting the actual situation from a local perspective and making a comparison between Japan and China~	(主催) The Japanese Institute of International Business Law, Inc.	Jun 7, 2022

New Opportunities for International Cooperation on the Rule of Law in the Capital Market Science and Law	IPBA, East China University of Political	Dec 18, 2021
General Meeting of the Pudong Regional Liaison Committee (Lecture and Networking Event) Chinese Law -Alike in appearance but quite different in nature from Japanese Law- Realities of Legal Risk Management in China's Rule of Law Based Society Japense Commerce & Industry Club, Pudong Regional Liaison Committee	Shanghai	Nov 23, 2021
New Trend of Arbitration in China and Japan under Digital Economy Era & Signing Ceremony of MOU between SHIAC and JIDRC Shanghai International Economic and Trade Arbitration Commission (Shanghai International Arbitration Center), Japan International Dispute Resolution Center		Nov 22, 2021
New Opportunities for The Internationalization of Arbitration Institutions in Guangdong-Hong Kong-Macao Greater Bay Area Parallel Session 2A: The Positive Interaction between Lawyers and Arbitration Institutions Internationalization of Lawyers and Arbitration Institutions – Similarities between Japan and China Guangzhou ARbitration Commission	Internationalization (Host) Inter-Pacific Bar Association, (Organizer)	Nov 20, 2021
IPBA East Asia Forum 2021 New Opportunities for Legal Cooperation in East Asia Tianjin Lawyers Association	IPBA, China Maritime Arbitration Commission,	Sep 25, 2021
The Greater China Webinar ⑨ The New Personal Information Protection Law of China and Its Impact on Businesses - What Businesses Should Do by November 2021 Anderson Mori & Tomotsune		Sep 16, 2021
"Pilot Program" Cross-Border Services Lawyers Training Camp Class 2021 "Conducting Business in Japan -Practical Tips for Drafting Agreements for Various Transactions between Chinese and Japanese Companies-" Shanghai Lawyers Association		May 30, 2021
2021 CHINESE-EUROPEAN LEGAL LEADERS'INVESTMENT AND ENTERPRISE FORUM - EXPLORING THE UNCERTAIN FUTURE "New Opportunities for International Business Development of Chinese and Foreign Law Firms" Road and International Committee Of Shenzhen Lawyers Association CHIGBU CO / 讯美科技广场 SUNMAX TECH PARK	(主催) SCLA 瑞中法协 /The Best and (共催) KUBAS KOS GALKOWSKI /RUGGLE PARTNER /	May 9, 2021
30th IPBA Annual Meeting and Conference "Cross-border M&A Session" the 188th IBL Chinese Lawyers Club What is "Law"? - Comparing Similar Yet Different Japanese and Chinese Legal Theories and Practices	(主催) The Inter-Pacific Bar Association ("IPBA") The Japanese Institute of International Business Law, Inc.	Apr 19, 2021 Nov 16, 2020
Japan Investment M&A Business Seminar "Investing in Japan through M&As - Opportunities and Legal Risks" Guangzhou Lawyers Association - Hong Kong, Macau, Taiwan and Foreign Affairs Committee, Guangzhou Lawyers Association - The Belt and Road Law Committee, Guangzhou Lawyers Association - Foreign Law Committee (Sponsor) Guangdong ETR Law Firm	(Organisers)	Oct 23, 2020
The Greater China Webinar ⑩ Similar but Different - Comparing Japanese and Chinese Law West Regional City Liaison Committee Seminar "Changes to the Legal Landscape for Japanese Companies in a Post-COVID-19 World - Perspectives from a Japanese Lawyer"	Anderson Mori & Tomotsune Shanghai Japanese Commerce and Industry Club	Oct 13, 2020 Jul 27, 2020
EAAIR Qingdao 2019 Key Points for Risk Management in China —Case Studies of Business Risks in Chinese Subsidiaries Competition Law in Taiwan - The latest trends and business points of attention	The East Asian Association of Insolvency & Restructuring Grant Thornton China/ Grant Thornton Taiyo, Anderson Mori & Tomotsune, The Tokio Marine & Nichido Fire Insurance Company (China) Limited Anderson Mori & Tomotsune	Oct 26 - 27, 2019 Jun 14, 2019 Jun 10, 2019
Okasan Securities Business Seminar "US-China Trade Friction & Japanese Companies -From the Perspective of Japanese Attorney, Akira Moriwaki, residing in Shanghai-" How to Manage Investment Project into Japan	Okasan Securities Co., Ltd. Shanghai Association of International Economic & Technological Cooperation, Anderson Mori & Tomotsune, Shanghai Nonlocal Enterprises Federation, Shanghai Yishi Law Firm	Apr 18, 2019 Dec 27, 2018
Trump administration's trade war - how Japanese Companies should correspond Blockchain World Forum: The Latest Trends of Virtual Currency Exchange Business Registration System of Japan World Forum Executive Committee, Nomura Securities Co., Ltd., Financial Services Agency	Anderson Mori & Tomotsune Block Chain	Oct 31, 2018 Aug 30, 2018
TGV Disruption in Financial Services, Shanghai 20th -21st June 2018 Ningbo FuLi Insurtech Lab、Anderson Mori & Tomotsune (cosponsor)	True Global Ventures、XNode (sponsor) AXA Lab Asia、	Jun 21, 2018
2018 TokenSky Blockchain Conference Seoul Session "Global Digital Asset Exchange Alliance Round Table Seoul Consensus" Pacific Blockchain Association (APBA), TOKENSKY Organizing Committee and Participating Partners		Mar 15, 2018
New Year Seminar 2017 "How to Sell Our Products in Chinese Market" Recent Legal Practices in China - Light and Shadow, Front and Back, from the Perspective of a Resident Attorney in China Japanese Association for Business Recovery, Asia Committee for Business Recovery	Japan-China Economic Exchange Association	Jan 2017 Nov 2015
The Current Status of Crowdfunding in Japan	Guiyang Municipal People's Government and China Banking Association	Oct 26, 2015

Current Status of the China (Shanghai) Pilot Free Trade Zone –Expansion and the New Policy- International Business Law, Inc. the 141th IBL Chinese Lawyers Club	The Japanese Institute of	Jan 2015
Recent Developments in Competition Law Cases of the Two Major Emerging Countries, China and India Tomotsune	Anderson Mori &	Nov 11, 13, 2014
Chinese Anti-Monopoly Law: An Analysis of Recent Cases -Tips for Japanese Companies on Dawn Raids and Leniency- White Collar Crime in Cross-Border Investments – The Sustainability of Compliance		Oct 16, 2014 May 8 - 11, 2014
The Practice of China (Shanghai) Pilot Free Trade Zone - The situation where two months have passed since the establishment and the proposal for the strategic use	Business Research Institute	Feb 2014
Legal Issues in Entering the Myanmar Market in the Form of a Joint Venture -Study on the Know-How to Establish a Joint Venture and the Valid and Effective Provisions in Joint-Venture Agreement-		Jan 27, 2014
The Practice of China (Shanghai) Pilot Free Trade Zone - The situation where two months have passed since the establishment and the proposal for the strategic use	Anderson Mori & Tomotsune	Dec 2013
Practical points in ASEAN business both from the business and legal experts' perspective - focusing on Thai & Malaysia (ASEAN-related joint seminar)	Anderson Mori & Tomotsune, Layers Consulting Co., Ltd.	Dec 2013
Growing businesses in the Chinese and the ASEAN market	Asia Innovators' Initiative (All), Asia Innovation Forum (AIF) 2013	Dec 2013
China (Shanghai) Pilot Free Trade Zone (Global Management Seminar (China Seminar))	The Bank of Tokyo-Mitsubishi UFJ, Ltd.	Nov 2013
Jurisdiction of Cross-border-case	East Asian Association of Insolvency & Restructuring	Oct 19 - 20, 2013
China (Shanghai) Pilot Free Trade Zone (The 128th IBL Chinese Lawyers Club)	The Japanese Institute of International Business Law, Inc.	Oct 2013
Business in China - what the Japanese company should do now and in the future (Global Management Seminar)	The Bank of Tokyo-Mitsubishi UFJ, Ltd.	Oct 2012
Bribery Risks Overseas	Anderson Mori & Tomotsune	Nov 2011
3rd East Asia Symposium on Business Restructuring & Insolvency Law and Practice	The East Asian Association of Insolvency & Restructuring	Oct 2011
Investment environment in Malaysia (Legal Business Strategy Seminar)	Anderson Mori & Tomotsune	Aug 2011
Investment environment of the Middle East and GCC Countries - Focus on restrictions on foreign investment in UAE (Legal Business Strategy Seminar)	Anderson Mori & Tomotsune	Jul 2011
IPBA 21st Annual Meeting and Conference		Apr 22 - 24, 2011
Legal Risks and Countermeasures for doing business in China	AIG General Insurance Company,Ltd. (old AIU Insurance Company, Ltd.)	Apr 2011
Chinese Economic Law Seminar (Recent M&A Practice in China ～Acquiring State-Owned Assets and Merger Control Regulations ～)	Institute of Social Science, The University of Tokyo	Feb 2011
Points to remember when signing contracts and forming alliances with water businesses in China	MEGA Seminar service, inc.	Jan 2011
Chinese Anti-Monopoly Law - Recent trends in concentrated business regulations- on Economic Law, Keidanren	Competition Law Sub-Committee of Committee	Dec 2010
M&A Practice in China - how is it different from other countries?-	Tokai Tokyo Securities Co., Ltd.	Dec 2010
IP Strategies in Taiwan - Tips and Case studies on the Execution of IP Rights in Taiwan	Anderson Mori & Tomotsune	Dec 2010
IP Strategies in Korea -Protection of trade secrets and know-how in the age of mobilization of human resources-	Anderson Mori & Tomotsune	Oct 2010
China-International IP Forum		Jun 30, 2010
Product Liability and Countermeasures in relation to the Expansion of Chinese Corporations (old AIU Insurance Company, Ltd.)	AIG General Insurance Company,Ltd.	Jun 2010
Recent Developments in Foreign Investment Regulations in India -Effective Investment Strategy Using the Consolidated FDI Policy- (Legal Business Seminar for Invited Foreign Attorneys)	Anderson Mori & Tomotsune	Jun 2010
Current Situation and Countermeasures for Employment Friction in China		May 12, 2010
Latest Developments in Intellectual Property Law, Litigation and Licensing Practice in China (International IP Seminar)	Anderson Mori & Tomotsune	May 2010
Enactment of the Tort Law of the People's Republic of China and trends of civil law in China		Apr 9, 2010
Enactment of the Tort Law of the People's Republic of China and trends of civil law in China		Mar 18, 2010
Japanese Anti-Monopoly Law and Cartel Regulation		Dec 19, 2009

Recent Developments in the Chinese Anti-monopoly Law -Recent Trends in Cartel Regulations and Guidelines-		Oct 1, 2009
Recent Developments in Chinese Anti-Monopoly Law -Recent Trends in Cartel Regulations and Guidelines- (Legal Business Strategy Seminar)	Anderson Mori & Tomotsune	Sep 2009
The Japanese Anti-monopoly Law: Developments and Prospects (Visiting Professors' Inauguration Memorial Lecture)	Renmin University of China	Jun 2009
Recent Developments in the Japanese Anti-monopoly Law	Economic Law Institute of Renmin University of China, Economic Law Institute of Beijing Law Society, Economic Law Institute of Shanghai Law Society	Jun 2009
Development and Vision for the Japanese Antimonopoly Law	China Society for World Trade Organization Studies	Mar 21 - 22, 2009
The Japanese Antimonopoly Law: Development and Prospects	China Society for World Trade Organization Studies	Mar 2009
US, EU and China Competition Law Seminar	Japan Institute for Overseas Investment	Feb 2009
Recent Trends and Trouble Preventative Measures of Chinese Business Laws	Technical Information Center Co.	Jan 2009
Avoiding the Legal Risks of Doing Business in China: The New Chinese Anti-Monopoly Law and EU & US Examination of Cartel Activity in the PRC		Dec 11, 2008
Practical Measures and Legal Risk Management for Significant Laws and Regulations in P.R. China	Japan Planning Institute	Dec 2008
Precedential Cases and Personnel of the Law-Enforcement Agency which occurred within two months since Chinese Antimonopoly Law went into effect	Japan Planning Institute	Oct 2008
The Compliance System in China - Its Structure and Effective Operation	Financial Management Forums, Inc.	Jul 2008
JICA Chinese Economic Laws and Enterprise Law Legislation Project - Antitrust Law in P.R. in China	JICA China office, JETRO Beijing Office, Ministry of Commerce of the People's Republic of China Department of Treaty and Law	Dec 2007
New Trends in Business in P.R. China - Impact of Antitrust Law	Japan Institute for Overseas Investment	Dec 2007
Contracting and Negotiation with Chinese Involved in Technology Alliance and Transfer and Trouble Preventative Measures	Technical Information Center Co.	Sep 2007
The Latest Chinese Business Seminar: Advanced Strategy of Management in China	Business Research Institute	Jul 2007
Corporate Guidance for Subsidiaries in China under the New Chinese Company Law	Stock Research, Inc.	Oct 2006
Ask a Specialist! Recent Trends in Capital Markets Regulation in China: Towards the Realization of Efficient Investment with a Clear Exit Picture	Japan Institute for Overseas Investment	Oct 2006
Contracting and Negotiation with Chinese Involved in Technology Alliance and Transfer and Trouble Preventative Measures	Technology Information Center	Aug 23, 2006
How Corporate China should Utilize Foreign Investment	Xinyang City, Kanan Province	Apr 2006
Disclosure Regime Considerations for Japanese Listed Companies	Dalian Municipal Office of Financial Service, Tokyo Stock Exchange, Inc., Daiwa Securities Capital Markets Co.Ltd. (old Daiwa Securities SMBC Co.Ltd.)	Jul 2005
The Legal Regime for Listing on the Tokyo Stock Exchange	Jinan City, Shandong Province	Nov 2004
Project Finance in Japan - Focusing on PFI -		Oct 19, 2004
The Role of Lawyers in Listing Projects in Japan	Henan Provincial Commerce Department, The People's Government of Zhengzhou	Oct 2004
Legal Problems and Risks Arising From 'SARS' (Severe Acute Respiratory syndrome) and Methods for Avoidance		Jun 2003
Counter Plans for Imitative Products, and Effective Ways to Cope with Problems of Trademarks in China		May 2003
Actual Conditions of Law and Regulations in China and How to Cope with Troubles in Doing Business in China		Apr 2003
Quality Risk Management: Product Quality and the Law - Increasing Litigiousness and Product Liability in China		Jan 2003
How to Handle Infringements of Patent Rights in China and Relevant Legal Procedures		Jan 2003
The Risk of Debt Collection and Its Legal Countermeasures		Nov 2002
Regarding PL in China - High Consciousness of Rights and the Explosion in PL Cases		Jul 2002
Remarks on Understanding of Legal Changes to Contractual Practice in China after its Accession to the WTO - Risk Management Issues Arising from Foreign Investment within the Peoples Republic of China		Jun 2002
New Movement in Practice on Drawing Contracts in China after its Entry to the WTO		Apr 2002
New Environment For Legal Investment For Foreign Companies in China after its Entry to the WTO		Mar 2002
Minimizing, Avoiding and Allocating Contractual Risks when doing Business in China		Feb 2002
Latest Legal Practice on Business Development in China after its Entry to the WTO		Dec 2001
Notes on Business in China after its Entry to the WTO		Oct 2001

Blueprint of Investment Environment of China after its Entry to the WTO	Sep 2001
Drafting and Negotiating JV Contracts	Sep 2001
New Era of Investment into China after its Entry to the WTO	Feb 2001
Risk Management concerning Direct Investment into P.R. China by a Foreign Company	Dec 2000
Establishment, Operation and Dissolution of Enterprises Invested into P.R. China by a Foreign Company	Oct 1999
The Draft of the New Contract Act of P.R. China	Feb 1999
Implementation of Various Measures to Prevent Company Debts from Becoming Defaulted	Jun 1997

Achievements

Dec 7, 2023	The Nikkei " Top-performing Lawyer " in 2023
Apr 20, 2023	The Best Lawyers in Japan™ 2024
Apr 14, 2022	Best Lawyers 2023
Apr 15, 2021	Best Lawyers 2022
Apr 9, 2020	Best Lawyers 2021
Apr 4, 2019	Best Lawyers 2020
Mar 17, 2017	Chambers Global 2017
Sep 1, 2015	Who's Who Legal: Japan 2015
Mar 13, 2015	Chambers Global 2015
Oct 30, 2014	Who's Who Legal: Japan 2014
Mar 14, 2014	Chambers Global 2014
Mar 21, 2013	Chambers Global 2013
Mar 25, 2012	Chambers Global 2012
Dec 2, 2008	Chambers Asia 2009

Professional Admissions

Japan (1995)

Professional and Academic Associations

Daini Tokyo Bar Association
International Bar Association
Inter-Pacific Bar Association

Languages

Japanese (first
language) English Chinese (Mandarin)