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Counsel to numerous debtors, creditors, creditors' committees and equity holders for more than three decades in cases involving a wide spectrum of industries including banking, retail, real estate, construction, housing, golf resort, hotel, manufacturing, and cross-border enterprises. In recent years, served as liquidator in some of the largest bankruptcy cases in Japan. Practice also includes dispute resolution, commercial litigation, mergers and acquisitions, intellectual property and labor issues. Frequently speaks on legal topics pertaining to insolvency and bankruptcy and has written expensively on the Corporate Reorganization Act, the Civil Rehabilitation Act and the Bankruptcy Act of Japan. Recognized as a leading restructuring and insolvency lawyer in Japan by Chambers Asia Pacific.

#### **Practice Areas**

Corporate	Corporate and Commercial Transactions Corporate Gov	vernance
M&A	M&A/Business Restructuring	
Government Investigations and Crisis		
Management		
Real Estate	Real Estate	
	Transactions	
Labor and Employment	Labor and Employment	
	Disputes	
Intellectual Property/TMT	IP Disputes	
Competition/Antitrust	Competition-Related Litigation Competition Compliance	9
Tax	Tax Litigation and Dispute Resolution	
Dispute Resolution	General Commercial Litigation International Litigation a	nd Cross-Border Disputes
	Alternative Dispute Resolution Financial and Securities	Dispute Resolution
Restructuring/Insolvency and Bankruptcy		

#### Topics

Achievements Apr 18, 2024 The Best Lawyers in Japan<sup>™</sup> • Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch in Japan<sup>™</sup> (2025 Edition)

Achievements Jan 17, 2024	The Legal 500 Asia Pacific 2024
Achievements Dec 14, 2023	Chambers Asia-Pacific 2024
Practice Groups	
Financial Restructuring & Insolven	cy Group Corporate Crisis Management Practice Group

# Background

Mar 1979	The University of Tokyo (LL.B. )
1989 - 1990	University College London, non-degree
	study

### Publications

Case Studies regarding "Guidelines for Business Revitalization of Small	l and Medium-sized Enterprises, etc."	Chuokeizai-sha	Oct 2022
Method to Transform an Insolvent Company Into a Holding Company	NBL No.810(2005.6.1)		Jun 2005

#### Lectures

EAAIR Qingdao 2019 The East Asian Association of Insolvency & Res	tructuring	Oct 26 - 27, 2019
Recent U.S. Export Control Restrictions and possible countermeasures	Anderson Mori & Tomotsune Osaka Office	Jun 5, 7, 2019

# Achievements

Apr 18, 2024	The Best Lawyers in Japan <sup>™</sup> • Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch in Japan <sup>™</sup> (2025 Edition)
Jan 17, 2024	The Legal 500 Asia Pacific 2024
Dec 14, 2023	Chambers Asia-Pacific 2024
Sep 14, 2023	asialaw 2023-24
Apr 20, 2023	The Best Lawyers in Japan™ 2024
Jan 11, 2023	The Legal 500 Asia Pacific 2023
Dec 15, 2022	Chambers Asia-Pacific 2023
Apr 14, 2022	Best Lawyers 2023
Jan 13, 2022	The Legal 500 Asia Pacific 2022
Dec 16, 2021	Chambers Asia-Pacific 2022

Apr 15, 2021	Best Lawyers 2022
Jan 13, 2021	The Legal 500 Asia Pacific 2021
Dec 15, 2020	Chambers Asia-Pacific 2021
Apr 9, 2020	Best Lawyers 2021
Dec 6, 2019	Chambers Asia-Pacific 2020
Apr 4, 2019	Best Lawyers 2020
Nov 30, 2018	Chambers Asia 2019
Dec 7, 2017	Chambers Asia 2018

# **Professional Admissions**

Japan (1981)

# Professional and Academic Associations

Osaka Bar Association

# Languages

Japanese (first

language)

English