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Yasushi Hashimoto worked for the Japan Fair Trade Commission (JFTC) for more than ten years. His experience at the JFTC includes amendment of the Antimonopoly Act, merger review and investigation, etc. He also worked for the Consumer Affairs Agency, handled amendment of the Specified Commercial Transaction Act.

Practice Areas

Competition/Antitrust

International Cartels and Leniency Merger Control Dominance and other Unilateral Conduct
Interplay of IP and Competition Law Distribution and Other Competition Law Matters
Competition-Related Litigation Competition Compliance

Practice Groups

Competition Law Group

Background

Mar 2007	Keio University (LL.B.)
Mar 2010	Waseda Law School (J.D.)
Oct 2011	Mergers and Acquisitions Division, Economic Affairs Bureau, General Secretariat, Japan Fair Trade Commission
Jul 2013	Planning Office, General Affairs Division, Economic Affairs Bureau, General Secretariat, Japan Fair Trade Commission
Jul 2014	Litigation, General Affairs Division, General Secretariat, Japan Fair Trade Commission
Apr 2015	General Affairs Division, General Secretariat, Japan Fair Trade Commission
Apr 2016	International Affairs Division, General Secretariat, Japan Fair Trade Commission
May 2017	University of California, Los Angeles School of Law (LL.M.)
May 2018	Graduate study, Georgetown University Law Center (International Business and Economic Law (IBEL))
Jul 2018	Inter-Enterprise Trade Division, Trade Practices Department, Economic Affairs Bureau, General Secretariat, Japan Fair Trade Commission
Jul 2019	Senior Investigator for Digital Platform Operators, Investigation Division IV, Investigation Bureau, General Secretariat, Japan Fair Trade Commission
Jul 2020	Consumer Transaction Division, Consumer Affairs Agency
Jul 2021	Trade Practice Division, Trade Practices Department, General Secretariat, Japan Fair Trade Commission

Professional Admissions

New York (2018)

Japan (2023)

Professional and Academic Associations

Dai-ichi Tokyo Bar Association

Languages

Japanese (first
language)

English