



## Kenjiro Yamaguchi

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Kenjiro Yamaguchi specializes in international corporate law matters including M&A, business reorganization. In connection with M&A transactions, he has extensive experience in cross-border M&A in Asian jurisdictions, such as China, Vietnam, Thailand, Singapore, South Africa, Morocco and Egypt. Prior to joining Anderson Mori & Tomotsune, Kenjiro served as a lawyer at Mori Hamada & Matsumoto and has experience working overseas in Beijing, Ho Chi Minh and Bangkok. Also, He has experience working for one of the largest general trading companies where he was in charge of various overseas investment projects (in particular, Asia and Africa).

Mr. Yamaguchi also served as:

2017 - 2018 Nagoya University, Research and Education Center for Japanese Law in Ho Chi Minh (Japanese Law, a part-time lecturer)

2017 - 2018 Hitotsubashi University Law School (International Legal Strategy, 3rd lecture)

2018 Keio Law School (Guest Speaker, International Development Law, 2nd lecture)

### Practice Areas

#### Corporate

#### M&A

#### Government Investigations and Crisis Management

#### Labor and Employment

#### Competition/Antitrust

#### Dispute Resolution

#### International Practice

#### Corporate and Commercial Transactions Corporate Governance

M&A/Business Restructuring Joint Ventures Business Alliances Private Equity/Funds

#### Cross-border M&A

Internal investigations and organizing third-party committees

Anti-bribery regulations

#### Global compliance

#### Labor and Employment Issues Associated with Corporate

Severance Matters Restructuring

Working Conditions including Salary, Retirement Allowance, and

Pension

Labor and Employment Law

Compliance

Merger Control Distribution and Other Competition Law Matters Competition Compliance

#### International Arbitration

Mainland China Vietnam Thailand Other ASEAN countries Africa

Other

Jurisdictions

## Topics

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External Seminars  
April 9, 2024

Doing Business in India and Africa

External Seminars  
Jan 30, 2024

Update on Recent Legal Development – Egypt and Kenya

Achievements  
Apr 14, 2022

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## Practice Groups

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Asia and Emerging Countries Practice Group

## Background

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Mar 2001	Waseda University (B.A.)
Mar 2007	Keio Law School (J.D.)
2007 - 2008	The Legal Training and Research Institute of the Supreme Court of Japan
Dec 2008 - Sep 2010	Soga Uryu & Itoga
Oct 2010 - Dec 2022	Mori Hamada & Matsumoto
Jan 2012 - Feb 2014	Representative of Mori Hamada & Matsumoto Beijing Office
Apr 2013	Peking University EMBA
Feb 2014 - Jun 2016	Frasers Law Company, Ho Chi Minh City
Jul 2016 - May 2018	LNT & Partners, Ho Chi Minh City
May 2019	Graduate study, Cornell Law School (LL.M.)
Oct 2019 - Dec 2020	Chandler MHM Limited
Jan 2021 - Jun 2023	Mitsui & Co., Ltd.

## Publications

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M&A Legislation in Emerging Asian Countries - Third edition	Shojihomu Co., Ltd.	Oct 2020
Major Chinese Business Laws (2020 Edition)	The Association for the Promotion of International Trade, Japan	Mar 2020
Six Major Laws on Chinese Economy (2019 Expanded Edition)	The Association for the Promotion of International Trade, Japan	Jan 2019

## Lectures

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Doing Business in India and Africa	Mazarz Global Japan Desk	April 9, 2024
Update on Recent Legal Development – Egypt and Kenya	Business Research Institute	Jan 30, 2024

## Achievements

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## Professional Admissions

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Japan (2008)  
New York (2020)

## Professional and Academic Associations

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Tokyo Bar Association

## Languages

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Japanese (first  
language)

English

Chinese (Mandarin)

Thai