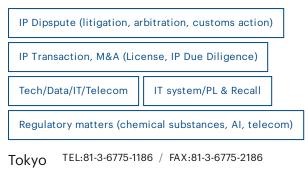# MIKI GOTO

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LEGAL AWARDS

Chambers Global 2024

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Key Practice Areas

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Mr. Goto has an exceptional background as a Japanese lawyer with an academic background in both science and engineering, and professional experience working in the intellectual property department of a major electronics company.

Mr. Goto's practice covers a wide range of complex intellectual property and technology/data related matters, including disputes concerning patents, licensing, trade secrets, trademark and technology related antitrust claims, as well as various data privacy/protection issues. He also has broad experience in various regulatory matters as well as product liability issues involving chemical substances, pharmaceutical products and other industrial products.

Mr. Goto is recommended for:
・Intellectual Property (Japan) - Chambers Global (2019-2024)
・TMT (Technology, Media, Telecom) - The Legal 500 Asia Pacific (2021-2024)
・Intellectual Property (Japan) - Asialaw Profiles (2021-2024)

Since 2017, Mr. Goto has been serving as the vice chair of Standing Committee on Trade Secret of AIPPI. In addition to being admitted to the bar in Japan (2008) and the state of New York (2014), he passed the Japanese Patent Attorney Examination in 2003.

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Practice Areas   / Corporate

Corporate and Commercial Transactions

Corporate Disputes

Support for Start-ups

Establishing a Business Presence in Japan

/ Government Investigations and Crisis Management

Quality control, product liability and product fraud

Data Breach and Cyber incident response

Medical and healthcare regulations

/ Intellectual Property

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Patent Prosecution

Trademark/Design Prosecution

Copyright and Entertainment

/ Tech/Data/IT/Telecom

Data Protection/Data Breach

IT system/PL & Recall

Tech Transaction/M&A

Regulatory matters (chemical substances, AI, telecom)

AI & Internet related Regulations/Disputes

/ Life Sciences

Health Care, Pharmaceutical and Life Science

/ Media and Entertainment

/ Dispute Resolution

Civil and Commercial Disputes (General)

International Litigation and Cross-Border Disputes

ADR (Mediation and Others)

IP Disputes

Product Liability Disputes

IT Disputes

Trade Secret Disputes

/ International Trade

/ International Practice

/ M&A

Startup M&A/Venture Capital

Industries

Telecommunication, Media, and Entertainment

IT, Internet and Security

Medical, Pharmaceutical, Healthcare, Life Science and Biotechnology

| Automotive, Ship and Machinery | Chemical | Food and Beverage | Brand and Apparel |

| Electronics and Equipment | Financial Technology (FinTech) | Aviation/Space |

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2017 - Present	Vice Chair, Standing Committee on Trade Secret of AIPPI
Jun 2013	Stanford Law School (LL.M.)
Nov 2012	Munich Intellectual Property Law Center (LL.M. IP)
2007 - 2008	The Legal Training and Research Institute of the Supreme Court of Japan
Mar 2007	Kobe University Graduate School of Law (J.D.)
2002 - 2004	Hitachi, Ltd., Intellectual Property Department
Mar 2002	The University of Tokyo Graduate School of Engineering (M. Eng.)
Mar 2000	Kyoto University (B.S.C)

QUALIFICATIONS

Japan (2008)

New York (2014)

Japan Patent Attorneys (2023)

PROFESSIONAL AND ACADEMIC ASSOCIATION

Osaka Bar Association

New York State Bar Association

LANGUAGES

Japanese (first language)

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