

# SHIGEKI TATSUNO

Partner

Tokyo

## LEGAL AWARDS

Weekly Toyo Keizai -The Lawyers to Retain -Selected 25 Lawyers by Areas-

Expert Guides - Life Sciences 2018

The Best Lawyers in Japan™ · Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch in Japan™ (2025 Edition)

The Best Lawyers in Japan™ 2024

Best Lawyers 2023

## Key Practice Areas

M&A

Support for Start-ups

Asset Management and Investment Funds

Life Sciences

Corporate

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Shigeki Tatsuno has a thorough knowledge in M&A, Joint Venture and cross-border transactions. In addition, he regularly advises a number of venture companies and PE funds, and engages in general corporate matters, including IP transactions, broadly.

## SERVICES

### Practice Areas

#### / Corporate

Corporate Governance

Shareholder Activism

Support for Start-ups

#### / M&A

M&A/Business Restructuring

Joint Ventures

Startup M&A/Venture Capital

Unsolicited Offers

Cross-border M&A

Public M&A

Business Succession M&A

#### / Government Investigations and Crisis Management

Internal investigations and organizing third-party committees

Data Breach and Cyber incident response

Medical and healthcare regulations

Global compliance



## / Finance and Financial Institutions

Asset Management and Investment Funds

## / Intellectual Property

IP Transaction, M&A (License, IP Due Diligence)

## / Life Sciences

Health Care, Pharmaceutical and Life Science

M&A and Finance

Health Care, Pharmaceutical and Life Science

## / Tech/Data/IT/Telecom

Tech Transaction/M&A

## / Media and Entertainment

Entertainment/Content Transaction

## / Restructuring/Insolvency and Bankruptcy

Management Representations

## / International Practice

Mainland China

Taiwan

Korea

India

Singapore

Thailand

Vietnam

Indonesia

Philippines

Laos

United States

EU

United Kingdom

Turkey

## Industries

Energy and Natural Resources

Private Equity Fund

Transportation and Logistics

Telecommunication, Media, and Entertainment

IT, Internet and Security

Medical, Pharmaceutical, Healthcare, Life Science and Biotechnology

Sports

Automotive, Ship and Machinery

Chemical

Food and Beverage

Brand and Apparel

Metal

Electronics and Equipment

Consumer Product and Retail

Trading

Construction and Infrastructure

Hospitality and Gaming

Education and HR

Digital

Aviation/Space

Government and Public Sector

AI/Technology

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## RELATED INSIGHTS

### SEMINARS Seminars

Front Line of JV Practice	(Additional Course) M&A Staffs Training Program (2024 Winte...	Thorough Understanding of Shareholders Agreement
2024.12.11	2024.12.03	2024.12.02

### PUBLICATIONS Publications

Virtual Round Table - Mergers & Acquisitions 2024	Enforcement of Limited Partnership Act for Investment...	Publication of "Final Report of Investigations into Overseas...
2024.12.01 <a href="#">Media</a>	2024.09.01 <a href="#">Media</a>	2024.06.27 <a href="#">Media</a>

## CAREER

Mar 2000	The University of Tokyo (LL.B.)
Oct 2002	The Legal Training and Research Institute of the Supreme Court of Japan
May 2007	Graduate study, New York University School of Law (LL.M.)
Nov 2007 - Jul 2008	Associated with Herbert Smith (currently, Herbert Smith Freehills), Paris

Nov 2014 -	Member of the Human Research Ethics Review Committee of Graduate School of Pharmaceutical Sciences, Faculty of Pharmaceutical Sciences, The University of Tokyo
Mar 2018	Member of the External Evaluation Committee for the Program for Promoting the Enhancement of Research Universities (Fiscal 2017), Tokyo Medical and Dental University
Apr 2019 - Jul 2024	Member of the Ethics Review Committee of Medical Research Institute Tokyo Medical and Dental University

QUALIFICATIONS

PROFESSIONAL AND  
ACADEMIC  
ASSOCIATION

LANGUAGES

Japan (2002) New York (2008)	Daini Tokyo Bar Association	Japanese (first language)
	New York State Bar Association	English
	Entertainment Lawyers Network	
	Human Research Ethics Review Committee of Graduate School of Pharmaceutical Sciences, Faculty of Pharmaceutical Sciences, The University of Tokyo	