

Roundtable Meeting on Law, Development and Socio-Economic Change in Asia

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PROGRAM

DAY 1) Judicial Reform in Asia: Current Issues and Challenges

8:30-9:00 9:00-9:20	Registration Opening Speech Dean Raul C. Pangalangan (College of Law, University of the Philippines) Mr. Naoyuki Sakumoto (Senior Research Fellow, IDE-JETRO)				
9:20-12:00	SESSION 1: Country Reports on Judicial Reform (1) Moderator: Atty. Jessie John P. Gimenez (Attorney-at-law, the Philippines)				
9:20 Speakers:	"The Judicial System in Thailand: An Outlook for a New Century" Judge Vichai Ariyanuntaka (Central Intellectual Property and International Trade Court, Thailand)				
9:40	"Chinese Judicial System and its Reform" Dr. Zheng Qiang (Secretary-General of the Public Law Center, Institute of Law, Chinese Academy of Social Science, China)				
10:00-10:15	Coffee Break				
10:15	"The Legal and Judicial Reform during the Renovation Period in Vietnam" Prof. Dr. Dao Tri Uc (Director, Institute of State and Law, Vietnam)				
10:35 10:55-12:00	"Reform of the Judicial system in Japan –Current State and Theory–Training of Legal Practitioners" Mr. Akira Rokusha (Associate Professor, Faculty of Law, Keio University, Japan) Discussion				
12:00-13:30	Lunch (Sampaguita Room)				
13:30- 15:10	SESSION 2: Country Reports on Judicial Reform (2) Moderator: Dr. Sunaryati Hartono SH (Professor, Vice Chairperson, National Ombudsman Commission, Indonesia)				
13:30 Speakers:	"Research Study on the Philippine Judicial System" Dean Raul C. Pangalangan (College of Law, University of the Philippines)				
13:50	"Alternative Dispute Resolution as an alternative means of accessing Justice in Malaysia" Dr. Sharifah Suhana Ahmad (Associate Professor, Faculty of Law, University of Malaya, Malaysia) presented by Ms. Christina Paul (Attorney-at-Law, Legal Executive of Olympia Industries, Malaysia)				
14:10	"Indian Judicial System" Prof. Surinder Kaur Verma (Director, Indian Law Institute, India)				

14:30-15:10	Discussion				
15:10-15:25	Coffee Break				
15:25-16:35	SESSION 3: Perspective for Judicial Reform in Asia				
	Moderator: Atty. Riza B. Vera (International Development Law Institute)				
15:25 Speakers:	"Dispute Resolution for Consumer Protection" Mr. Shinya Imaizumi (IDE-JETRO)				
15:45	"The Role of the Judiciary in Administrative Litigation —A comparative study of the judicial behaviour in Japan and India- Mr. Hajime Sato (IDE-JETRO)				
16:05-16:35	Discussion				

Day 2) Rethinking of "Law and Development": An Asian Perspective

9:30-12:00	SESSION 4: Law and Marketization Moderator: Judge Vichai Ariyanuntaka (Central Intellectual Property and International Trade Court, Thailand)					
9:30 Speakers:	"Southeast Asian Law in Transition: The Law versus Politics, Economics, an Society during the Crisis" Dr. Nobuyuki Yasuda (Professor, Graduate School of International Development, Nagoya University, Japan)					
9:50	"Indonesian Contract Law" Dr. Sunaryati Hartono SH (Professor, Vice Chairperson, National Ombudsman Commission, Indonesia)					
10:10	"Legal Technical Assistance in Japan's ODA: An Implication for Law and Development" Ms. Miwa Yamada (IDE-JETRO)					
10:30	"Law and Poverty Roundtable Conference" Mr. Omar Tiwana (Counsel, Asian Development Bank)					
10:50-11:05 11:05-12:00	Coffee Break Discussion					
12:00-13:30	Lunch (Room Rosal)					
13:30-15:00	SESSION 5: Law and Social Justice Moderator: Atty. Concepcion L. Jardeleza (Institute of Judicial Administration, University of the Philippines)					
13:30 Speakers:	"Economic Development and Social Development –Do the Two Goals Meet?" Dr. Shin'ichi Ago (Professor, Graduate School of Law, Kyushu University, Japan)					
13:50	"Development, Disability and Law" Mr. Masayuki Kobayashi (IDE-JETRO)					
14:10	"Law and Development: Environmental Law in Asia" Mr. Naoyuki Sakumoto (Senior Research Fellow, IDE-JETRO)					
14:30	"Law and Social Justice From a Gender Perspective" Prof. Myrna S. Feliciano (Director, Institute of Judicial Administration, University of the Philippines Law Center)					
14:50-15:05 15:05-16:30	Coffee Break Discussion					
16:30-16:45	Closing Remarks Dean Raul C. Pangalangan (College of Law, University of the Philippines)					
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