

Seminar Celebrating the 5th Anniversary of the JIMC-Kyoto

# The Evolution of Mediation

- 5 years JIMC-Kyoto – taking stock and looking into the future -



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\_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Monday, November 20, 13:00 (JST)**

Venue: Doshisha University, Imadegawa Campus, Kambaikan, Hardy Hall  
Zoom Webinar also provided (Hybrid seminar)

Language: English & Japanese (providing simultaneous translation)

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# Program

(all times are JST)

## Welcome Speech 13:00-13:10

Haruo Okada, President of JAA  
Naoshi Takasugi, Vice President of Doshisha University

## Seminar 13:10-16:10

### Video Message 13:10-13:15

Antonio Piazza, mediator, Mediated Negotiations

### I. Keynote Presentation 13:15-13:35

Act for Implementation of United Nations Convention on International Settlement Agreements  
Resulting from Mediation

Hiroyuki Tezuka, Vice-President of JAA, Chief Director of JIMC-Kyoto

### II. Presentations and Discussions 13:35-15:55

#### (1) Court administered mediation in German court proceedings

Michael Molitoris, lawyer, SZA Schilling, Zutt & Anschutz, Germany

#### (2) Lessons from Common Law mediation and “Hawaii-style” mediation

Haig Oghigian, lawyer, Fasken, Canada

#### (3) Innovative approaches in high-stakes U.S. mediations

Daniel Pulecio-Boek, lawyer, Greenberg Traurig, USA

#### (4) How to utilize the new and old wisdom – Future for AI and retired judges as International mediation resource

Yoshihiro Takatori, lawyer, Kasumigaseki International Law Office, International Arbitration Chambers

#### (5) Mediation collaboration across borders – the international outreach of SIMC

Lok Vi Ming, SC Vice-Chairman of Singapore International Mediation Center, lawyer, LVM Chambers, Singapore

#### Moderators

Lars Markert, lawyer, Nishimura & Asahi

Yuri Kawashima, lawyer, Oh-Ebashi LPC & Partners

### III. Q&A Session 15:55-16:10

## Closing Remarks 16:10-16:15

Teppei Mogi, Vice Chief Director of JIMC-Kyoto

## Reception 16:30-

Venue: Hamac de Paradis (at Kambaikan) <https://hamac-de-paradis.jp/>

## Registration:

Fee: for Seminar, free of charge; for reception, 5,000 yen (please pay at the venue)

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\*Registration Link (for the seminar by November 19, for the reception by November 16)

<https://forms.gle/9H2Xwa2mPs8Cc7QE6>





# Introduction of Participants

## Video Message



**Antonio Piazza**  
mediator, Mediated  
Negotiations

## Keynote Speaker



**Hiroyuki Tezuka**  
Vice-President of JAA, Chief  
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## Speakers



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