

Partner

Yuri Kawashima

Osaka Bar Association, Japan Federation of Bar associations (2004)
New York State Bar Association (2011)
Inter-Pacific Bar Association
Location
Osaka Office

Practice Areas

Corporate and M&A

General Corporate Practice / M&A, Reorganization, and Business Alliance

International Practice

International Commercial Contracts / Trade Regulations/Rule of Origin / International Dispute Resolution / International Arbitration / North America / Asia/Emerging Countries Desk / Vietnam

Life Science, Pharmaceutical and Healthcare

Research and Development / Marketing Regulation / Dispute Resolution / M&A

Education & Professional Experience

March 2011 -October 2011
Visiting foreign attorney at LCT Lawyers, Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam

August 2010 -March 2011
Visiting foreign attorney at Zuber & Taillieu LLP, Los Angeles, U.S.A

2010
University of Southern California Law School (LL.M.)

2003
Kobe University (LL.B.)

Activities

Member, Chartered Institute of Arbitrators (CIArb),

Committee member, Whistleblowers Support Committee, Osaka Bar Association

2018-2022
Committee Member, Osaka City Review Committee for the Information Disclosure

2015-2018
Committee Member, Osaka City Personal Information Protection Council

2011-2014
Adjunct lecturer (Common Law), Osaka Institute of Technology, Faculty of Intellectual Property

2006-2008
Committee member, Standing Committee, Osaka City Condominium Management Support Organization

Publications

2026.03.10	Notes on a Governing Law Clause in International Contracts (4) Certain Governing Law Clauses Which Become Issues in Practice
2025.12.10	Notes on a Governing Law Clause in International Contracts (3) Applicable Law Notwithstanding a Governing Law Clause
2025.09.10	Notes on a Governing Law Clause in International Contracts (2)Limitation on Party Autonomy in the Governing Law Clause and the Effect of the Governing Law Clause on Non-Contractual Claims
2025.06.10	Notes on a Governing Law Clause in International Contracts (1) Purpose of a Governing Law Clause and Party Autonomy
2021.11.30	Joint Venture Legislation and Legal Practice in Four Southeast Asian Countries: Indonesia, Malaysia, Thailand and Vietnam
2021.06.22	Amendments to the Whistleblower Protection Act
2019.12	International Legal Practice
2019.11	Corporate Governance in Four Countries in Southeast Asia
2015.04	International Commercial Arbitration in Vietnam
2011.11	Report from Law Firm in Asia －Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam
2006.07.15	Guide for International Legal Practice －International Sale and Purchase
2006.04	Guide to International Legal Practice (1) to (11)

Seminars/Lectures

2026.03.17	【Online Seminar: Video Streaming】Cross-Border Insights: Key Legal Issues in Asia - Investment Regulations and Data Protection in China, Indonesia, India, and Vietnam
2025.09.26	【Online Seminar】Series of Basic Seminars on Renewable Energy (6): Basics of EPC Contracts
2023.11.20	The Evolution of Mediation - 5 years JIMC-Kyoto – taking stock and looking into the future -
2021.03.12	【Online Seminar】International Legal Practice Seminar (4): Basics and Practice of International Contracts
2020.02.20	Personal Information Protection Laws in Southeast Asia
2019.07.23	Vietnam's Law on Enterprises and Law on Investment - Focusing on Amendments Thereto which are Expected to be Enacted in 2019
2018.06.18～2018.06.19	Asia Legal Practice Morning Seminar (7): Dispute Resolution in Vietnam
2017.09.14	Corporate and Dispute Resolution Practices in Southeast Asia - Osaka
2015.09	Corporate Law Systems in India, Thailand, Vietnam and Indonesia, and Legal Compliance Practices for Japanese Companies
2015.02	Business Law Forum"Practices in Handling E-discovery in Litigations in the United States"
2014.05	E-discovery in Litigations in the United States
2014.01	Legal Consultation regarding Start-up of Business in ASEAN Countries
2013.11	Franchise Laws in Vietnam
2013.10	Vietnam Investment Updates
2013.08	New Labour Code and the Related Regulations in Vietnam
2013.04	New Labour Code in Vietnam
2013.02	Legal Practice regarding Start-up of Business in Vietnam and Cambodia
2013.02	Legal Practice in Vietnam
2012.12	China plus One -Legal Systems for Foreign Investments in ASEAN Countries and Taiwan
2012.09	Labour Law and Employment Practice in Vietnam

Languages

Japanese & English