



Partner

## Naoki Kondo

Tokyo Bar Association, Japan Federation of Bar Associations (registered in 2000, re-registered in 2012)

New York (2009)

Location

Tokyo Office

## Practice Areas

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### Bankruptcy and Restructuring

Restructuring, Rehabilitation, and Insolvency / Out-of-Court Restructurings / Civil Rehabilitation and Corporate Reorganization / Bankruptcy and Special Liquidation / Distressed M&A/DIP Finance / Cross Border Insolvency

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### International Practice

International Commercial Contracts / Trade Remedies (Anti-Dumping, Countervailing Duties and Safeguards) / Trade Regulations/Rule of Origin / International Dispute Resolution / International Arbitration

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### Dispute Resolution

Corporate Litigations, Disputes and D&O Liabilities / Competition/Consumer Protection Litigation / Labor Disputes and Proceedings / International Dispute Resolution / International Arbitration

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### Corporate and M&A

General Corporate Practice / Corporate Litigations, Disputes and D&O Liabilities / M&A, Reorganization, and Business Alliance / Venture and Startup Support

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### Competition and Antitrust

Government Investigations / Competition/Consumer Protection Litigation / Merger Control

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### Employment Law

Employment Consulting / Labor Disputes and Proceedings

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## Education & Professional Experience

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2016 - Present Partner, Oh-Ebashi LPC & Partners

2009 - 2012 Deputy Director (Trade Negotiations and Dispute Settlement), Trade Policy Bureau, Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry (METI)

2009 Georgetown University Law Center (LL.M.)

2008 University of Michigan Law School (LL.M.)

2004 - Present Oh-Ebashi LPC & Partners

2000 - 2003 Tokiwa Sogo Law Offices

1997 Keio University (LL.B.)

# Publications

2025.05.16	Boilerplate: Practical Law UK Practice Note (Thomson Reuters)
2022.06	Sponsorship Schemes in Japanese Legal Restructuring Practice ( INSOL News Update - May 2022)
2022.04.14	Safeguard Measure Imposed by the United States on CSPV Products Primarily Imported from China
2022.04.12	Information Disclosure Requests to Debtors by Utilizing the Companies Act - An Observation Prompted by the Supreme Court Decision of July 5, 2021
2021.12	Part 3 - Standard Clauses "Boilerplate" agreement: Japan (Practical Law, Thomson Reuters)
2021.12	Part 2 - Standard Clauses "Boilerplate" agreement: Japan (Practical Law, Thomson Reuters)
2021.09	Part 1 - Standard Clauses "Boilerplate" agreement: Japan (Practical Law, Thomson Reuters)
2021.05	Privacy of Debtors on the “ Bankrupt Map ” at Stake ( INSOL News Update - May 2021)
2021.04.13	Whether or not a COVID 19 Subsidy for Businesses can be Seized - Ruling Rendered by the Itami Branch of the Kobe District Court on November 19, 2020 -
2020.09.08	Decisions Related to Insolvency Proceedings Rendered by the Supreme Court in 2018 and 2019
2020.05	Law on Force Majeure in Japan
2020.04	Japan's Economic Response to the Coronavirus
2019.11	220 Q&As on the Practice of Bankruptcy Proceedings
2019.11	Research and Study Report on the WTO Appellate Body Report and Panel Report "DS523 United States — Countervailing Measures on Certain Pipe and Tube Products (Turkey)"
2019.09	GRR The Asia-Pacific Restructuring Review 2020 - Japan Chapter
2019.01.15	Right to Demand Rescission of a Fraudulent Act under the Amended Law of Obligations
2018.11	Small Practices and Consumer Debt Issues-Japan
2018.10	GRR The Asia-Pacific Restructuring Review 2019 - Japan Chapter
2018.06.14	Theory, Practice and Document Forms of Bankruptcy of a Business Corporation
2018.03	Research and Study Report on the WTO Appellate Body Report and Panel Report, “ DS487:United States — Conditional Tax Incentives for Large Civil Aircraft ”
2017.06	WTO Case Review 2016 "European Communities – Definitive Anti-Dumping Measures on Certain Iron or Steel Fasteners from China – Recourse to Article 21.5 of the DSU by China (WT/DS397/RW, WD/DS397/AB/RW ) "
2017.05	Latest WTO Case Law Analysis on Trade Remedies No.23: Permissibility of Disregarding Costs in Exporters' Records in Constructing Normal Value
2016.12	Web Commentary on TPP "2.4 National Treatment and Market Access for Goods (Agriculture)"
2016.11	Web Commentary on TPP "2.2 National Treatment and Market Access for Goods (Tariff)"
2016.10	Web Commentary on TPP "4 Textile and Apparel Goods"
2016.10	GRR The Asia-Pacific Restructuring Review 2017 - Japan Overview
2016.09	Web Commentary on TPP "3 Rules of Origin and Origin Procedures"
2016.09	Web Commentary on TPP "22 Competitiveness and Business Facilitation"
2016.09	Web Commentary on TPP "24 Small and Medium-Sized Enterprises"
2016.08	Issues in TPP:Reading Its Reality and Future in the Agreement:TPP:Integrating SMEs into Global Supply Chains
2016.04	Latest WTO Case Law Analysis in Trade Remedies No.10: Injury Analysis on Multi - Grade Products in Anti Dumping Investigation
2014.10	Corporate Rehabilitation Clinic (No. 46): “ The Reorganization Case of Chotokan (Grand Hotel Hamamatsu) - DIP Corporate Reorganization of a Hotel Business Rooted in the Regional Economy ”
2013.12	120 Q&As on the Practice of Corporate Reorganization

2012.12	200 Q&As on the Practice of Bankruptcy Proceedings
2011.05.01	The Anti-Counterfeiting Trade Agreement (ACTA) - with a focus on provisions concerning the digital environment
2011.03.01	The Anti-Counterfeiting Trade Agreement (ACTA)
2011.01.01	The Anti-Counterfeiting Trade Agreement (ACTA)
2010.02.01	Theory, Practice and Document Forms of Special Liquidations
2005.07.01	Theory, Practice and Document Forms of the New Bankruptcy Law - Bankruptcy of a Business Corporation
2002.07.05	Introductory Guide to the Amended Civil Rehabilitation Act (2nd Edition)

## Seminars/Lectures

2022.06.10	【Online Seminar】New Series of International Legal Practice Seminars (10): International Trade - Easy-to-Understand Commentary on the "Economic Security Promotion Act": Its Outline and Impact on Companies
2019.12.19	Important Issues in Business Legal Affairs in View of Latest Developments - Business Revitalization (Legal Practice)
2018.10.31	Up-to-Date Claim Management Practices for Experts through Review of the Latest Amendments and Court Decisions
2018.03.15	Understanding the Fair Disclosure Rules and the Consequences Thereof for IR Practices in 90 Minutes -With a reference also to Cases of Penalties in the United States
2017.09.13	A Review of Points concerning the Revision of the Civil Code in 90 Minutes - Amendments to Contract Rules - Nagoya
2017.05.30	A Review of Points concerning the Revision of the Civil Code in 90 Minutes - Amendments to Contract Rules - Tokyo
2015.03	Business Rehabilitation of Local Companies and the Role of Financial Institutions - Based on Business Recovery Cases Using the Prepackaged DIP-style Corporate Reorganization

## Languages

Japanese and English