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# Kyoto/Tokyo Seminar Program in Japanese Law

Kyoto Seminar – 8-12 February 2010

Tokyo Seminar – 15-18 February 2010

## APPLICATION AND ENROLMENT INFORMATION

Applications open from 14 September and close on 9 October 2009. Application forms are available at [www.law.usyd.edu.au/caplus](http://www.law.usyd.edu.au/caplus).

Postgraduate students can enrol in either the Kyoto or Tokyo Seminars (LAWS6879 JAPANESE LAW or LAWS6901 JAPANESE LAW & THE ECONOMY, respectively) or in both. Each unit of study is worth 6 credit points.

Undergraduate students must attend both seminars. They will enrol in either LAWS3444 JAPANESE LAW (6 credit points) or LAWS3076 JAPANESE LAW (8 credit points), depending on their enrolment status.

Although preference is given to University of Sydney students, other students may be able to enrol cross-institutionally or for CLE credit.

Students must organise their own travel, insurance and accommodation. Accommodation suggestions will be provided and an introductory session will be held in Sydney on 1 February 2010 (5-6pm).

### Further details and expressions of interest:

[www.kyoto-seminar.jp](http://www.kyoto-seminar.jp) or contact Craig Bromley at [law.winterschools@usyd.edu.au](mailto:law.winterschools@usyd.edu.au)

### Australian Network for Japanese Law (ANJeL)

[www.law.usyd.edu.au/anjel](http://www.law.usyd.edu.au/anjel)  
Co-Director: Associate Professor Luke Nottage

## STUDY LAW IN JAPAN

The Kyoto/Tokyo Seminar Program offers a unique opportunity to study Japanese Law on an intensive basis in global and socio-economic context. The Program aims to develop the general skills of comparative lawyers, to effectively and critically assess contemporary developments in the Japanese legal system. It is jointly organised by the Sydney Law School in collaboration with the Australian Network for Japanese Law (ANJeL) and Ritsumeikan University School of Law in Japan.

Classes are co-taught in English by ANJeL co-directors and members, as well as Japanese professors or practitioners from Ritsumeikan or other universities and organisations. International students from Australia and beyond will join with law students from leading Japanese universities.

The Kyoto Seminar is held at Ritsumeikan University Law School in Kyoto and provides an introduction to how law operates in Japanese society. After an overview of comparative law techniques, Japanese legal history and its contemporary legal system, classes explore civil and criminal justice, consumer law, politics and constitutionalism, gender and law, and an introduction to business and law.

The Tokyo Seminar is held at Ritsumeikan University campus in Tokyo and examines business law topics in socio-economic context in more detail. After outlining developments in the Japanese economy, it focuses on corporate and securities law, investment and finance law, insolvency and labour law, ADR and lawyering.

Enrolment is available to undergraduate and postgraduate law students seeking to obtain credit for a tertiary award, and to students with appropriate tertiary education qualifications who are seeking to enrol for non-degree purposes.

