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## **ACTIVITIES OF ACADEMIC SOCIETIES**

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**Jan.–Dec., 2018**

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### **1. Constitutional Law**

The *Japan Public Law Association* held its 83rd. General Meeting in Tokyo at Senshu University on October 13 and 14, 2018. The following presentations were made under the unified theme of “‘Precedent’ and ‘Principle’ in the Public Law Interpretation”.

**First Day:**

“Constitutional Judgement and Constitutional Interpretation: Constitutional Decisions of the Supreme Court of Japan and their Character of the Precedents

Inoue Noriyuki, (Professor, Kobe University)

“Präjudizien im Verwaltungsrecht”

Yamamoto Ryuji (Professor, University of Tokyo)

“Die Wechselwirkungen der Prinzipien in der Interpretation des öffentlichen Rechts- Verhältnismäßigkeits-, Vorsorge- und Gleichheitsprinzip aus Sicht von Verfassungsrechtswissenschaft”

Matsumoto Kazuhiko, (Professor, Osaka University)

“Der Grundsatz der Verhältnismäßigkeit im jaoanischen Recht“

Suto Yoko, (Professor, Ritsumeikan University)

### **Second Day:**

#### **First Session**

“Parliamentary Precedents: Focusing on Roles and Issues of Practices in Parliamentary Law and System”

Kawasaki Masaji, (Commissioner of Legislation, Legislative Bureau of House of Councillors)

“The Precedents of Constitutional Interpretation of the Cabinet”

Yokodaido Satoshi, (Professor, Keio University)

“National Administrative Agencies’ Precedents”

Saeki Yuji, (Professor, Doshisha University)

“‘Stare Decisis’ and Local Public Entities”

Tanaka Takao, (Professor, Kyushu University)

#### **Second Session**

“Le principe d’efficience dans les activités administratives: étude de jurisprudence administrative”

Kimura Takumaro, (Professor, Chiba University)

“Government Activities and the Principle of Good Faith”

Watai Rikako, (Professor, Keio University)

“Principle of Equality and Anti-Discrimination: Conflict, Competition and Collaboration of the Principles”

Kimura Sota, (Professor, Tokyo Metropolitan University)

“Valeur constitutionnelle du principe de subsidiarité mise en perspective”

Otsu Hiroshi, (Professor, Meiji University)