

Program on CDR/HSP International Seminar
“International Human Rights Framework for Asylum Seekers and Refugees:
A Brief Introduction”

Dates: Saturday 5 October 2013, at 10.00 – 12.00

Venue: K303, 21 Komacee, Komaba Campus, The University of Tokyo

Organisers: CDR, IARLJ

Supporter: HSP, HSF, RCSP, UNHCR, Japan Association of Asian Law and Asian Society of International Law, Japan Chapter

Co –chairs: Project Associate Professor Satoshi Yamamoto, CDR and Judge Allan Mackey, IARLJ

(English-Japanese Simultaneous Interpretation provided)

Opening addresses (brief): [10.00-10:15, including introduction of summary of the Summer School 2013 by Satoshi and Allan]

Mr. Michael Lindenbauer, new Representative of UNHCR Tokyo Office and Judge Sebastiaan de Groot, President of IARLJ

Keynote: [10:15-10:45]

Prof Koki Abe, Kanagawa University, President of Human Rights Now

Possible Issues to be discussed: Complementarity of the International Human Rights Law and Refugee Law: Theoretical and Practical Insights; International Law and Local Laws; Comparative Studies

Comments: [10:45-10:55]

Prof Judge Harald Dorig -German Supreme Administration Court

[Special Guest Remark: Judge Shinji Sakakibara, Nagoya High Court (tbc) ~11.00]

Panel Discussion: [11:00-12:00]

Ms. Naoko Obi UNHCR Senior Protection Officer, Judge Martin Treadwell NZ Immigration and Protection Tribunal), Judge Seong Soo Kim (Suwon District Court), Prof. Sato, Judge Mackey (Moderator).

Conclusive Remark: Prof. Misako Kaji