

Partner

Hiroshi Kuramochi

Daiichi Tokyo Bar Association, Japan Federation of Bar Associations (2007)
Location
Tokyo Office

Practice Areas

Corporate and M&A

General Corporate Practice / M&A, Reorganization, and Business Alliance / Private Equity / Corporate Governance/Shareholders Meeting / Venture and Startup Support

Risk Management & Compliance

Corporate Investigation / Product Liability

Bankruptcy and Restructuring

Restructuring, Rehabilitation, and Insolvency / Civil Rehabilitation and Corporate Reorganization / Distressed M&A/DIP Finance / Cross Border Insolvency

Dispute Resolution

Corporate Litigations, Disputes and D&O Liabilities / Product Liability / Labor Disputes and Proceedings

Finance and Insurance

Insurance / FinTech / Fund/Investment Management / Financial Regulations / Venture Capital and Venture Finance

Employment Law

Employment Consulting / Labor Disputes and Proceedings

Personal Data, AI, IT and Digital

FinTech

Education & Professional Experience

August 2016 - July 2017
Pillsbury Winthrop Shaw Pittman LLP（New York）

2016
University of Southern California（LL.M.）

April 2013 – August 2014
Financial Markets Division, Planning and Coordination Bureau of the Financial Services Agency in Japan

2004
Kyoto University (LL.B.)

Activities

April 2019 -
Adjunct Instructor (Corporate Law), School of International and Area Studies, Tokyo University of Foreign Studies

September 2017 -
Compliance officer of a financial instruments business operator (which engages in the Type II Financial Instruments Business, and the Investment Advisory and Agency Business)

2014
Member of the independent committee of a company listed with the first section of the Tokyo Stock Exchange

July 2010 - December 2011
Temporary director of a company operating restaurants

Publications

2026.04.03	Commentary on the Financial Instruments and Exchange Act [Revised Second Edition] [Volume 1] Definitions and Disclosure Regulation
2025.10.01	Amendments to the Financial Instruments and Exchange Act and Relevant Cabinet Orders and Cabinet Office Orders Concerning the Tender Offer System and the Large Shareholding Reporting System
2022.09.29	Stablecoins Regulations in Japan
2021.04.09	Commentary on the Financial Instruments and Exchange Act [Revised Edition] [Volume 1] Definitions and Disclosure Regulation
2020.12	Start-up Investment Agreement – Model Agreement and Commentary Thereon
2020.01.14	“ Exclusive Negotiation Right ” - Its legal binding force and the differences with Precerential Negotiation Right
2019.12.20	2019 Crypto Asset Amendment
2019.08	The Revised Civil Code and Practices on Insurance Business
2019.06	Best Practices of Forming Venture Capital Funds - A Commentary on the New Model Contract and the Market-Value Valuation Method
2018.09.15	Publication of “ A Limited Partnership Agreement for Investment (Template) and an Explanation Thereof ” (2)
2018.09.01	Publication of “ A Limited Partnership Agreement for Investment (Template) and an Explanation Thereof ” (1)
2018.06.22	Fair Disclosure Rule
2012.10.01	Report No. 1 of the Study Group on Speeding Up Business Restructuring (The Second Term): Speeding Up Corporate Reorganization Proceedings and Involvement of Creditors Therein (Volume 2)
2012.09.15	Report No. 1 of the Study Group on Speeding Up Business Restructuring (The Second Term): Speeding Up Corporate Reorganization Proceedings and Involvement ofCreditors Therein (Volume 1)
2011.07.01	Examination of the DIP-Type Corporate Reorganization- Spansion Japan (6) the last volume: IssuesSurrounding Secured Reorganization Claims in Reorganization Proceedings(Practices in Handling Asset-Based Loans and the Secured Reorganization CreditorsCommittee)

Seminars/Lectures

2023.01.25	【Onilne Seminar】A Commentary on Startup Investments
2019.10.24	Important Issues in Business Legal Affairs in View of Latest Developments - Restrictions on Fund Companies under the Financial Instruments and Exchange Act
2019.10.04	Legal Regulations Concerning Crypto Assets (Virtual Currencies) Based on the Amendments in 2019 to the Payment Services Act
2018.06.26	An Explanation of the Sample Investment Limited Partnership Agreement Revised Mainly for VC Funds

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
2018.02.05	Practices in Raising Capital for a Venture Company

Languages

Japanese & English