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Date

**March 17, 2016** (9:00~18:00)

Venue

Arcadia Ichigaya, Tokyo (Room Fuji - East)

Tokyo University of Science ("TUS") Graduate School of Innovation Studies Master of IP Dept. hosts the 3rd TUS MIP International IP Seminar. The theme of this year is "Patent Litigation Developments in Japan, U.S.A. and Europe - a change for NPE activities". The number of NPE litigations, which had once decreased in 2014, increased again in 2015. You will enjoy keynote speeches by the world's top IP judges on patent litigation developments, and speeches and discussions by lawyers, patent attorneys and business executives fighting in the NPE war front lines. Please also join free the cocktail reception after the seminar.

Registration

@ TUS MIP Web Page:  
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Registration Cutoff

March 14, 2016  
or, when registration reaches 240

### Keynote Speakers



**Keynote 1.**  
**MR. RANDALL R. RADER**  
Former Chief Judge of  
CAFC, USA



**Keynote 2.**  
**PROF. DR. PETER MEIER-BECK**  
Presiding Judge 10th Civil Senate  
German Federal Court of Justice



**keynote 3.**  
**Mr. RYUICHI SHITARA**  
Chief Judge, IP High Court  
Japan

### Speakers/Moderators



**MR. PORTER F. FLEMING**  
Partner  
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**PROF. DR. HEINZ GODDAR**  
Partner  
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**MR. CHRISTIAN W. APPELT**  
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**MR. KENICHI NAGASAWA**  
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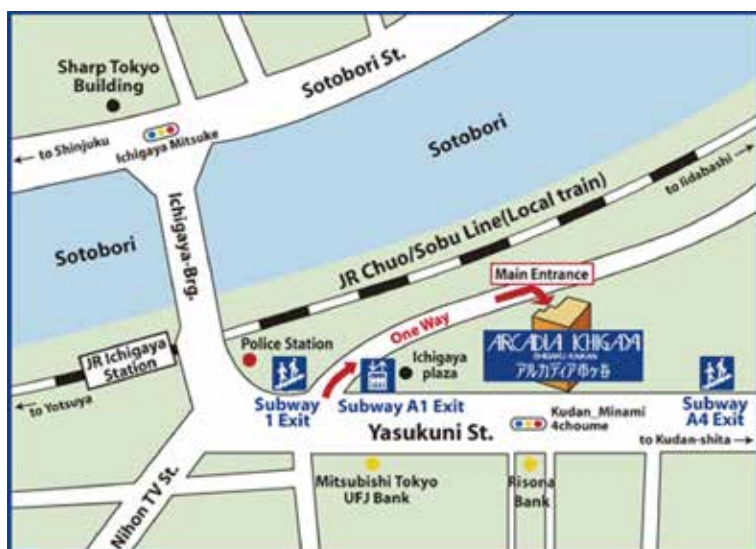


**MR. YOSHIIHIDE NAKAMURA**  
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Program		
Time	Presentation	Speaker
9:00~9:15	Opening Remarks	Prof. Yasuhiro Hirakawa Vice President, Tokyo University of Science
9:15~10:00	Keynote 1. NPEs in U.S. Litigation - An Ongoing Challenge	Mr. Randall R. Rader Former Chief Judge of CAFC, USA
10:00~11:00	Recent Experiences with U.S. NPE Litigation - Problems, Opportunity, Future Developments	Mr. Porter F. Fleming Partners - Frommer Lawrence & Haug, LLP
11:00~11:15	Morning Coffee Break	
11:15~12:00	Keynote 2. NPE Litigation in Germany - Challenge or Business as Usual?	Prof. Dr. Peter Meier-Beck, Presiding Judge 10th Civil Senate, German Federal Court of Justice
12:00~12:30	Defensive Measures in Europe and Germany - Opposition and Invalidation Procedures, observation of third parties	Mr. Christian W. Appelt Partner, Boehmert & Boehmert
12:30~13:00	Strategy for Patent Actions Against NPEs in Germany, taking into account EU Community Patent Developments	Prof. Dr. Heinz Goddar Partner, Boehmert & Boehmert
13:00~14:15	Lunch Break	
14:15~15:00	Keynote 3. IP Litigation in Japan - SEPs and NPE Developments	Mr. Ryuichi Shitara Chief Judge, IP High Court, Japan
15:00~16:00	Developments in Views of Japanese Industry - Issues and Measures for Japanese Companies	Mr. Kenichi Nagasawa, Director, Group Executive Corporate IP & Legal HQs, Canon Inc. Mr. Yoshihide Nakamura President & CEO, Uldage, Inc. (Moderator: Prof. Makoto Ogino, TUS)
16:00~16:30	Afternoon Tea Break	
16:30~17:00	Panel Discussion with Judges concerning NPE Litigation/Practice	Chief Judge Ryuichi Shitara Prof. Dr. Peter Meier-Beck Former Chief Judge Randall Rader (Moderator: Prof. Dr. Heinz Goddar)
17:00~18:00	Roundtable Discussions - NPEs	All Speakers (Moderator: Mr. Porter F. Fleming)
18:30~	Cocktail Reception (Free) @ Room Daisetsu	



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