

*International Symposium Jointly Held by The University of Tokyo Institute for Future Initiatives and The University of Tokyo Graduate Schools for Law and Politics*

## 「Discussion on Present and Future of Supply Chains and Intellectual Property Systems –Focus on Exhaustion–」

**【Summary】** Regarding supply chains and intellectual property rights, various studies have been conducted to explore how SEPs and related rights should be enforced, how and with whom to negotiate licenses. The question is whether legal systems should be reformed to keep pace with the Age of the Internet of Things. In this symposium, practical and theoretical issues will be examined with reference to foreign and domestic trends, and the effect of innovation due to the future development of advanced technology on intellectual property systems will also be discussed.

**【Date/Time】** Monday, July 11, 2022, 18 : 00-20 : 30 (JST)

**【Venue】** Online (Zoom Webinar)

**【Language】** Japanese · English (with simultaneous interpretation)

**【How to Register】** Please register at the URL below. <https://forms.gle/FbzFtdWbUbPq3tR29>

### **【Program】**

#### ■ Session 1 Supply Chain and the Patent System: Special Reference to Exhaustion

《Moderator》 Yoshiyuki Tamura (Professor, The University of Tokyo Graduate Schools for Law and Politics)

《Panelists》 Tomoko Miyamoto (WIPO: Head, Patents and Treaties Law Section, Patent and Technology Law Division)  
Masabumi Suzuki (Professor, Nagoya University Graduate School of Law)  
Shogo Matsunaga (Lawyer, Sonderhoff & Einsel Law and Patent Office)

< Language: Japanese >

#### ■ Session 2 How Future Technologies Will Change the IP System

《Moderator》 Toshiya Watanabe (Professor, The University of Tokyo Institute for Future Initiatives)

《Panelists》 Ulrike Till (WIPO: Director IP and Frontier Technologies)  
Tohru (Kobayashi) Yoshioka (Lecturer, Hitotsubashi University Institute of Innovation Research)

< Languages: Japanese&English (simultaneous interpretation is available) >

### **【Host】**

Intellectual Property Rights Policy Research Unit, The University of Tokyo Institute for Future Initiatives  
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### **【Co-host】**

The Intellectual Property Law Research Society of The University of Tokyo  
Public Domain Research Society: A cross-sectional examination of various intellectual property laws from the perspective of encouraging and securing the public domain.

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