# Honorary Program



55TH INTERNATIONAL YOUNG LAWYERS' CONGRESS

28 AUGUST•1 SEPTEMBER 2017 by AIJA

## Introduction

Dear Friends, Chers Amis,

Tokyo!!! For the first time in its 55 years, AIJA goes to Asia for its annual congress, and it is my great pleasure to present you a fantastic program and to invite you to join us at the 55th international young lawyers' congress in Tokyo starting on Tuesday (a day earlier than usual!) on 29 August and ending on Friday, September 1 2017.

This is the moment you all have been waiting for: to have an excellent reason to discover or return to Japan together with your AIJA friends! To reconnect with old friends and make new ones, while discovering the extraordinary mixture of an ancient culture and the high-tech future.

If you are short on time and can do nothing else, but participate in the social programs of the congress, you will get an excellent glimpse of what Tokyo can offer.

The congress hotel Hilton Shinjuku with its Japanese-style rooms is ideally located in the heart of Tokyo's business and entertainment district. The opening ceremony on Tuesday will take you to a luxury garden oasis at the famous Chinzanso Hotel. [We will have the day out on the Wednesday, and it will allow you to discover the major historic sights of the city as well as some eccentric and unique neighborhoods, with a high-class dinner at the top floor of a skyscraper with stunning views of Tokyo together with all congress participants.]

The traditional honorary part of the program starts on Thursday morning at 10 AM with the honoraries' meeting that I

will have the pleasure to chair as immediate past president. Please come, the first-vice president and I are counting on you to share your valuable views!

The exclusive dinner open to honoraries only will take place on Thursday evening at Mon Cher Ton Ton Restaurant while the "regular" participants of the congress will also have "Japanese Hospitality Dinners" in small groups at various local restaurants.

On Friday, please join as at the general assembly. The gala dinner on Friday evening at the extraordinary Happo-En palace and imperial gardens will be truly a once-in-a-lifetime experience.

One more thought: no matter how attractive the scientific and social program is, you are the living proofs that AIJA offers so much more than just skills and knowledge and a great social program. **We connect people**. One of our statutory missions is to encourage exchanges and promote solidarity and mutual respect between young lawyers from all countries. So, spread the word about AIJA and register a younger colleague of yours!

See you in Tokyo!

Sincerely,

Orsolya Görgényi

AIJA Immediate Past President





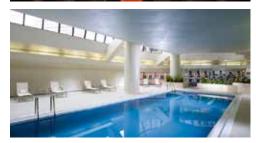


# Congress Venue









#### **HILTON TOKYO**

Hilton Tokyo is located in Shinjuku, the heart of Tokyo's business, shopping and entertainment district, and is an ideal place to experience modern Japan. A complimentary shuttle operates between the hotel and Shinjuku station and the Tokyo Metro subway is connected to the hotel.

The Hilton Shinjuku has Japanese-style rooms and suites with stunning city views. Feel rejuvenated in the 24-hour on-site health club and relax in the sauna or soothing whirl-pool spa. Play tennis on the rooftop courts or swim lengths in the indoor pool. Everything is there to help you relax after the daily working sessions and workshops and before the evening program of the Congress. The hotel offers WiFi and internet access throughout all rooms and public spaces.

Special room rates from the 27th of August until 3rd of September:

KING HILTON rates from 24800 JPY/Night TWIN HILTON rates from 24800 JPY/Night

This rate includes continental and/or Japanese breakfast and wifi.







# Program



#### Tuesday 29 August 2017

### **Opening Ceremony**

**CHINZANSO HOTEL** 

10-8, Sekiguchi 2-chome, Bunkyo-ku, 112-8680 Tokyo Japan

Join us at an Opening Ceremony that you will never forget! Japan is well-known to be a leading country for new technologies and high-tech developments.

You will get a feeling for this at our Opening Ceremony. We will not only have interesting speeches and an entertaining program, but also a chance to get an insight into this innovative and "high-tech" part of Tokyo.

The Opening Ceremony, Flying Dinner and Party will take place at the famous Chinzanso Hotel, a luxury garden oasis in the heart of Tokyo. The gardens were indeed formally established in 1868, in what we called the Meiji era. However, the beautiful camelia hills of the area were already a point of reference for stunning natural beauty 700 years ago.

The Chinzanso Hotel will welcome for the night of our Opening Ceremony amazing lighting, 3D screens and cutting-edge technologies such as speaking robots and holograms. A once-in-a-lifetime experience in an exclusive event area that will fulfil all our wishes and needs will be the perfect venue for an outstanding night in the true AIJA Spirit.

You will also have the opportunity to experience true Japanese food with a touch of International flavor. Come and enjoy sushis, Japanese noodles and much more during this unique dinner experience of the Congress.

We will close this amazing evening with great music and dancing at a true AIJA after-party!

DRESS CODE: Business suit

Join AIJA for the Opening Ceremony. The most 'official' moment of AIJA Annual Congresses!







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#### Thursday 31 August 2017

### **AIJA Honorary Meeting**

**Hilton Meeting Room** 

Please block Thursday morning, 31st August, 10 a.m., in your calendar for an update on important past, current and future projects of AIJA and an exchange with the Immediate Past President and, this year, also with the First Vice President. Your views count!

# Day out: major sights of Tokyo

Get ready for a unique and fantastic Day Out: Join us for a Discovery tour of Tokyo's main attraction spots: we will go through the historic heart of Tokyo and enjoy its major Temples and historical gardens. You will also have the opportunity to discover the eccentric and unique parts of Tokyo, with cosplay-dressed young people walking down major avenues and you never know what to expect around the next corner. You will be divided into teams with a local for each team who will take you through the sights, with a little trick to play or a treasure to find at each one.

### **Exclusive Honorary Dinner**

Mon Cher Ton Ton Shinjuku

Shinjuku Sumitomo Bldg, 52nd Floor.2-6 Nishi-Shinjuku, Shinjuku-ku, Tokyo, 163-0252

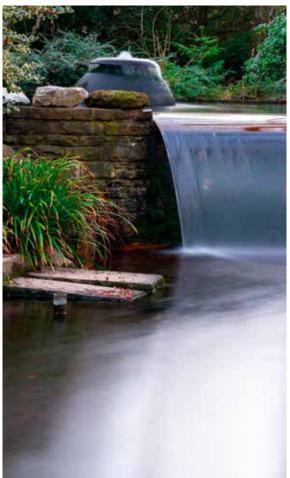
After having discovered the heart of Tokyo in the afternoon, you will feel the vibes of the amazing Japanese sense of hospitality, thoughtfulness and attentiveness by dining at the high-class restaurant Mon Cher Ton Ton, which is located at the top floor of a sky scraper in Shinjuku offering a breath-taking view of Tokyo.

Mon Cher Ton Ton is an outstanding restaurant serving traditional Japanese "Teppanyaki" cuisine.

DRESS CODE: casual for the day out and smart casual for dinner

Don't miss this unique experience amongst ALJA Friends!

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### Friday 1 September 2017

### Gala dinner

#### Happo-En

1 Chome-1-1 Shirokanedai, Tokyo 108-0071

At one of the most beautiful locations in Tokyo, the Happo-En palace and imperial gardens, you will enjoy

the finest food, an amazing fusion between Asian and European cuisine.

Happo-en is grounded in all aspects of Japanese culture traditional gardens, architecture, culinary techniques, art, music and many others. Happo-en's garden, skillfully incorporating the basic principles of traditional garden landscaping, was carefully composed to reproduce a natural setting. It includes several features of historic importance, such as a display of bonsai trees over 500 years old, and the "Muan" and "Kakuhoan" teahouses, transported and rebuilt on site,

all harmoniously blending together to create an oasis of beauty that brings pleasure throughout the year.

DRESS CODE: European or Japanese black tie

Be ready for a gastronomical adventure, a traditional Japanese show and many more surprises for this last enchanting night of the Congress.

Please prepare for an enchanting Gala dinner.







## **REGISTRATION FORM**

#### TO BE RETURNED TO:



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VAT number (if applicable)	AIJA membership number (if known)
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GUEST 3: FULL name	

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# **REGISTRATION FORM**





REGISTRATION FEES:	FEES 19 July	FEES After 19 July	Number of tickets
Full program	EUR 550	EUR 590	
No dinner included	EUR 400	EUR 450	
Opening Ceremony and dinner only	EUR 195	EUR 195	
Accompanying Person	EUR 250	EUR 290	
	Total to be paid		EUR(No VAT applicable)
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