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Curriculum vitae

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Career

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Academic Society

The International Law Association (member of the Space Law Committee); the Institute of International Space Law (member of the Board (Directors)); Japanese Society of International Law; the Japanese Association of World Law (member of the Board of Directors), the Air Law Institute of Japan (member of the Board of Directors), Japan Association for International Security; the Japan Association of International Security and Trade (President).

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Main articles (including books) in English since 2006

Main Articles (including books) in Japanese since 2006 (titles, etc., translated into English)