URYU & ITOGA

Unparalleled support for domestic and international corporate legal matters

Reliance and trust evidenced by our many accomplishments and by continuously meeting client demands for over thirty years

Message from the Managing Partner



The global business environment has become increasingly complex and diversified amidst fast-paced globalization. The roles of professionals are rapidly changing and additional services are increasingly required to meet the business demands of these times. To help clients meet the challenges of this new era, Uryu & Itoga not only provides traditional legal services such as dispute mediation, dispute resolution and crisis management, but also provides comprehensive, unified business solutions for your business. Our dedicated team of professionals are intensely focused on resolving any legal or business issue faced by domestic and international corporations. Through mutual collaboration among our attorneys, certified public accountants and tax accountants, and by utilizing our unparalleled expertise related not only to Japan or the U.S., Europe, China or Asian regions, but also emerging countries as well, we aim to acquire a genuine understanding of each clients' complete business needs.

Managing Partner Kentaro Uryu

Expertise in all domestic and international legal matters Aspiring to be a true business partner

Practice Areas

Uryu & Itoga aims to provide the highest level of quality legal services in all practice areas including corporate governance, M&A and restructuring, litigation / dispute resolution, finance, crisis management, antitrust and IT / intellectual property law in Japan.

Furthermore, Uryu & Itoga has made unparalleled achievements advising clients pursuing significant cross-border transactions in Asia, U.S., Europe and other regions.

Corporate Governance

Compliance with Japanese Administrative Regulations
Shareholder Meeting Regulations
Financial Regulations / Financial Instruments and Exchange Act
Corporate Governance
Compliance

M&A and Restructuring

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Private Equity
Venture Capital

Finance

Acquisition Finance
Banking
Project Finance
Structured Finance
Derivatives
Insurance-related Laws and Regulations

Litigation / Dispute Resolution

Civil and Commercial Disputes

Mediation / Arbitration / Alternative Dispute Resolution
International Dispute Resolution
Corporate Criminal Legal Affairs
Debt Collection
Medical Malpractice Lawsuits
Media-related Lawsuits (Defamation, Libel, etc.)





Labor Law

Labor-related Legal Affairs

Labor Disputes

Managing Relations with Labor Unions

Real Estate

Real Estate Transactions
Real Estate Investment / Securitization

Competition and Antitrust Law

Antitrust Act Unfair Competition Prevention Act

Insolvencies and Business Turnarounds

Tax





IT / Intellectual Property

Intellectual Property-related Litigation
Entertainment Law

Sports Law and Anti-doping

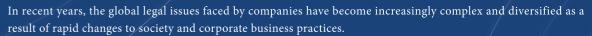
Trade Law and Anti-dumping

Family and Inheritance Law

Public Interest Corporations / General Incorporated Associations

Pharmaceuticals and Healthcare

Environmental Law

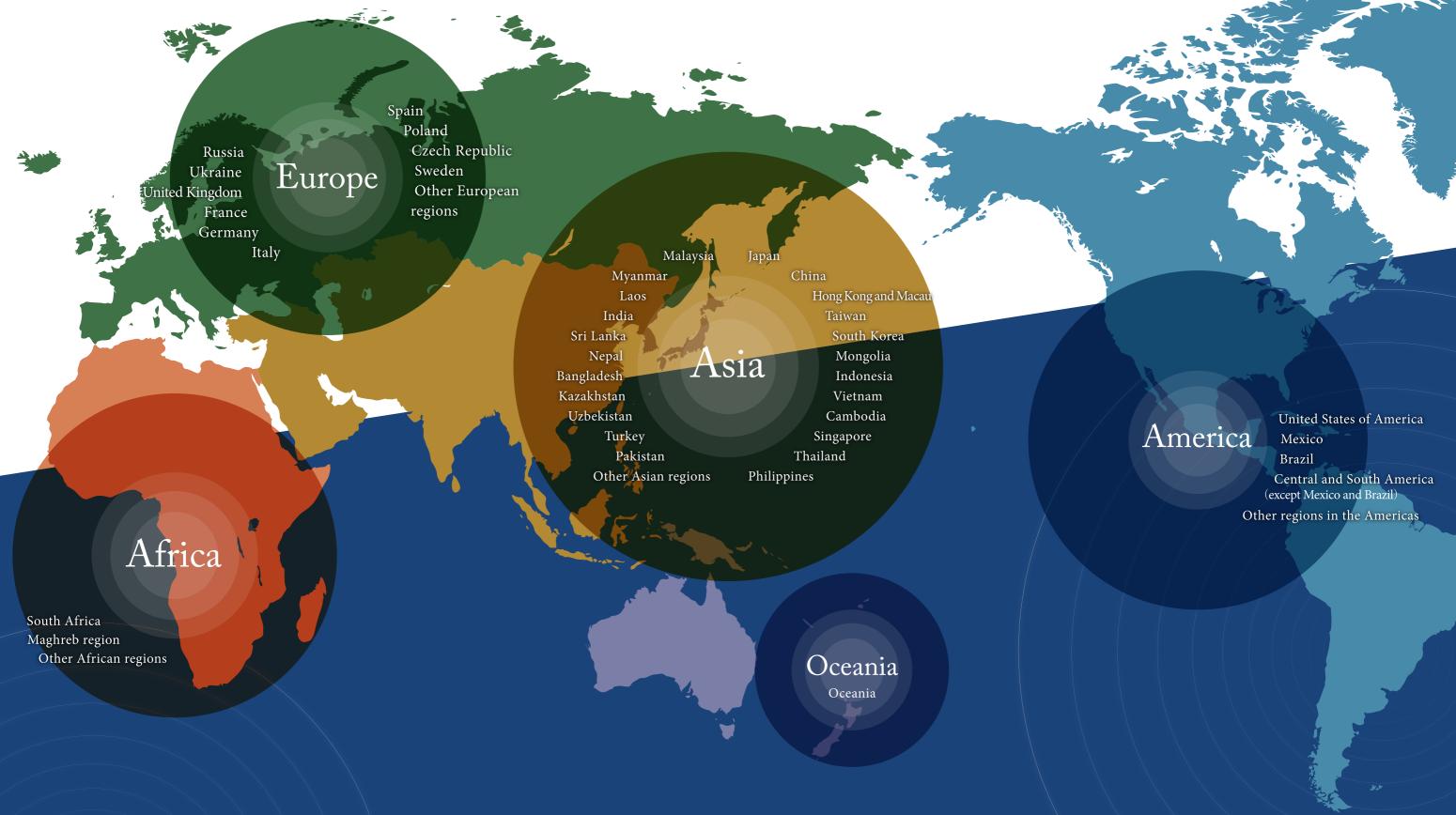


For example, there are an increasing number of dispute resolution cases which require not only a deep understanding of the law, but also comprehensive business judgment incorporating tax and accounting implications. As a result, attorneys handling corporate legal affairs are increasingly required to possess significant expertise in corporate matters in addition to legal expertise.

In that regard, Uryu & Itoga has abundant expertise and experience in our practice areas which include dispute resolution, crisis management, general corporate affairs, M&A, IT, insolvencies and business turnarounds, and finance. In addition, Uryu & Itoga also retains talented and experienced professionals specializing in tax and accounting matters.

With the collective experience and expertise of our professionals in their respective areas and the ability of our firm to provide a unified service platform, we can provide optimal solutions to enable our clients to pursue their business objectives quickly and efficiently.





A Japanese law firm capable of resolving any legal issue in the world

Uryu & Itoga's practice began with Ryo Itoga providing legal services to clients conducting business in China in the 1970s. As a result, Uryu & Itoga has the distinction of being the Japanese law firm with the longest history of providing legal services relating to China. Over time, our practice has greatly expanded and our professionals currently advise clients on international investments, transactions and commercial matters not only related to China, but also Hong Kong, Taiwan, Macau, Vietnam, South Korea, Russia and other Asian regions based upon their local laws and regulations. To accomplish this, we retain a diverse group

of experienced professionals whose expertise encompass a wide range of practice areas including: (1) investments (establishment of local companies, M&A, restructuring, etc.); (2) divestitures (dissolution and liquidation, sales of equity interests, etc.); (3) commercial trade transactions (sales and purchase of cargo, technology transfer, etc.); (4) legal matters related to management of local subsidiaries; (5) contract drafting; (6) international trade regulations (anti-dumping and other WTO-related issues); and (7) dispute resolution (complex litigation, arbitration, labor disputes, administrative sanctions, etc.).

Comprehensive business support through closely-knit collaboration among our professionals

Uryu & Itoga provides advice related to general corporate legal affairs, both domestically and internationally, for Japanese companies engaging in business activities worldwide. We are a dedicated team of experienced professionals that provide comprehensive, optimal business solutions via a single unified service platform for matters requiring legal, accounting and tax perspectives. Our attorneys accomplish this by working in close collaboration with our group companies and our certified public accountants, tax accountants, foreign attorneys and other professionals to gain a genuine understanding of each clients' complete business needs.









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