

**H.E. Judge Yuji IWASAWA**  
**Judge**  
**International Court of Justice**

**(Curriculum Vitae)**



Name : Yuji IWASAWA

Date of Birth : 4 June 1954 (64 years old)

**Educational Background :**

March	1977	LL.B., University of Tokyo Faculty of Law
June	1978	LL.M., Harvard Law School
January	1997	S.J.D., University of Virginia School of Law
September	2018	Honorary Doctorate, Osaka City University

**Professional Career :**

April 1977	Research Associate, Faculty of Law, University of Tokyo
April 1982	Associate Professor, Faculty of Law, Osaka City University
April 1996	Associate Professor, Department of International Relations, University of Tokyo
October 1997	Professor, Department of International Relations, University of Tokyo
October 2005	Professor, Faculty of Law, University of Tokyo
June 2018	Judge, International Court of Justice

**Professional Activities (Selected) :**

- Vice-Chair, International Law Association, London, since 2016
- Associé, Institut de droit international, since 2015
- Chairperson, Human Rights Committee (ICCPR), 2009-11, 2017-18  
(Member, 2007-18; Vice-Chairperson, 2011-13, 2015-17;  
Special Rapporteur on Follow-Up to Views, 2013-15)
- President, Japanese Society of International Law, 2016-18
- Judge, Asian Development Bank Administrative Tribunal, Manila, 2004-13  
(Vice-President, 2010-13)
- Lecturer, The Hague Academy of International Law, "Domestic Application of International Law", 2002
- Visiting Fellow, Lauterpacht Centre for International Law, Cambridge,  
1991-93, 1997, 2000-01
- Chercheur invité, Centre de recherche sur les droits de l'homme et le droit humanitaire,

Publications (Selected):

- *Domestic Applicability of Treaties: What are “Self-executing” Treaties?* (Yuhikaku, 1985) (Japanese)
- *The Problem in International Transactions with Foreign States and State Enterprises: Jurisdictional Immunity of States* (Nippon Institute for Research Advancement, 1987) (Japanese)
- *Dispute Settlement in the WTO* (Sanseido, 1995) (Japanese)
- *International Law, Human Rights, and Japanese Law: The Impact of International Law on Japanese Law* (Oxford: Clarendon Press, 1998)
- *Lectures on International Law* (Yuhikaku, 2004) (Japanese) (co-edited)
- *International Law Documents* (Yuhikaku, annually) (Japanese) (Editor-in Chief)
- “The Doctrine of Self-Executing Treaties in the United States: A Critical Analysis,” *Virginia Journal of International Law*, Vol. 26 (1986), pp. 627-92
- “Settlement of Disputes Concerning the WTO Agreement: Various Means Other Than the Panel Procedures,” in *Trilateral Perspectives on International Legal Issues* (1996), pp. 377-402
- “The Relationship between International Law and National Law: Japanese Experiences,” *British Yearbook of International Law*, Vol. 64 (1993), pp. 333-90
- “Third Parties before International Tribunals: The ICJ and the WTO,” in *Liber Amicorum Judge Shigeru Oda* (2002), pp.871-91
- “WTO Dispute Settlement as Judicial Supervision,” *Journal of International Economic Law*, Vol. 5 (2002), pp.287-305
- “The Diversity of International Obligations,” United Nations, Audiovisual Library of International Law Lecture (2010)
- “Domestic Application of International Law,” *Recueil des cours de de l’Académie de Droit international de La Haye*, Vol.378 (2015), pp. 9-261