

ISSS NEWSLETTER FOR INTERNATIONAL EMPLOYEES

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ASIA AT NOON: “LEGAL REFORM IN NORTHEAST ASIA: INSTITUTIONAL CHANGE AND CONSTITUTIONALISM IN COMPARATIVE PERSPECTIVE”  
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The presenter is Tom Ginsburg, Professor of Law, University of Chicago.

Date: Tuesday, November 3  
Time: 12:00  
Place: O’Brian Hall 509, North Campus

Professor Ginsburg will address significant shifts in legal institutions in Japan, Korea, and Taiwan. Two decades ago, legal systems in the three countries were very similar, and featured a combination of a small private bar, high quality but politically constrained judges, and an insulated administrative state. Since roughly 1990, these three core features have undergone significant transformations. Dr. Ginsburg explores competing explanations for these changes. Although the various institutional changes have been largely orthogonal to constitutional change, they are likely to have constitutional implications in the future.

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ISSS WORKSHOPS  
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**“Winter Driving”**

Wednesday, November 4

4:00-5:00

Capen Hall 31, North Campus

Do you know how to drive safely on snow and ice? Come learn safety tips for driving in the winter.

*Presenter: American Automobile Association (AAA) Representative*

**“AAA Driver Improvement Course”**

Saturday, November 7

9:00-3:30

Clemens Hall 120, North Campus

AAA's six-hour defensive driving course will enable you to receive a 10% discount on your car insurance, reduce the number of points on your driving record (if you have any violations), refresh your driving skills and learn techniques for collision prevention. Advance Registration is required. Please register at [www.nyaaa.com/auto/driverprograms/schedule/buffalo](http://www.nyaaa.com/auto/driverprograms/schedule/buffalo). Course Fee: \$27.

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