

Professor Linton in Tokyo

Professor Linton recently participated in the Conference on 'Building Resilient and Responsive Justice Institutions in Fragile and Conflict-Affected Countries' held in Tokyo, Japan. The Conference was organised by the International Legal Assistance Consortium, Japan International Cooperation Agency and the Japan Federation of Bar Associations. Speakers included Hon Justice Ivana Hrdličková (President and Judge, UN Special Tribunal for Lebanon), Ambassador Jöran Bjällerstedt (Ambassador-at-large for Peace-building and State-building, Sweden) and Dr. Atsushi Hanatani (Senior Director, Office for Peacebuilding and Reconstruction, Infrastructure and Peace-building Department, Japan International Cooperation Agency).



Group photo at the International House of Japan

Professor Linton is a long-standing individual member of the 15-year old International Legal Assistance Consortium, and also attended its Annual General Meeting in Tokyo. The International Legal Assistance Consortium is comprised of legal and judicial organizations, such as the American Bar Association's Rule of Law Initiative, the New York City Bar, the International Commission of Jurists, the International Bar Association, the

Association of Women Judges and the Law Society of England & Wales. The Consortium works to assist in strengthening justice institutions in conflict-affected and fragile countries.



Main panel of the Conference on 'Building Resilient and Responsive Justice Institutions in Fragile and Conflict-Affected Countries'