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Resolving Disputes with Companies from Asia: What is the Best Approach?

Date:
January 22, 2016

Location / Host:
University of California Hastings College of the Law
Alumni Reception Center
200 McAllister Street
San Francisco, California 94102

CONFERENCE PROGRAM

Time	Description
9:00 — 10:00 a.m.	Registration and Networking
10:00 — 10:15 a.m.	Welcoming Remarks <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ <i>John W. Garman</i>, FCI Arb, Chair, North American Branch of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators ■ <i>Frank H. Wu</i>, Chancellor and Dean, UC Hastings College of the Law
10:15 — 10:45 a.m.	Dispute Resolution in Asia: Recent Developments and Future Directions <i>Datuk Professor Sundra Rajoo</i> , FCI Arb, Chartered Arbitrator; President of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators; Director of the Kuala Lumpur Regional Centre for Arbitration; Past President, Asia Pacific Regional Arbitration Group
10:45 — 12:00 p.m.	Choosing the Place of Arbitration, Arbitral Institution, and Governing Law Moderator: <i>Grant L. Kim</i> , FCI Arb, Chair, Northern California Chapter of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators; Morrison & Foerster LLP, San Francisco Speakers: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ <i>Steven K. Andersen</i>, Vice President, International Development, International Centre for Dispute Resolution ■ <i>Khong Cheng-Yee</i>, Director and Counsel, Asia Office of the ICC International Court of Arbitration, Hong Kong ■ <i>Benjamin Hughes</i>, FCI Arb, Associate Professor, Seoul National University School of Law, Seoul; Former Chair, Korea Chapter of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators ■ <i>Lawrence Schaner</i>, FCI Arb, Jenner & Block, Chicago
12:00 — 1:30 p.m.	Lunch with Keynote Speaker <i>Teresa Cheng</i> , Senior Counsel, FCI Arb, Chartered Arbitrator and Chartered Engineer, Des Voeux Chambers, Hong Kong; Chair, Hong Kong International Arbitration Centre; Past President, Chartered Institute of Arbitrators Interviewed by <i>Ambassador (r.) David Huebner</i> , FCI Arb, Chair, Southern California Chapter of the Chartered Institute; Adjunct Professor, UCLA School of Law; Arnold & Porter LLP, Los Angeles
1:30 — 2:45 p.m.	Structuring the Dispute Resolution Process: Arbitration, Litigation, Mediation, and Other Alternatives Moderator: <i>Sally Harpole</i> , FCI Arb, Chartered Arbitrator, San Francisco and Hong Kong Speakers: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ <i>Craig Celniker</i>, Morrison & Foerster LLP, Hong Kong ■ <i>Richard Eastman</i>, FCI Arb, Chartered Arbitrator, San Francisco ■ <i>Dr. Eun Young Park</i>, Kim & Chang, Seoul ■ <i>Jingzhou Tao</i>, FCI Arb, Managing Partner – Asia Practice, Dechert LLP, Beijing
2:45 — 3:00 p.m.	Break

3:00 — 4:15 p.m.	In-House Counsel Perspectives on International Arbitration and Other Dispute Resolution Mechanisms Moderator: <i>Jeff Benz</i> , FCI Arb, Benz ADR, Los Angeles Speakers: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ <i>Katherine Hope Gurun</i>, JAMS Mediator and Arbitrator; Former General Counsel and Senior Vice President, Bechtel Corporation ■ <i>Lester Schiefelbein</i>, FCI Arb, Schiefelbein Global Dispute Resolution; Former General Counsel, Lockheed Martin Space Systems Company ■ <i>Gregory Wajnowski</i>, Legal Counsel, General Electric ■ Additional speaker is in the process of being confirmed.
4:15 — 4:30 p.m.	Break
4:30 - 5:30 p.m.	Enforcement of Arbitral Awards and Court Judgments Moderator: <i>Anton Ware</i> , Arnold & Porter LLP, San Francisco; Adjunct Professor, UC Hastings College of the Law Speakers: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ <i>Christopher Lau</i>, SC, FCI Arb, Chartered Arbitrator, Singapore ■ <i>Susan Munro</i>, MCI Arb, Managing Partner Beijing Office, Steptoe & Johnson LLP, Beijing ■ <i>Hiroyuki Tezuka</i>, Nishimura & Asahi, Tokyo
5:30 — 6:30 p.m.	Closing Reception: Hastings Skyroom, 100 McAllister Street
7:00 p.m.	Post-Conference Dinner: <i>Osha Thai</i> , Embarcadero 4, Embarcadero Center

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REGISTRATION AND NETWORKING

Conference Registration (includes full-day program, light breakfast, lunch, and reception)	
Early Registration (on or before December 23, 2015)	\$150
Late Registration (after December 23, 2015)	\$200
Members of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators	No fee
Post-Conference Dinner (separate payment for all persons)	\$75

To Register:

<http://www.internationalarbitrators.org/january2016-conference>

For further information, contact conference co-chairs:

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HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS

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