

DATE

31st March 2016

TIME

6.00pm - 7.30pm

VENUE

Seminar Room 1 Kuala Lumpur Regional Centre for Arbitration

Bangunan Sulaiman, Jalan Sultan Hishamuddin, 50000 Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

## PROGRAMME

5.30pm Registration

6.00pm Efficient Arbitration: Lessons

to be Learnt from the Civil Law

by **Dr. Christopher Boog** 

7.00pm Q&A Session

(Moderated by Lim Chee Wee)

7.30pm End of programme

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ARBITRATION:
LESSONS TO BE LEARNT

FROM THE CIVIL LAW

Much has been said in recent times about time and cost efficiency in international arbitration. Users and practitioners alike deplore the notion that arbitration has become a lengthy, costly process that is no longer more efficient than litigation. Institutional arbitration rules around the world have been amended in an attempt to address the issue. But does that suffice? – it is ultimately still the parties, guided by their counsel, and the arbitrators who determine the proceedings. It is here that techniques from the civil law are increasingly being used in international arbitrations to ensure the efficiency of the arbitral process both in terms of time and costs. The speaker, civil-law trained and practicing in both civil and common law jurisdictions, will discuss some of these techniques and explain why they should be applied more frequently in common law-seated arbitrations.



**Dr. Christopher Boog** is a Partner and Vice-Chair of Schellenberg Wittmer's International Arbitration Group based in Singapore and Zurich.

He specialises in international arbitration and represents clients and acts as arbitrator in commercial disputes related to construction and engineering projects, research and development, sales contracts including post-M&A disputes, the

energy sector (including oil & gas) and the pharmaceutical and automotive industries.

Christopher graduated with distinction from the law schools of the Universities of Amsterdam and Fribourg, was a Visiting Scholar at Columbia Law School in New York and obtained a doctorate in law (summa cum laude) from the University of Zurich.

He regularly publishes and speaks in the fields of international arbitration and transnational litigation and teaches International Arbitration at EBS Law School in Wiesbaden, Germany.

Christopher is recognised for his arbitration and construction work in leading directories such as Legal 500, Expert Guides and Who's Who Legal.



Lim Chee Wee is a partner of SKRINE, a past president of the Malaysian Bar, a former member of the National Unity and Consultative Council and a former member of the Operations Review Panel of the Malaysian Anti-Corruption Commission.

Chee Wee has a broad commercial practice having experience in a wide variety of commercial and corporate disputes and litigation including

corporate disputes and litigation including international arbitrations, shareholders disputes, restructuring, fraud, recovery and insolvency. He has a substantial number of cases reported in the law reports.

He also has an established public and administrative law practice having regularly advised and acted as Counsel for the Malaysian stock exchange and another regulator in matters involving its rules and regulations and on the exercise of its enforcement powers.

He is listed in various international legal directories as a leading individual for dispute resolution.

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