



# Fordham International Arbitration and Mediation Conference

Key Issues in International Commercial and  
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8:15 – 9:00 a.m.	Conference Registration and Breakfast
9:00 – 9:15 a.m.	Welcome
9:15 – 10:30 a.m.	<b>Contract Interpretation in International Arbitration: Is There a Common Law – Civil Law Divide that Matters?</b> (1.5 CLE)  <b>Moderator – Laurence Shore</b> , Partner, BonelliErede <b>Hon. Faith S. Hochberg</b> , Principal, Hochberg ADR <b>Nicholas Fletcher QC</b> , Independent Arbitrator, 4 New Square <b>Melissa Magliana</b> , Partner, Lalive <b>Athina Fouchard Papaefstratiou</b> , Of Counsel, Eversheds Sutherland <b>Irma Rivera Ramírez</b> , Partner, Brigard Urrutia
10:30 – 10:45 a.m.	Break
10:45 a.m.– Noon	<b>ICSID Under the New Rules: A Conversation with Meg Kinnear, Secretary General of ICSID</b> (1.5 CLE)  <b>Moderator – Donald F. Donovan</b> , Partner, Debevoise & Plimpton LLP
12:10 – 12:45 p.m.	<b>Keynote</b>  <b>Professor Julian D M Lew QC</b> , Queen Mary University of London  <i>Transparency in International Arbitration: Practical Value or Voyeurism?</i>
12:45 – 1:30 p.m.	Lunch

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1:30 – 2:45 p.m.

**Hot Tubbing Experts: Examining the Process**

(1.5 CLE)

**Moderator – Thomas D. Halket**, Independent Arbitrator, President, Chartered Institute of Arbitrators

**Carla Chavich**, Senior Vice President, Compass Lexecon

**Jennifer Glasser**, Partner, White & Case LLP

**Professor Julian D M Lew QC**, Independent Arbitrator

**Timothy G. Nelson**, Partner, Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP

**Greg Taylor**, Managing Director, AlixPartners, LLP

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2:45 – 2:55 p.m.

**Break**

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2:55 – 4:10 p.m.

**What Are Global Arbitral Institutions Focusing on Today?**

(1.5 CLE)

**Moderators – Louis B. Kimmelman**, Partner, Sidley Austin LLP and **Anne Marie Whitesell**, Professor, Georgetown University Law Center

**Alexander G. Fessas**, Secretary General, ICC International Court of Arbitration

**Kevin Nash**, Deputy Registrar and Centre Director, SIAC Court of Arbitration

**Eric P. Tuchmann**, Senior Vice President, General Counsel and Corporate Secretary, AAA – ICDR

**Jacomijn van Haersolte-van Hof**, Director General of the LCIA

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4:10 – 4:20 p.m.

**Break**

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4:20 – 5:30 p.m.

**Economic Issues in International Arbitration: A Primer**

(1.5 CLE)

**Moderators – Robert H. Smit**, Independent Arbitrator and **Marinn Carlson**, Partner, Sidley Austin LLP

**Ronnie Barnes**, Principal, Cornerstone Research

**Jeffrey A. Cohen**, Managing Principal, Analysis Group

**Santiago Dellepiane**, Managing Director, Berkeley Research Group

**Isabel Kunsman**, Managing Director, AlixPartners, LLP

**Dr. Meloria Meschi**, Senior Managing Director, FTI Consulting, Inc.

**Benjamin A. Sacks**, Principal, The Brattle Group

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5:30 – 7:00 p.m.

**Reception**