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# IBA Asia Pacific Arbitration Group International Arbitration Training Day

9 December 2019 Sule Shangri-La Yangon, Yangon, Myanmar

#### **Topics include:**

- Reviewing arbitration clauses in contracts
- Introduction to relevant IBA guidelines
- Mock arbitration proceedings



# Programme

#### **IBA APAG Co-Chairs**

Sheila Ahuja Allen & Overy, Singapore; Co-Chair, IBA Asia Pacific Arbitration Group Sae Youn Kim & Chang, Seoul; Co-Chair, IBA Asia Pacific Arbitration Group

## Monday 9 December

1230 - 1700 Registration

1300 - 1310 **Welcome Remarks** 

**Sae Youn Kim** *Kim & Chang, Seoul; Co-Chair, IBA Asia Pacific Arbitration Group* 

Robert San Pe' Arbitration Chambers, Hong Kong SAR

1310 - 1330 Keynote Speech

**U Aung Naing Oo** *Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Investment and Foreign Economic Relations, Naypyitaw* 

1330 - 1415 **WORKSHOP PART 1:** 

#### Reviewing arbitration clauses in contracts

The moderator will introduce the sessions for the day. They will explain the important points to look out for when reviewing dispute resolution/ arbitration clauses in contracts, how the IBA Guidelines on Drafting the Arbitration Agreement operates, and distribute various sample arbitration clauses in the contracts. The participants will then, in groups, conduct reviews on the given dispute resolution/ arbitration clauses and present back to the audience.

Moderator

Sheila Ahuja Allen & Overy, Singapore; Co-Chair, IBA Asia Pacific Arbitration Group

1415 - 1500 **WORKSHOP PART 2:** 

#### Introduction to relevant IBA guidelines

The moderator will introduce the various IBA soft laws relevant to arbitration proceedings, including the IBA Guidelines on Conflicts and the IBA Guidelines on the Taking of Evidence. There will be Q&A as a part of this session.

Moderator

**Sae Youn Kim** *Kim* & Chang, Seoul; Co-Chair, IBA Asia Pacific Arbitration Group

1500 - 1530 Coffee/tea break

#### 1530 - 1540 INTRODUCTION TO WORKSHOP PART 3

The moderator will explain the process and objectives of the workshop. They will provide a summary of essential facts for the sample case, distributed in advance to all registered attendees.

Moderators

**Sheila Ahuja** Allen & Overy, Singapore; Co-Chair, IBA Asia Pacific Arbitration Group

**Sae Youn Kim** *Kim & Chang, Seoul; Co-Chair, IBA Asia Pacific Arbitration Group* 

1540 - 1655 **WORKSHOP PART 3:** 

#### Mock arbitration proceeding

Two counsel teams will deliver arguments, each taking 15 minutes. An arbitral tribunal will ask questions, leading to a commentary with the participants about the different styles, strategies and tactics.

Moderator

Robert San Pe' Arbitration Chambers, Hong Kong SAR

**Panellists** 

Seugene Ang WongPartnership, Yangon Joanne Lau Allen & Overy, Hong Kong SAR Shaun Tan Allen & Gledhill, Yangon Kritika Venugopal Herbert Smith Freehills, Singapore

1655 - 1700 **Closing remarks** 

Speakers

**Sheila Ahuja** Allen & Overy, Singapore; Co-Chair, IBA Asia Pacific Arbitration Group

Robert San Pe' Arbitration Chambers, Hong Kong SAR

1715 – 1815 **Drinks reception** 

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#### Language

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- Tea and coffee during breaks
- Drinks reception

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