

SAVE THE DATE: 9 December 2016

Arbitration in Banking and Finance Deconstructed: The New Deal

Based on newly-released empirical findings, Professor Affaki will explore in his lecture the reality of arbitration in banking and financial matters. He will make the case for a differentiated approach according to the particular banking sector where arbitration is contemplated, including derivatives, project finance, advisory banking, sovereign lending, and Islamic finance. He will analyse the prospects offered by the opening of investment arbitration to financial instruments and to banking claims, including in relation to confiscatory regulatory actions. He will critically review various arbitration initiatives dedicated to banking disputes, and offer recommendations that take into account the reality of banking and finance in the wake of the Global Financial Crisis and the risk approach in international banks towards commercial and investment arbitration.

A debate will follow.

Guest Speaker - Professor Dr Georges Affaki, FCI Arb

Independent Arbitrator, Professor of Law at the University of Paris II, Chairman of the Banking Commission of ICC France, Governor of the UNIDROIT Foundation, Co-Chair of the ICC Task Force on Financial Institutions and International Arbitration

Welcome Remarks:

Stefan Gannon, General Counsel, Hong Kong Monetary Authority

Registration:

Complimentary

Please RSVP before 7 December 2016

Commentators:

Sarah Grimmer, Secretary-General, HKIAC

Rory A. McAlpine, Partner, Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom

Jonathan Witts, Head of Litigation, BNP Paribas



Organiser:



香港國際仲裁中心
Hong Kong International
Arbitration Centre

Date : 9 December (Friday)

Time : 8:30 - 10:30 AM (light breakfast will be provided)

Venue Host:

Venue : Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom

42/F, Edinburgh Tower, The Landmark

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