THE DUTIES, RIGHTS AND POWERS OF INTERNATIONAL ARBITRATORS

Tuesday, September 19, 2017
9:00 AM – 5:00 PM
Grossman Hall
American University Washington College of Law
4300 Nebraska Avenue, NW, Washington, DC
(Six CLE Credit Hours)

Sponsored By:

Director: Horacio Grigera Naón, American University Washington College of Law.
Scientific Committee: José M. Álvarez Zárate, Externado University; Katia Fach Gómez, University of Zaragoza.

PROGRAM

9:00 AM – Introductory Remarks: Horacio Grigera Naón

9:15 AM – 10:30 AM – Panel I – The International Arbitrator
Susan D. Franck, WCL; Andrea Bjorklund, McGill University; Rodrigo Polanco and Valentino Desilvestro, World Trade Institute; Chiara Giorgetti, University of Richmond; Anne Marie Whitesell, Georgetown University Law Center.

10:45 – 12:00 – Panel II – Arbitrator’s Duties
Perry S. Betchky, Partner, Berliner, Corcoran & Rowe LLP; Michelle Grando, White & Case LLP; Diana Tsutieva, Foley Hoag LLP; Bjorn Arp, WCL; Álvaro Galindo, Dechert LLP.

12:00 PM – 1:00 PM – Panel III – Arbitrator’s Rights
Kathleen Claussen, University of Miami School of Law; Karsten Nowrot, and Emily Sipiorksi, Hamburg University; Catharine Titi, University of Burgundy; Constantinos Salonidis, Foley Hoag LLP.

1:00 PM – 2:00 PM – Lunch kindly provided by: Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer

2:00 PM – 3:15 PM - Panel IV - Arbitrator’s Interpretative Powers
Nigel Blackaby, Partner, Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer; Joshua Karton, Queen’s University; David L Earnest, Shearman & Sterling LLP; José Manuel Álvarez Zárate; Claudia Frutos-Peterson, Curtis, Mallet-Prevost, Colt & Mosle LLP.

3:30 PM – 4:30 – Panel V – The European Union Proposal of an Investment Court System
Fernando Dias Simões, University of Macau; Kate Parlett, 20 Essex St, London; Elsa Sardinha, University of Singapore; Katia Fach Gómez.

Attendance is free but RSVP required
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