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EXECUTIVE PROGRAM **2021**

INTERNATIONAL ARBITRATION LAW

Monday 22th March 2021 to Wednesday 24th March 2021
From 5:00 pm to 8:30 pm

INSEAD / 1, AYER RAJAH AVENUE / SINGAPORE 138676 – *ONLINE ATTENDANCE IS ALSO AVAILABLE*

Dates and times are indicated in Singapore Time (GMT+8)

This course covers the procedural framework and practical aspects of international arbitration and focusses on some common issues found in international arbitrations.

Over the last two decades, growth in cross-border transactions has made international arbitration the preferred method of dispute resolution. Arbitration is regarded to be more advantageous than national courts for a variety of reasons. Arbitrators are experts in their respective fields, ensuring that each arbitration will have decision-makers that are neutral and well experienced with the disputed

issues. Arbitration awards are internationally recognised and enforceable because of the New York Convention. In traditional litigation, there is, as of now, no equivalent of such a universally accepted mechanism. Arbitration also offers confidentiality, and is procedurally flexible, making it more commercially friendly than an open trial in court.

In any sphere of work, more professionals will eventually come across or experience arbitration either as a party, a counsel, an expert witness or as an arbitrator. As an introduction to international arbitration, this course covers some practical aspects of international arbitration. The challenges of appointing an arbitrator, the importance of a well drafted arbitration clause and the procedural intricacies in an arbitration are some of the topics covered.



MORE INFORMATION AND APPLICATION

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SPEAKER'S PROFILE

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Oommen Mathew is a veteran counsel with close to 30 years of experience in arbitration and litigation. He is a Fellow of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators (FCIArb) UK and holds dual qualifications to practise as an advocate of the Supreme Court of Singapore and as a solicitor of the Supreme Court of England and Wales.

He is currently the Managing Director of Omni Law LLC, a boutique dispute resolutions firm in Singapore after heading the local offices of Eversheds LLP and DWF as Managing Partner. He has appeared as counsel in corporate and shareholder disputes, trusts, insolvency, property, upstream, midstream and downstream oil and gas and renewable energy cases.

DATES AND VENUE

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Location: INSEAD / 1, Ayer Rajah Avenue / Singapore 138676 (ONLINE ATTENDANCE IS ALSO AVAILABLE)

CPD ACCREDITATION

CPD points: 9 Public CPD Points

Practice Area: Alternative Dispute Resolution

Training Levels: Foundation

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PROGRAMME OVERVIEW

DAY 1 Monday 22nd, March

| MODULE | TIME | SYNOPSIS |
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| Registration | | |
| Introduction to the Procedural Steps in Arbitration (3.5 hours) | 5:00 pm > 8:30 pm | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Introduction UNICTRAL and ICC Arbitration – Preliminary steps to commencing an arbitration – Disclosure and discovery of documents – Types of hearings – Protocol for witnesses and the use of expert witnesses – Role of the Tribunal |

DAY 2 Tuesday 23rd, March

| MODULE | TIME | SYNOPSIS |
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| Registration | | |
| Case Study (Arbitration between a corporation and a government) (3.5 hours) | 5:00 pm > 8:30 pm | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Commencing Arbitration: interpreting the arbitration clause – Exploring common issues in the selection of an arbitrator: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Qualifications of an arbitrator - Conflicts of interest in an arbitrator |

DAY 3 Wednesday 24th, March

| MODULE | TIME | SYNOPSIS |
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| Registration | | |
| Case Study (Procedural Orders) (3 hours) | 5:00 pm > 8:00 pm | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Procedural Directions: setting out the applicable rules and steps in an arbitration – Interlocutory measures – Maintaining fairness in arbitration proceedings |

APPLICATION BY E-MAIL TO:

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