



ACICA/CIArb AUSTRALIA INTERNATIONAL ARBITRATION CONFERENCE

BRIDGING THE DISTANCE

ARBITRATION IN THE NEW NORMAL

12 OCTOBER 2020 | VIRTUAL CONFERENCE

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The Australian Centre of International Commercial Arbitration (ACICA) and the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators Australia (CIArb Australia) are delighted to invite you to their 2020 International Arbitration Conference: Bridging the Distance: Arbitration in the New Normal.

Our one day program will offer virtual presentations on topics including:

- Advocacy in the Virtual Environment
- Technology as an Enabler in International Arbitration

- The Future of Investor-State Dispute Resolution
- Around the Globe in 60 Minutes
- Mega Projects in the New Normal
- Is Third Party Funding Changing International Arbitration?
- Enhancing Efficiencies in the Arbitral Process

and feature a host of eminent speakers and expert practitioners from around the globe!



HOSTS



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CONFERENCE PROGRAMME

TIME	SESSION
08:25-08:30	Welcome and Introduction to The Hon. Chief Justice Thomas Bathurst AC, Supreme Court of New South Wales
08:30-08:40	WELCOME ADDRESS The Hon Chief Justice Thomas Bathurst AC Supreme Court of New South Wales, Sydney, Australia
08:40-08:45	BREAK
08:45-09:45	SESSION ONE: Advocacy in the 'Virtual' Environment Chair: Hilary Heilbron QC , Brick Court Chambers, London Panel: Kate Brown de Vejar , DLA Piper, Mexico City Professor Janet Walker , Independent Arbitrator based in Toronto, London and Sydney Justin Gleeson SC , Banco Chambers, Sydney
09:45-10:00	BREAK
10:00-10:45	SESSION TWO: Technology as an Enabler in International Arbitration Chair: Adrian Winstanley OBE , Solicitor, Arbitrator, Mediator, ADR Consultant Panel: Chad Catterwell , Herbert Smith Freehills, Melbourne Sara Rayment , Inklings Legal Design, Newcastle, Australia Lorraine Medcraft , Epiq Global, London
10:45-11:00	BREAK
11:00-11:45	SESSION THREE: Is Third Party Funding Changing International Arbitration? Chair: Ms Kim Rooney , Arbitrator and Barrister, Hong Kong Panel: Francis Xavier SC PBM C.ARB , Rajah & Tann, Singapore Ruth Stackpool-Moore , Omni Bridgeway, Singapore Andrew Battison , Norton Rose Fulbright, Sydney
11:45-11:55	BREAK
11:55-12:30	SESSION FOUR: In Conversation with Chief Justice Sundaresh Menon, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Singapore Moderator: Caroline Kenny QC , Barrister and International Arbitrator, Melbourne
12:30-12:45	BREAK
12:45-13:30	SESSION FIVE: The Future of Investor-State Dispute Settlement Chair: Dr Sam Luttrell , Clifford Chance, Perth Panel: Nick Gallus , Lipman Karas, Adelaide Professor Joongi Kim , Yonsei Law School, Seoul, South Korea Chiann Bao , Arbitration Chambers, Hong Kong
13:30-14:00	BREAK
14:00-14:05	Welcome and Introduction to the Hon Justice Stephen Gageler AC High Court of Australia
14:05-14:25	KEYNOTE ADDRESS The Hon Justice Stephen Gageler AC, High Court of Australia, Canberra, Australia
14:25-14:30	BREAK
14:30 - 15:30	SESSION SIX: Enhancing Efficiencies in the Arbitral Process Chair: The Hon. Chief Justice James Allsop AO , Federal Court of Australia Panel: Amanda Lees , Simmons & Simmons JWS, Singapore Neil Kaplan CBE QC SBS , International Arbitrator (Hong Kong & Melbourne), Arbitration Chambers, Hong Kong Tan Swee Im , 39 Essex Chambers, Kuala Lumpur Bronwyn Lincoln , Corrs Chambers Westgarth, Melbourne
15:30-15:45	BREAK
15:45-16:45	SESSION SEVEN: Around the Globe in 60 Minutes: Current Hot Topics in International Arbitration Chair: The Hon Justice Andrew Bell , President of the NSW Court of Appeal Panel: Professor Dr Mohamed S Abdel Wahab , Professor of International Arbitration, Cairo University and Zulficar & Partners Law Firm, Cairo, Egypt Dr Nicolas Wiegand , CMS Hasche Sigle, Hong Kong Michael Young QC , Quinn Emanuel Urquhart & Sullivan, Paris Andrew Robertson , Piper Alderman, Adelaide
16:45-17:00	BREAK
17:00-18:00	SESSION EIGHT: Mega Projects in the New Normal Chair: Dr Robert Gaitskell QC , Keating Chambers, London Panel: Jeremy Chenoweth FCI Arb , Ashurst, Brisbane Adrienne Parker , Pinsent Masons, Perth Funke Adekoya, SAN , Aelex, Nigeria
18:00-18:05	Closing Addresses

Times noted are in Australian Eastern Daylight Time (AEDT)