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The Australian Centre of International Commercial Arbitration (ACICA) and the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators Australia (CI Arb Australia) are delighted to invite you to the 2022 International Arbitration Conference: Future Frontiers.

Our one day program features a keynote address from The Honourable Susan Kiefel AC, Chief Justice of the High Court of Australia and will bring together eminent speakers from around the globe in eight stimulating sessions covering:

- Around the World – the Latest Developments and What's to Come
- Smart Contracts, Cryptocurrency & Blockchain Disputes
- The Evolving ISDS Landscape
- Key Practical Considerations: Costs, Interests, and Confidentiality
- The Shift to Renewables
- Insolvency and Arbitration
- Arbitration Incubation: Ideas from the Next Generation
- Resolving Disputes Efficiently – Expedited Arbitration or Expert Determination?

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| TIME | SESSION |
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| 08:30-09:00 | Registration and Welcome Coffee/Tea |
| 09:00-09:15 | Welcome Address and Introduction to The Honourable Chief Justice Susan Kiefel AC, High Court of Australia: Georgia Quick , President, Australian Centre for International Commercial Arbitration |
| 09:15-09:35 | KEYNOTE ADDRESS: The Honourable Chief Justice Kiefel AC |
| 09:35-10:35 | SESSION ONE: Around the World – the Latest Developments and What’s to Come Chair: Justice Quentin Loh , Singapore International Commercial Court, Singapore Panel: Gavin Denton , Arbitration Chambers, Hong Kong & London Aicha Mane , Houda Advocates, Senegal Jennifer Younan , Shearman & Sterling, Paris Nastasja Suhadolnik , Corrs Chambers Westgarth, Melbourne |
| 10:35-10:50 | MORNING TEA BREAK |
| 10:50-11:30 | SESSION TWO: Smart Contracts, Cryptocurrency & Blockchain Disputes Chair: Paul Tan , Gibson Dunn, Singapore Panel: Natasha Blycha , Stirling & Rose Adam Percy , Swyftx, Brisbane Brandon Malone , Arbitra International, United Kingdom |
| 11:30-12:30 | SESSION THREE: The Evolving ISDS Landscape Chair: The Honourable Justice Catherine Button , Supreme Court of Victoria Panel: Gonzalo Flores , International Centre for Settlement of Investment Disputes, Washington Monty Taylor , Arnold & Porter, London Christopher K. Tahbaz , Debevoise & Plimpton, New York Jo Feldman , Norton Rose Fulbright, Perth |
| 12:30-13:15 | SESSION FOUR: Key Practical Considerations: Costs, Interests, and Confidentiality Chair: The Honourable Justice Kevin Lyons , Supreme Court of Victoria Panel: Professor Matthew Secomb , White & Case, Singapore Dr Anna Kirk , Bankside Chambers, Auckland Jeff Gleeson KC , Victorian Bar, Melbourne Elizabeth Macknay , Herbert Smith Freehills, Perth |
| 13:15-14:15 | LUNCH BREAK |
| 14:15-15:00 | SESSION FIVE: The Shift to Renewables Chair: Dr Cameron Kelly , General Counsel, Australian Renewable Energy Agency, Sydney Panel: Gabriela Alvarez-Avila , DLA Piper, Mexico City Damian Sturzaker , Marque Lawyers, Sydney Brer Adams , Pollination, Sydney Kumar Padiseti , FTI Consulting, Melbourne |
| 15:00 - 15:45 | SESSION SIX: Insolvency and Arbitration Chair: Dr Andrew Hanak KC , Victorian Bar, Melbourne Panel: Polly Pope , Russell McVeigh, Auckland Karen Petch , New Chambers, Sydney Matt Lee , Burford Capital, Sydney Courtney Lotfi , Jones Day, Frankfurt |
| 15:45-16:00 | AFTERNOON TEA BREAK |
| 16:00-17:00 | SESSION SEVEN: Arbitration Incubation: Ideas from the Next Generation Co-Chairs: Guillermo Garcia-Perrote , Herbert Smith Freehills, Sydney and Robert Tang , Clifford Chance, Sydney Panel: Mevelyn S. Ong , Sullivan & Cromwell LLP, New York Laurence Terret , Herbert Smith Freehills, Brisbane Raeesa Rawal , Debevoise & Plimpton, London Professor Avineet Singh Chawla , Jindal Global Law School, India |
| 17:00-17:45 | SESSION EIGHT: Resolving Disputes Efficiently – Expedited Arbitration or Expert Determination? Chair: Erika Williams , Williams Arbitration, Brisbane Panel: Bill Smith , Ashurst, Sydney Mark Mangan , Dechert LLP, Singapore Nikki O’Leary , Allens, Brisbane Jonathan McTigue , Clayton Utz, Melbourne |
| 17:45-18:00 | CLOSING ADDRESS: Dr Andrew Hanak KC , President, Chartered Institute of Arbitrators, Australia |
| 18.00 | NETWORKING DRINKS |

Times noted are in Australian Eastern Daylight Time (AEDT)