

The Synergy and Divergence between Civil Law and Common Law in International Arbitration
Paris, 7-8 December 2017
Programme - Day 2

| Time | | Panel | |
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| 8.30am | Registration and Coffee | | |
| 9.00am | Welcome Address | Laurence Burger Jalal El Ahdab | Chair of the European Branch of CI Arb Chair of CI Arb Paris Chapter |
| 9.15am | Panel Discussion 5: The New Global Order and Arbitration | Chair: Teresa Cheng GBS, SC, JP | Chair of Hong Kong International Arbitration Centre |
| | The EU-Canada Comprehensive Economic and Trade Agreement (CETA) and arbitration | Antonio Crivellaro | Partner Emeritus, BonelliErede (Milan) |
| | How Investment Treaty Arbitration can best serve its goals? | David W. Rivkin | Partner, Debevoise & Plimpton (New York) |
| | Impact of Brexit on arbitration | Nigel Rawding QC | Partner, Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer (London) |
| | Investment arbitration in search of its new frontiers | Benoit Le Bars | Partner, Lazareff Le Bars (Paris) |
| | Delocalisation of arbitral awards | Stavros Brekoulakis | Professor at QMUL; Editor-in-Chief of CI Arb Arbitration Journal |
| 10.45am | Coffee Break | | |
| 11.15am | Panel Discussion 6: Judicial Intervention, Perceptions and Reactions: The Civil and Common Law Approaches | Chair: Vivian Ramsay | Judge of the Singapore High Court Former Judge of the High Court of England and Wales |
| | Judicial approaches to arbitration | Lord Neuberger of Abbotsbury | President of the UK Supreme Court |
| | Judicial appointments in arbitration | Rosemary Barkett | Former US Circuit Judge of the US Court of Appeals for the Eleventh Circuit |
| | Challenges to arbitrators: judicial perceptions (including immunity of arbitrators) | Nicolas von Werdt | Judge of the Iran-US Claims Tribunal |
| | Annulment of arbitral awards | Dominique Hascher | Judge at the Swiss Federal Supreme Court |
| | Enforcement and recognition of awards, decisions and orders | Thomas Pfeiffer | Judge at the French Cour de Cassation Director of the Institute for Comparative Law, Conflict of Laws and International Business of Heidelberg University Director of the Heidelberg Centre for International Dispute Resolution Former judge at the Court of Appeal (Oberlandesgericht) Hamm |
| 12.50pm | Address of CI Arb Deputy President | James Bridgeman | Practising barrister, Chartered Arbitrator and certified mediator |
| 13.00pm | Lunch | | |
| 14.00pm | Panel Discussion 7: Arbitrators: the Civil and Common Law Styles | Chair: Carole Malinvaud | Partner, Gide Loyrette Nouel (Paris) |
| | The role of arbitrators between facts, law and justice | Lord Keen of Elie QC | Advocate General for Scotland |
| | Immunity of arbitrators | Alan Redfern | One Essex Court (London) |
| | Assessment of evidence from a civil law perspective | Ibrahim Fadlallah | Independent Arbitrator |
| | Role in ascertaining the content of the applicable law | Lawrence Newman | Of Counsel, Baker & McKenzie LLP (New York) |
| | Tribunal dynamics | Elliott Geisinger | Partner, Schellenberg Wittmer (Geneva) |
| | Experts: party appointed/tribunal appointed (to be addressed by all speakers) | | |
| | Merits of civil v common/burden of education (to be addressed by all speakers) | | |
| 15.30pm | Coffee Break | | |
| 16.00pm | Panel Discussion 8: The Civil-Common Law Dichotomy: Practical Solutions to Current Problems | Chair: Phillip Capper | Partner, White & Case (London) |
| | Approach to factual and legal issues | Reza Mohtashami | Partner, Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer (Paris) |
| | Approaches to choice of arbitrators | Karl-Heinz Bockstiegel | Independent arbitrator; Former Patron of the CI Arb |
| | The decision-making process | Alexander G. Fessas | Secretary General of the ICC International Court of Arbitration |
| | The role of academics in bridging the gap between common law and civil law | Mohamed S. Abdel Wahab | Professor of Law and Head of Arbitration at Zulficar & Partners (Cairo) |
| | Adversarial and inquisitorial techniques | Lucy Greenwood | GreenwoodArbitration (Houston, Texas) |
| | Document production | | |
| 17.30pm | Concluding Remarks | Pierre Tercier Georges A. Bermann | Emeritus Professor at the University of Fribourg Professor of EU Law, Columbia University |
| 18:15pm | Close | Nayla Comair-Obeid | President of the CI Arb |