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# The Inaugural Conference of the Queen Mary Institute For Regulation and Ethics

## The Arguments For and Against Further Regulation of Arbitration Counsel

11th September 2014

Time: 8.30 – 18.15

Venue: The Royal College of Surgeons of England,  
35–43 Lincoln's Inn Fields, London WC2A 3PE



This conference will consider the need for additional prescriptions of ethical rules and codes of conduct for advocates conducting international arbitration. Scholars and arbitration experts will go beyond the current state of affairs to consider the arguments in the wider context of global regulatory developments. This conference will be of interest to everyone interested in the legitimacy and success of international arbitration and the impact of ethical regulation.

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## **8.30–9.15 Registration**

## **9.15–9.30 Opening speeches**

## **9.30–11.00 Session 1: Content and International Application of Ethical Rules**

### **Moderator:**

**Audley Sheppard**, Clifford Chance LLP, London

### **Speakers:**

**David Brynmor Thomas**, 39 Essex Street, London

**Marie Stoyanov**, Allen & Overy LLP, Paris

**Laurence Shore**, Herbert Smith Freehills LLP, New York

**Carlos Alberto Carmona**, Marques Rosado, Toledo Cesar & Carmona Advogados, São Paulo

## **11.00–11.30 Coffee break**

## **11.30–13.00 Session 2: The Emerging Legal Framework of Ethical Rules**

### **Moderator:**

**Professor Stavros Brekoulakis**, Co-Director, Institute for Regulation and Ethics, CCLS, Queen Mary University of London

### **Speakers:**

**Cyrus Benson**, Gibson Dunn & Crutcher LLP, London

**James Castello**, King & Spalding LLP, Paris

**Elliott Geisinger**, Schellenberg Wittmer Ltd, Geneva

## **13.00–14.30 Lunch**

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### **14.30–16.00 Session 3:**

## **Do We Need Ethical Rules to Regulate Counsel's Conduct in International Arbitration?**

### **Moderator:**

**Professor Catherine Rogers**, Co-Director, Institute for Regulation and Ethics, CCLS, Queen Mary University of London, Paul and Marjorie Price Faculty Scholar and Professor of Law, Institute for Regulation and Ethics & The Rule of Law, Penn State Law, Pennsylvania

### **Speakers:**

**Professor David Wilkins**, Lester Kissel Professor of Law, Director, Program on the Legal Profession, Vice Dean for Global Initiatives on the Legal Profession, Harvard Law School, Cambridge (USA)

**Professor Iain MacNeil**, Alexander Stone Chair of Commercial Law, Glasgow University

**Michael Todd QC**, Erskine Chambers, London

### **16.00–16.30 Tea break**

### **16.30–18.00 Session 4:**

## **Critical Evaluation of Ethical Rules in International Arbitration**

### **Moderator:**

**Professor Julian Lew QC**, Head of School of International Arbitration, CCLS, Queen Mary University of London, 20 Essex Street

### **Speakers:**

**Gary Born**, Wilmer Cutler Pickering Hale and Dorr LLP, London

**Karyl Nairn QC**, Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP, London

**Isabelle Hautot**, ORANGE, Paris

**Andrea Carlevaris**, Secretary General, ICC International Court of Arbitration, and Director of Dispute Resolution Services of the ICC, Paris

### **18.00–18.15 Closing speeches**

### **18.15–19.00 Drinks reception**

## Fees

- Individual registration - £180
- Academics, NGO, Barrister or Government Department registration - £130
- Alumni registration - £110
- Student registration - £70

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