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21st Investment Treaty Forum Public Meeting

The Economic and Financial Aspects of Investor-State Arbitration

Thursday 24 October 2013

09:00 to 17:00

Mary Ward House Conference and Exhibition Centre
5-7 Tavistock Place, London WC1H 9SN

Programme

08:45 – 09:15 Registration with tea and coffee

09:15 – 09:30 Welcome and Introduction

- N. Jansen Calamita, Investment Treaty Forum, British Institute of International and Comparative Law; University of Birmingham School of Law

09:30 – 10:00 Keynote Address

- Karl-Heinz Bockstiegel, University of Cologne

10:00 – 11:30 PANEL 1 – Systemic Design

Chair: Gavan Griffith QC , Essex Court Chambers

- Emma Aisbett, University of Hamburg
- Susan Franck, Washington & Lee University
- Michael Waibel, University of Cambridge.

11:30 – 12:00 Tea and coffee

- 12:00 – 13:30** **PANEL 2 – Costs of Investor-State Arbitration**
Chair: **Eloïse Obadia**, Derains & Gharavi
- **Charles Claypoole**, Latham & Watkins
 - **Hussein Haeri**, Eversheds
 - **Wendy Miles**, Wilmer Hale.
- 13:30 – 15:00** **Lunch**
- 15:00 – 16:45** **PANEL 3 – The Financing of Claims**
Chair: **Audley Sheppard**, Clifford Chance
- **Eric De Brandebere**, University of Leiden
 - **Kathryn Gordon**, OECD
 - **Victoria Shannon**, Washington & Lee University.
- Discussants:**
- **Christopher Bogart**, Burford Capital
 - **Mick Smith**, Calunius Capital LLP.
- 16:45 – 17:00** **Closing Remarks**
- **Lucy Reed**, Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer
- 17:00 – 17:30** **Tea and coffee**