

# International Conference on ARBITRATION IN THE ERA OF GLOBALIZATION

11<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup> December, 2015 - New Delhi

To commemorate its Golden Jubilee, the Indian Council of Arbitration (ICA), the premier arbitral body of India, is organizing, with the support of FICCI, an International Conference on "Arbitration in the Era of Globalization" on 11th& 12th December, 2015 at New Delhi.

The Conference will provide a meaningful coverage on common trends in the field of domestic and international arbitration with a special reference to dynamic economy of India. It will also intend to highlight India's stake and potential to grow as arbitration-friendly nation in the Asia-Pacific region and deliberate on the complex issues which are still challenging its dispute resolution mechanisms and find a way forward.

The Conference is expected to be inaugurated by the Hon'ble Chief Justice of India, while the Hon'ble Law Minister of India has been invited to address the closing ceremony. It will also be addressed by Hon'ble Judges of the Supreme Court of India, eminent jurists like Mr. Mukul Rohatgi, Senior Advocate and Attorney General of India, Mr. Gary Born, President, Court of Arbitration, Singapore International Arbitration Centre (SIAC) and senior arbitration practitioners representing prestigious law firms from across the world such as Clifford Chance, White & Case, Lalive, Clyde & Co., Essex Court Chambers, K&L Gates, Jones Day etc. The attendees will include policy makers, judges, senior business executives, lawyers and others having keen interest in arbitration.

PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS							
DAY	SESSION	TIME					
11.12.2015 (FRIDAY)							
	Registration	5.00 PM - 5.45 PM					
	Inaugural Session	6.00 PM - 7.30 PM					
	Gala Dinner	7.30 PM onwards					
12.12.201	12.12.2015 (SATURDAY)						
	Registration	9.30 AM - 10.15 AM					
	Technical Sessions (Highlights below)	10.30 AM - 6.00 PM					
	Valedictory Session	6.00 PM - 7.30 PM					
	Gala Dinner	7.30 PM onwards					
Technical Sessions:							
	BEST ARBITRATION PRACTICES ACROSS BORDERS  Chair/Keynote Speaker:  Hon'ble Mr. Justice Uday Umesh Lalit, Judge, Supreme Court of India  Special Address:  Mr. Peter Hirst, Partner, Clyde and Co., London  Mr. Brandon J Malone, Chairman, Scottish Arbitration Centre, Edinburgh  Mr. Joachim Knoll, Partner, Lalive, Switzerland						
	BILATERAL INVESTMENT TREATY AWARDS: THE INDIAN CONTEXT Chair/Keynote Speaker: Hon'ble Mr. Justice Arjan Kumar Sikri, Judge, Supreme Court of India Special Address: Mr. Salim Moollan, Barrister, Essex Court Chambers, London Mr. Audley Sheppard, OC, Global Head of Arbitration, Clifford Chance, London Ms. Andrea J Manekar, Partner, White & Case LLP, Washington DC						

#### CHANGING FACE OF ARBITRATION IN INDIA

Chair/Keynote Speaker:

Hon'ble Mr. Justice Madan B Lokur, Judge, Supreme Court of India Special Address:

Mr. James P. Duffy IV, Partner, K & L Gates, New York

Ms. Sheila L. Shadmand, Partner-in-Charge, Jones Day, Dubai

Mr. Mustafa S. Doctor, Senior Advocate, Bombay High Court

### ENFORCEMENT OF ARBITRAL AWARDS: INDIA AND THE GLOBAL SCENARIO

Chair/Keynote Speaker:

Hon'ble Mr. Justice R.F. Nariman, Judge, Supreme Court of India Special Address:

Ms. Pallavi Shroff, Managing Partner, Shardul Amarchand Mangaldas & Co.

Mr. Richard Franklin, Senior Counsel, Baker & McKenzie LLP, Chicago \*

Mr. Alec Emmerson, CEO & Trustee, DIFC Arbitration Institute, Dubai

#### ARBITRATION: IS IT THE BEST RECOURSE FOR BUSINESS DISPUTES?

Chair/Keynote Speaker:

Mr. P.K. Malhotra, Secretary, Department of Legal Affairs,

Ministry of Law and Justice, Government of India

Special Address:

Mr. Badrinath Durvasula, Vice President & Head Legal, Larsen & Toubro Limited

Mr. K.S. Suresh, General Counsel, ITC Ltd.

Mr. Ashok Gupta, Head, Corporate Legal Cell, Aditya Birla Group

\* Invited

## WHO SHOULD ATTEND

- Legal Heads and General Counsels
- Arbitrators
- Practicing Advocates
- In-house Counsel
- Chartered AccountantsEngineers
- Judges
- Academicians
- Members of the national and international business community

# **REGISTRATION FEE**

## For Indian Delegates

For Overseas Delegates

Registration Category	Early Bird	Normal	ICA Member	Group Purchase
Registration Period	Till 10/10/2015	11/10/2015 - 10/12/2015	Till 10/12/2015	Till 10/12/2015
Delegation Fee Per Delegate	INR 10,800/-*	INR 12,000/-*	INR 9,600/-*	INR 10,800/-* Applicable when 3 delegates or more register together

\* Inclusive of Service Tax

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Registration Period	Till 10/10/2015	11/10/2015 - 10/12/2015	Till 10/12/2015	Till 10/12/2015
Delegation Fee Per Delegate	USD 200	USD 250	USD 200	USD 200 Applicable when 3 delegates

The Registration fee covers working papers, refreshments, lunch during the Conference and the two Gala Dinners. The fees do not cover travel and hotel expenses. Participants are responsible for making their own travel arrangements and hotel reservations.







Interested participants may contact the following officials of Conference Secretariat:

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