

SINGAPORE INTERNATIONAL ARBITRATION ACADEMY 2022

8 – 11 November 2022 The 2022 Academy will bring together some of the world's leading experts in international law and arbitration for a four-day programme tailored specifically for government officials. The programme has been designed to carry on the tradition of offering unparalleled opportunity to learn from and interact with luminaries in the field and develop new professional relationships. The Academy provides ease of access to potential participants outside of Singapore to be immersed in cutting-edge arbitration issues.

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PROGRAMME – DAY ONE Tuesday, 8 November 2022

Introduction to International Dispute Resolution and International Law	
Time (Singapore)	Session
8.50 AM – 9.00 AM	Registration (and entry into Zoom meeting)
9.00 AM – 9.15 AM	Welcome remarks
9.15 AM – 10.30 AM	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Introduction to arbitration and investment treaties
10.30 AM – 11.00 AM	Break
11.00 AM – 12.30 PM	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Singapore Mediation Convention• Dispute prevention• Investor-State conciliation and mediation
12.30 PM – 1.30 PM	Lunch break
1.30 PM – 3.30 PM	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Relevance of international law to investment treaty arbitration
3.30 PM – 4.00 PM	Break
4.00 PM – 5.00 PM	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Sovereign immunity
5.00 PM – 5.30 PM	Day 1 debrief - participants' questions and discussion (participation is optional)

PROGRAMME – DAY TWO Wednesday, 9 November 2022

Procedural and Substantive Issues in Investment Treaty Arbitration	
Time (Singapore)	Session
9.00 AM – 10.30 AM	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Introduction to ICSID and the ICSID Convention
10.30 AM – 11.00 AM	Break
11.00 AM – 12.30 PM	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Introduction to the Permanent Court of Arbitration• Introduction to the SIAC Investment Arbitration Rules
12.30 PM – 1.30 PM	Lunch break
1.30 PM – 3.00 PM	Investment treaty arbitration jurisdictional issues <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Consent to arbitrate• Covered investors• Covered investments
3.00 PM – 3.30 PM	Break
3.30 PM – 5.00 PM	Investment treaty obligations (1) <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Expropriation• Fair and equitable treatment
5.00 PM – 5.30 PM	Day 2 debrief - participants' questions and discussion (participation is optional)

PROGRAMME – DAY THREE Thursday, 10 November 2022

Substantive Issues in Treaty Arbitration and Regional Updates	
Time (Singapore)	Session
9.00 AM – 10.30 AM	Investment treaty obligations (2) <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Full protection & security• Most favoured nation clauses• Umbrella clauses
10.30 AM – 11.00 AM	Break
11.00 AM – 12.30 PM	Defences to investment treaty claims
12.30 PM – 1.30 PM	Lunch break
1.30 PM – 3.00 PM	Regional updates on investment treaty arbitration (1) <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Singapore• People's Republic of China• India
3.00 PM – 3.30 PM	Break
3.30 PM – 5.00 PM	Regional updates on investment treaty arbitration (2) <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Japan• Philippines• Korea
5.00 PM – 5.30 PM	Day 3 debrief - participants' questions and discussion (participation is optional)

PROGRAMME – DAY FOUR Friday, 11 November 2022

Evidence, Argument, Damages and Awards	
Time (Singapore)	Session
9.00 AM – 10.30 AM	Evidence in investment arbitration (including issues of document production, witness evidence, cross-examination, legal privilege, cabinet privilege and state secrets)
10.30 AM – 11.00 AM	Break
11.00 AM – 12.30 PM	Issues relating to arbitral awards: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Setting aside• Enforcement• Execution
12.30 PM – 1.30 PM	Lunch break
1.30 PM – 3.00 PM	Damages and valuation
3.00 PM – 3.30 PM	Break
3.30 PM – 5.00 PM	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• An arbitrator's tips for parties and counsel• Oral/written arguments
5.00 PM – 5.15 PM	Day 4 debrief - participants' questions and discussion (participation is optional)
5.15 PM – 5.30 PM	Conclusion and Academy Wrap Up