



Briefing & Roundtable

Thursday, 16 June 2011

4pm to 7:30pm

WARSAW - POLAND

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**YOUNG INTERNATIONAL ARBITRATION GROUP (YIAG)
of the LONDON COURT OF INTERNATIONAL ARBITRATION (LCIA)**

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Who should attend: Young practitioners (under the age of 45) from the region, in-house or in private practice, and students, who are interested to deepen & update their knowledge about international arbitration.

Date: Thursday 16 June 2011 - from 4pm to 7:30pm (refreshments provided)

Venue: Warsaw, seat of PKPP Lewiatan, Warsaw, Klonowa 6, basement conference area.

Cost: Free of charge

Programme: Review of international legal principles & debate on current news & practical issues relating to arbitration & Poland

- **Opening Remarks**

Beata Gessel-Kalinowska vel Kalisz

Chairman of the PKPP LEWIATAN Court of Arbitration, GESSEL Attorneys-at-Law, Warsaw

- **Framework of international commercial arbitration: legal setting, arbitration agreement, applicable law and arbitral tribunal**

Marie Stoyanov, Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer LLP, Paris (YIAG Co-Chair)

- **Arbitral proceedings from beginning to end: some crucial steps of commercial & investment arbitration**

Barbara Helene Steindl, Brauneis Klauser Prändl (bkp), Vienna

(YIAG Regional Representative for Central & Eastern Europe)

- **Arbitration in Poland today: Update on the statute and recent case law.**

Counsel's perspective: Monika Hartung, Wardynski & Partners, Warsaw

Arbitrator's perspective: Przemko Krzywosz, P.P.Krzywosz Kancelaria Prawna Warsaw

- **Standards in international arbitration: Practise and tools**

Gunnar Pickl, Dorda Brugger Jordis, Vienna

- **Setting aside and Enforcement of arbitral awards in Poland**

Setting aside: *Agnieszka Różalska-Kucal, Assistant to the Lewiatan Court of Arbitration*

Enforcement: *Małgorzata Surdek, CMS Cameron McKenna, Warsaw, Poland*

The seminar will be followed by **informal drinks** in the city centre at the participants' own cost. The language of the seminar will be **English** and attendance is **limited to 60 participants**. Places will be allocated on a first come first served basis

For further information & registration

please send your full name, profession, name of firm/company/organisation, age and area of practice to

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About YIAG

Established in 1997, the Young International Arbitration Group (YIAG) is an LCIA sponsored association for students, practitioners and younger members of the arbitration community.

YIAG aims to promote the understanding and use of international arbitration law and practice by providing opportunities for its members to exchange views on topical issues in international commercial arbitration.

Members of YIAG meet and network regularly in venues around the world at conferences, training seminars and social events.

YIAG publishes regular e-newsletters, to which all members are encouraged to submit contributions.

Currently, there are over 3000 members from more than 100 countries, and membership continues to rise steadily.