

FOURTH ANNUAL MAY SEMINAR CANBERRA



UNCCA PRE-CONFERENCE COCKTAIL RECEPTION – 24 May 2018, 7pm

Venue: The Pavilion on Northbourne Hotel, Canberra
Guest of Honour: Hon Justice Chrissa Loukas-Karlsson (ACT Supreme Court)

UNCCA FULL DAY MAY SEMINAR – 25 May 2018

VENUE: The University of Canberra – Bld.11, Bruce, ACT

8.15: Registration

8.30: Introduction and Welcome – The Hon. Justice Neil McKerracher (Chair of UNCCA, Federal Court of Australia Perth)

9.00: Keynote address – The Hon. Justice Sarah Derrington (Federal Court of Australia, President of the Australian Law Reform Commission, Brisbane)

9.30: Special UNCITRAL address – Video presentation by Anna Joubin-Bret (Secretary of UNCITRAL)

SESSION I: CURRENT DEVELOPMENTS IN INTERNATIONAL CONTRACTS

10.00: Panel 1. A pre-launch discussion of the joint UNCITRAL, UNIDROIT and HCCH Legal Guide on International Commercial Contracts (with a focus on sales).

- **Dr Lisa Spagnolo** (Chair of UNCCA EAC CISG, Monash University)
- **Roger Wilkins AO** (Former Secretary of the Attorney General's Department)
- **Justin Hogan-Doran** (Barrister at 7 Wentworth Selborne Chambers, Sydney)
- **Video presentation: Prof Lauro Gama Jr** (Working Group UNCITRAL-UNIDROIT-HCCH Joint Project, CISG Advisory Council, Pontifical Catholic Univ. of Rio)

11.15: Coffee break

11.45: Panel 2. Correlations between the Electronic Commerce Convention (ECC), the Vienna Convention on the Sale of Goods (CISG), and the Trans-Pacific Partnership (TPP) Agreement.

Panel composed of:

- **Dr Alan Davidson** (Chair of UNCCA EAC WG IV, University of Queensland)
- **Leon Chung** (Partner at Herbert Smith Freehills, Sydney)
- **Cari-Dee Le** (Associate at Holman Webb Lawyers, Sydney)

12.45: Lunch

SESSION II: CURRENT DEVELOPMENTS IN DISPUTE RESOLUTION

14.00: Panel 3. Enforcement of international mediated settlement agreements, with special focus on the work of WG II on its preparation of a new convention and a revised Model Law as well as their correlation with the enforcement of arbitral awards and judgments

- **Ms Delcy Lagones de Anglim** (Chair of the UNCCA EAC WG II, Third Party Mediation, Canberra)
- **Bronwyn Lincoln** (Partner at Corrs Chambers Westgarth, Melbourne)
- **Neil Hannan** (Partner at Thomson Geer Lawyers, Melbourne)

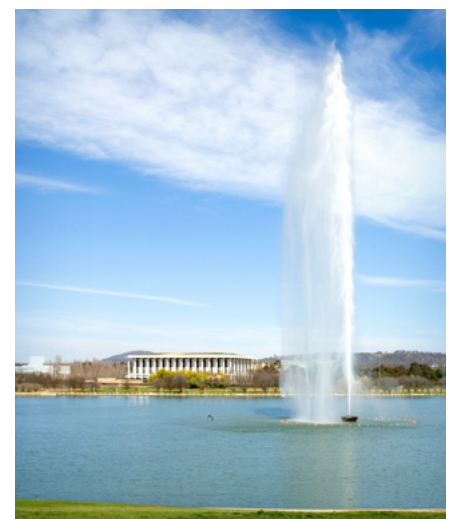
15.00: Coffee break

15.15: Panel 4. Current developments in investor-state dispute settlement – with focus on the current work of WG III.

- **Ms Sara Rayment** (Chair of UNCCA EAC WG III, Associate, Sparke Helmore, Newcastle)
- **Ms Patricia Holmes** (Assistant Secretary, DFAT Office of Trade Negotiations, Trade and Investment Law Branch, Canberra)
- **Dr Anthea Roberts** (Associate Professor Australian National University, RegNet)

16.15: Closing remarks – Dr Dalma R Demeter (Deputy Chair UNCCA, University of Canberra)

16.30: Drinks reception



REGISTRATION DETAILS

For tickets, go to www.eventbrite.com.au/e/uncca-annual-may-seminar-tickets-43575141421

Pre-conference reception (24 May): AU\$60 / person

Full day conference (25 May):

Category	UNCCA renewing members	Students / Retired professionals**	Full time academics / Government employees / Practitioners under 5 years**	General**
Early bird (up to 30 April)	\$50	\$70	\$150	\$225
Full fee (from 1 May)	\$75	\$90	\$180	\$275

* +10% GST

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