



# ICC in a World of Covid-19

## 13 OCTOBER 2020, 3pm AEDT | ONLINE

COVID-19, as we know has disrupted businesses around the world. Consequently, it has also impacted on how businesses and other stake holders formulate their dispute resolution strategies. The impact of the virus has created confusion and obfuscated the business environment. Additionally, businesses continue to grapple with the changing regulatory regimes prescribed by authorities to fight the virus. The environment continues to remain volatile as it is difficult to predict the spread of the virus, its resurgence, and supervision in the absence of any credible vaccine. ICC Australia welcomes the arbitral community to join them for an interactive webinar to discuss how the workings and function of the ICC during this World of Covid-19. The webinar would include an update of the ICC activities and statistics, overview of the work of ICC Australian nominations committee, an update on the recent work of the ICC Commission, revision of the ICC Rules of Arbitration.

#### REGISTRATION

Registration fees: Free of charge, however prior registration is required Registration link:

https://2go.iccwbo.org/icc-in-a-world-of-covid-19.html

Venue

Online

Working language

**English** 

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# PROGRAMME | 13 October 2020

15:00-15:10	Welcome and introduction
15:10-15:30	Update on ICC activities and statistics, including any changes with Covid, virtual hearings etc
15:30-15:50	Overview of the work of ICC Australian nominations committee
15:50-16:00	Q&A
16:00-16:10 16:10-16:30	BREAK Update on the workings of the ICC Commission: • recent virtual meeting • ADR Committee • any other specific committees / taskforces
16:30-16:45	Revision of the ICC Rules - update on final meeting, process and status of consultations
16:45-16:55	Q&A
16:55-17:00	Thank You and Close

# **SPEAKERS**

#### > Abhinav Bhushan

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## > Joachim (Jo) Delaney

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The Secretariat is divided into case-management teams, seven based in Paris, one in Hong Kong, one in New York, one in São Paulo and another one in Singapore.

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