

# LAUNCH OF ICC COMMISSION REPORT: FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS AND INTERNATIONAL ARBITRATION

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**Hong Kong, China - 10 April 2017 (13:30 – 17:45)**

## Venue

### **Latham & Watkins**

18th Floor, One Exchange Square  
8 Connaught Place, Central  
Hong Kong

## Highlights

ICC Commission's latest Report on Financial Institutions and International Arbitration reflects financial institutions' perceptions and experience of international arbitration.

Arbitration, with its flexibility and worldwide enforcement, has the potential to become the preferred dispute resolution method for the world's corporate and investment banks. This one-of-a-kind interdisciplinary Report addresses the potential benefits of international commercial arbitration in banking and financial matters and some common misperceptions about the process. It concludes with a series of detailed recommendations for tailoring the arbitration procedure to suit the needs of the banking and finance sectors.

The report offers an analytical survey of arbitration in twelve banking and financial sectors and products spanning all CIB financing, capital markets, asset management and advisory mandate fields. It is the linchpin of a new approach to dispute risk management in international banking and finance.

## Who should attend

All local, regional and international professionals involved in banking, finance and international arbitration: bankers, decision-makers in banks and funds, in-house counsel in the banking sector, government representatives, lawyers and arbitrators.

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### PROGRAMME

**13:30 – 14:00**                      **Registration**

**14:00 – 14:15**                      **Welcome Remarks and Introductory Remarks**

**Ronald Sum**

Chairman, ICC HK Arbitration and ADR Committee, Hong Kong

Partner, Troutman Sanders, Hong Kong

**Simon Powell**

Partner, Latham & Watkins, Hong Kong

**14:15 – 14:30**                      **Introduction of Report on Financial Institutions and International Arbitration**

**Claudia Salomon**

Partner, Latham & Watkins LLP, New York

Co-chair of the Task Force of the Report, New York

**14:30 – 15:15**                      **Panel I: Overview of the Report, Its Recommendations and Conclusions**

**Timothy Lindsay**

Partner, Lowndes Jordan, New Zealand Arbitration in Sovereign Lending Workstream Leader

**Charles Nairac**

Partner, White & Case, Paris

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**Claudia Salomon**

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Counsel, ICC International Court of Arbitration, Asia Office, Hong Kong

**Dominic Wu**

Managing Director and Senior Risk Manager, Asia Pacific, BNY Mellon, Hong Kong

**Moderator: Claudia Salomon**

Partner, Latham & Watkins LLP, New York

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**15:15 – 15:30**                      *Coffee break*

**15:30 – 17:00**                      **Panel II: What Banks and Financial Institutions should know about International Arbitration**

**John Choong**

Partner, Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer, Hong Kong

**Cameron Hassell**

Partner, Clifford Chance, Hong Kong

**Susan Leslie Munro**

Partner, Steptoe & Johnson LLP, Beijing

**Anselmo Reyes (TBC)**

Professor of Legal Practice at Hong Kong University, Former Judge of the Hong Kong High Court, Representative of the Asia-Pacific Regional Office of the Hague Conference, International Judge of the Singapore International Commercial Court

**Mary Thomson**

Barrister-at-law, Arbitrator, Mediator, Chartered Adjudicator

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**17:00 – 17:30**                      **Q&A**

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**17:30 – 17:45**                      **Closing Remarks**

**Mingchao Fan**

ICC Regional Director of Arbitration and ADR for North Asia, Shanghai

**17:45 – 21:00**                      **Cocktail sponsored by Latham & Watkins**

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