



LCIA Arbitration – What You Need To Know

Law Society Skillnet in collaboration with Arbitration Ireland

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Method	Live Zoom webinar with Q & A
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Aim and objectives

This seminar will address the most important elements of practice and procedure of one of the foremost international arbitral institutions; the London Court of International Arbitration (LCIA).

The aims of the seminar are to: (i) further build upon the general context of institutional arbitration laid out in previous seminars in this series, (ii) deepen knowledge of the workings of a leading international arbitral institution often used by Irish parties or parties retaining Irish counsel, and (iii) allow attendees to use any lessons learned in the session in the future provision of services for clients involved in LCIA arbitrations.

This seminar is suitable for: solicitors and barristers new to the area and those with some experience of international arbitration.

Topics and Description

This seminar will take the audience through the most important elements of practice and procedure of the LCIA. The speakers from the institution will describe the full lifecycle of an LCIA arbitration case, and focus in particular on the following elements:

- (1) explaining the organisation of the institution and the division of procedural functions between the Secretariat and the LCIA Court;
- (2) describing the application of the LCIA Arbitration Rules by the above two bodies through the lens of the important procedural milestones; and
- (3) discussing any practical tips for practitioners acting as counsel in LCIA arbitrations.

Programme

- **Introduction**

- (1) LCIA Court & Secretariat
 - a. Structure & Composition
 - b. Respective Duties pursuant to the LCIA Arbitration Rules

- **Lifecycle of an LCIA Arbitration**

- (2) Commencement and Formation of the Arbitral Tribunal
 - a. Request for Arbitration & Response
 - b. Pre-Formation Procedural Decisions
 - c. Appointment of the Arbitral Tribunal
- (3) Arbitral Proceedings
 - a. Pre-Hearing Conduct of Proceedings
 - b. Hearings & Financial Decisions of the Court
 - c. Powers of the Arbitral Tribunal
- (4) Awards & Costs of Arbitration
 - a. Making & Correction of Awards
 - b. Costs of Arbitration
 - c. Miscellaneous Provisions within the Rules

A bibliography/reading list will be provided after the webinar to allow further reading for interested audience members and to provide links to useful resources.

Chairperson

Sean McCarthy BL, The Bar of Ireland

Sean McCarthy is an Irish barrister, New York attorney and international arbitration consultant. He is a former Deputy Counsel at the ICC Secretariat in Paris and the current ICC YAF Representative for Ireland. Sean is also a co-founder and moderator for ArbTech, an online community focused on exploring the future of justice and the intersection between law and technology.

Speakers

Jacomijn van Haersolte-van Hof (LCIA Director General)

Eliana Tornese (LCIA Registrar)

Wing Shek (LCIA Deputy Registrar)

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