

International Marketplace

Conference:

The London link: innovation, opportunities, and challenges in emerging markets



The Law Society

Programme 09/07/2013

09.00 - 09.30 Registration

09.30 - 09.40 **Chairman's welcome**

Lucy Scott-Moncrieff, president, The Law Society

Nankunda Katangaza, head of international policy, The Law Society

09.40 - 10.05 **Keynote address:**

Dr. Augusto Lopez-Claros, director of global indicators and analysis, The World Bank & IFC, USA

10.05 - 11.20 **Plenary panel 1 - *The project: Financing projects in emerging markets***

Chair:

Kaushik Ray, partner, Trinity International LL, UK

Speakers:

Carlos José Gómez, partner and head of project finance, Lloreda Camacho & C, Colombia

Rashid Gaissin, managing partner, GRATA, Kazakhstan

Abhijit Mukhopadhyay, president (Legal), Hinduja Group, UK

David Church, partner, DLA Piper, UK

Carlos José Gómez, partner and head of project finance, Lloreda Camacho & C, Colombia

11.20 - 11.45 ***Morning refreshments***

11.45 - 13.00 **Plenary panel 2 - *The contract: Why English law ?***

Chair:

Mark Beer, chief executive, DIFC Courts, Dubai International Financial Centre, United Arab Emirates

Speakers:

Howard Barrie, partner, Eversheds, UK

Linna Li, partner, Zhong Lun, China

Richard Reade, assistant general counsel, Weightwatchers, UK

Claire Rason, international associate/business development manager, Morales & Besa, Chile

13.00 - 14.00 Lunch and networking

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14.00 - 15.15 **Plenary panel 3 - Assessing risk and the regulatory framework**

Chair:

Nicole Bigby, partner and head of risk, Berwin Leighton Paisner, UK

Discussants:

Ricardo La, senior partner, Goodrich, Riquelme y Asociados, Mexico

Dr Robert Barnes, managing director, Anopolis, UK

Colin Long, of counsel, Bird & Bird, UK

Daniel Cook, legal counsel, BP, UK

15:15 - 16.15 **Plenary panel 4 - Dispute resolution and enforcement: Opportunities in the new dispute resolution centres**

Chair:

Sherina Petit, partner, Norton Rose Fulbright, UK

Discussants:

Yemi Candide-Johnson SAN, board of directors, Lagos Court of Arbitration, Nigeria

Rammit Kaur, head of legal services Kuala Lumpur Regional Centre for Arbitration, Malaysia

Mark Beer, chief executive, DIFC Courts, Dubai International Financial Centre, United Arab Emirates

Thierry Ngoga-Gakuba, registrar, Kigali International Arbitration Centre, Rwanda

Ajay Thomas, registrar, LCIA India (TBC)

Datuk Sundra Rajoo, executive director, Kuala Lumpur Regional Centre for Arbitration (TBC)

16.15 - 16.30 **Afternoon Refreshments**

16.30- 17.30 **Closing Plenary**

Speaker:

To be confirmed

17:30 - 18.30 **Networking reception**