

# ERA / MPI Conference on Arbitration and EU Law

The Academy of European Law (ERA) and the Max Planck Institute Luxembourg will co-organize a conference on Arbitration and EU Law in Trier, Germany, on March 10 and 11, 2014.

**Monday, 10 March 2014**

## I. AFTER THE RECAST OF BRUSSELS I

Moderator: *Stefania Bariatti*

09:30 Consequences and interpretation of the arbitration exception

10:00 *West Tankers*, antisuit injunctions and beyond: recent developments and latest case law

*Alexander Layton*

10:30-11:00 Discussion

11:30 Brussels I and the New York Convention: recognition and enforcement of judgments and awards

*Catherine Kessedjian*

12:00 Discussion

Moderator: *Catherine Kessedjian*

12:15-13:00 Panel discussion: How to ensure the effective coordination of judicial and arbitration proceedings?

- *Massimo Benedetti*
- *Alexander Layton*

## II. THE CROSS-OVER BETWEEN INSOLVENCY AND ARBITRATION

Moderator: Burkhard Hess

14:00 Effects of insolvency in arbitral proceedings taking into account the Insolvency Regulation and the proposals for its review

*Stefania Bariatti*

14:30 Effects of foreign insolvency on arbitration seated in Switzerland

*Martin Bernet*

15:00-15:30 Discussion

### III. PROCEDURE, MINIMUM STANDARDS AND HUMAN RIGHTS

16:00 Innovative systems for dispute resolution in sport – and in other areas?

*Dirk-Reiner Martens*

16:30 Procedural minimum standards and the applicability of Article 6 ECHR in arbitration

*Massimo Benedettelli*

17:00-17:30 Discussion

## **Tuesday, 11 March 2014**

### IV. INVESTMENT ARBITRATION

Moderator: *Alexander Layton*

09:30 Compatibility of bilateral investment treaties (BITs) with EU law

*Luca Radicati di Brozolo*

10:00 Investment arbitration under extra-EU BITs

*Patricia Nacimiento*

10:30-11:00 Discussion

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11:30 Recent developments in investment arbitration

*Maxi Scherer*

12:00 Discussion

12:15 Panel discussion: Challenges and opportunities for investment arbitration

• *Patricia Nacimiento*

• *Maxi Scherer*

13:00 Lunch and end of the conference