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A View from the International Bench - Current Topics in Cross-border Dispute Resolution

Wednesday, 3 June 2020

3PM to 4:15PM

This is a webinar.




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Overview

The world of international dispute resolution has witnessed a flurry of major developments in the past year and more recently. The Hague Judgments Convention was signed on 2 July 2019. Together with the Hague Choice of Court Agreements Convention, they deal with two key aspects of private international law in cross-border litigation in civil and commercial matters: the international jurisdiction of courts and the recognition and enforcement of their judgments abroad. The Supreme Court of Singapore executed a memorandum of guidance (MOG) with its counterpart in Myanmar in February 2020. In addition, a number of recent Singapore court judgments have dealt with the issue of whether the Court has power to extend time limits under the Model Law for setting aside an arbitral award or an appeal against a tribunal's ruling on jurisdiction.

Organized by the Asian Business Law Institute, this webinar will cover the following topics:

- Demystify MOG—what is it and what role can it play?
- The two Hague Conventions—what are their roles and limitations (if any)?
- Power of the court to extend time limits—what do *BXS v BXT*, *BXY v BXX*, and *Bloomberry* tell us?

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Programme (3 June 2020)

Time	Schedule
3:00 PM	Webinar
4:00 PM	Question and Answer
4:15 PM	End of Event

Registration Fee

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Speakers

Dr Michael Hwang SC

Dr Michael Hwang SC currently practices as a Barrister and Arbitrator, focusing on international arbitration and mediation. During over 50 years of practice in the legal field, Michael has held various positions and appointments, including partner of Allen & Gledhill, Judicial Commissioner of the Supreme Court of Singapore from 1991 to the end of 1992, non-resident Deputy Chief Justice and Chief Justice of the Courts of the Dubai International Financial Centre from 2005 to 2018, among many others.



Justice Anselmo Reyes

Anselmo Reyes practises as an arbitrator. He was Professor of Legal Practice at Hong Kong University from October 2012 to September 2018. Before that, he was a judge of the Hong Kong High Court from 2003 to 2012 when he was in charge of the Construction and Arbitration List (2004 to 2008) and the Commercial and Admiralty Lists (2008 to 2012). He was Representative of the Hague Conference on Private International Law's Regional Office Asia Pacific from April 2013 to July 2017. He became an International Judge of the Singapore International Commercial Court in January 2015.

This webinar will be moderated by Mr Mark Fisher, Deputy Executive Director of the Asian Business Law Institute.

