

Arbitration Agreements: The Cornerstone of Arbitration

16 Jan 2014 (Thursday) | 2:30 pm to 4:30 pm

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As arbitration becomes the principal method of international dispute resolution, it is imperative that members of the legal fraternity understand the basic elements of arbitration, particularly at the point of drafting commercial agreements that incorporate arbitration as a term of dispute settlement. Whilst arbitration agreements have become more popular, invalid or ineffective arbitration agreements are still a widespread problem today. The learning outcomes of this seminar include the dos and don'ts of arbitration clauses, complications arising from poorly drafted arbitration agreements, and drafting techniques. There will also be case studies and group discussions aiming to provide participants with tangible knowledge in this area so that disputes do not turn into nightmares even before arbitration has begun!

Registration for the seminar will begin at 2:00 pm.

About the Speaker

Professor Steve Ngo is a Singaporean international arbitration and dispute resolution practitioner specialising in international trade, energy, mining and shipping. He has been involved in international arbitration and dispute resolution in roles such as academician, consultant and arbitrator. Steve is also an Adviser/Foreign Representative to the Shanghai Arbitration Court of International Shipping, and Adviser to the University of London International Programmes, Postgraduate Laws Programme. He was the founding Deputy-Secretary General of the Western Australian Institute of Dispute Management based at Murdoch University's Law School.

He received his postgraduate qualifications from Oxford University, Cambridge University, and Leicester De Montfort University School of Law. He has written and published on subjects relating to arbitration and dispute resolution, and has special interest in arbitration practice in Indonesia and China.

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