

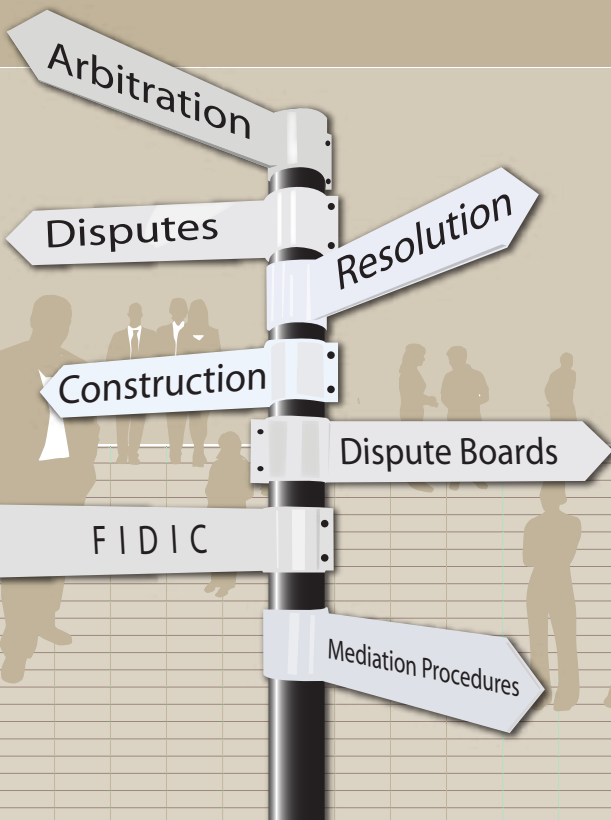
LEADING INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON CONSTRUCTION LAW & DISPUTE RESOLUTION

23 - 24 NOVEMBER 2011

La Pirogue Hotel, Wolmar - Flic en Flac, Mauritius



KAILASH DABEESINGH ARBITRATION CHAMBERS



Conference Events & Venues

Kailash Dabeesingh Arbitration Chambers in association with Alan Auld Group Ltd, UK and Leeds Metropolitan University are proud to host the 8th International Conference on Construction Law and Dispute Resolution with the objective of providing a regular forum for professionals to meet and network in addition to keeping abreast of developments in construction law.

About the Conference

The 2-day conference continues to grow bringing together leading construction experts from around the world and attracts delegates from across the industry.

The Conference Organizing Committee has put together some exciting and wide-ranging discussions on various highly topical and emerging issues. There will be a significant focus on the FIDIC Red Book 1999.



Who should attend:

- Arbitrators
- Architects
- Engineers
- Quantity Surveyor
- Project Managers
- Lawyers
- Law Academics
- Other professionals involved in the Construction Industry who deal with legal, regulatory and contractual issues.



TOPICS

The first day will focus on:

- Alternative Dispute Resolution
- The FIDIC Red Book 1999 - undertaking and managing claims



The second day will focus on:

- Analysis of delay
- Mediation
- Arbitration

Conference Dinner

The conference dinner is open to participants and their guests at an additional cost of MUR 11 00.00 per head.



Day 1 Wednesday 23th November 2011



8.30	9.00 am	Registration of Delegates
9.00	9.10 am	Welcome Address
9.10	9.30 am	Official Opening of Conference and Keynote Address by Guest of Honour, Hon. Attorney General, Mr Yatin Varma
9.30	9.45 am	Morning Coffee
9.45	10.30 am - Session 1	Changing Trends in Dispute Resolution The challenge of the 21st century Speaker: Mr Kailash Dabeesingh
10.30	11.10 am - Session 2	Reshaping Arbitration - How to make Arbitral Proceedings work efficiently and economically. Speaker: Mr Martin Green
11.10	11.50 am - Session 3	Role of Arbitration in Insurance Speaker: Mr Anthony Speaight QC
11.50	12.30 pm - Session 4	The FIDIC Red Book 1999 Preventing and Resolving Disputes by Dispute Adjudication Boards Speaker: Mr Charles Brown
12.30	2.00 pm	LUNCH BREAK
2.00	2.40 pm - Session 5	The FIDIC Red Book 1999 - Early Termination of Contract Grounds of termination and implication of wrongful termination Speaker: Mr Brian Maskery
2.40	3.20 pm - Session 6	The Benefits and Pitfalls of amending Standard Form of Contracts Speaker: Ms Nerys Jefford, QC
3.20	3.35 pm	AFTERNOON COFFEE
3.35	4.15 pm - Session 7	Instructions and Variations Speaker: Mrs Rashda Rana
4.15	5.00 pm - Session 8	Claims arising from Sub-Contractors Speaker: Mr Martin Green
5.00 pm		CLOSE FOR DAY ONE



Day 2 Thursday 24th November 2011



9.00 9.40 am - Session 9 Mediation - The Future of Construction Dispute Resolution
Speaker: Mr Edwin Glasgow, QC

9.40 10.20 am - Session 10 Tendering - Recovery of Costs
Speaker: Mr Brian Maskery

10.20 10.35 am **MORNING COFFEE**

10.35 11.15 am - Session 11 FIDIC Red Book 1999
Working together: Dealing with Extension of Time,
Delay and Disruption
Speaker: Mr Martin Green

11.15 11.45 am - Session 12 FIDIC Red Book 1999
Understanding and Managing Claims
Time and Money
Speaker: Mr Kailash Dabeesingh
Mr Anil Changaroth

11.45 12.30 pm - Session 13 Dispute Resolution
A case for :
Litigation - Speaker: Ms Nerys Jefford, QC
Arbitration - Speaker: Mr K Dabeesingh
Mediation - Speaker: Mr Edwin Glasgow, QC

12.30 2.00 pm **LUNCH BREAK**

2.00 4.30 pm - Session 14 Mock Litigation, Arbitration and Mediation
An opportunity for attendees to witness live Litigation,
Arbitration and Mediation

4.30 5.00 pm Plenary Session

5.00 5.15 pm **CLOSING SPEECH**

7.00 pm **CONFERENCE DINNER & RECEPTION**



SPEAKERS



A distinguished line up of speakers from around the world has been assembled to lead discussions and speak on a range of emerging topics.



Mr Charles Brown, solicitor

Is a consultant of the firm and specialises in Construction Law. He is the principal of our associated firm Charles Brown Solicitors and is based in Sutton. Charles qualified in 1980 and was a partner and head of the Construction and Dispute Resolution departments of UK and US firms in the city until he established his own firm in 2005.

His transactional work includes drafting contracts, the appointment of construction consultants, collateral warranties, performance bonds and guarantees, and letters of credit. He has over 30 years experience in Litigation, Arbitration, Adjudication, Mediation and all forms of ADR in the UK and overseas as party representative, advocate or tribunal member and is regularly appointed as an Adjudicator or Arbitrator. He has written numerous articles and lectures extensively at conferences and seminars in the UK and overseas.

Mr Anthony Speaight, QC, Barrister, Bencher of Inn of Court, The Middle Temple

Mr A Speaight has been in private practice at the English Bar for over 30 years. He has wide experience in construction and IT litigation, having appeared in important building and engineering cases in the Technology & Construction Court, Court of Appeal and House of Lords. Mr Speaight has wide experience in the field of professional negligence, professional regulation and financial services.



He has also extensive experience in arbitration both as an advocate and as an arbitrator. He is a supervisor at the King's College London, Centre for Construction Law. He has edited the 'The Architect's Legal Handbook' for the last 25 years. He is the co-author of the 'Law of Defective Premises'. He has also edited the Butterworths Professional Negligence Service and contributed the chapters on construction professionals and financial advisers.



Mr Brian Maskery, MSc. MRICS, MCI Arb (Construction Consultant, UK)

Mr B Maskery began his career working in professional quantity surveying offices in the UK. He became a Chartered Quantity Surveyor in 1974 and has gained wide-ranging experience of construction working for more than 20 years at director level in several civil engineering contractor organisations. In 2000 he became a director of Alan Auld Associates Ltd, a multi-disciplinary firm of construction consultants, where he heads up the commercial and dispute resolution division.

He holds a masters degree in Construction Law and Arbitration and is constantly involved in arbitrations, adjudications and litigations in the UK acting either as a party representative or as an expert witness.

Edwin Glasgow CBE QC

Barrister for more that 40 years; 25 of them as a QC, has extensive experience of commercial and common law litigation, including construction and civil engineering. He also has detailed knowledge and experience of international arbitration and mediation and has worked in many jurisdictions including Africa, Asia, Singapore, Malaysia and Europe.

He was the Chairman of the Financial Reporting Review Panel; is a visiting examiner at the Ecole Formation du Bareau de Paris; the President of the International Advocacy Training Council; a member of the Commercial Panel of Arbitration Foundation for Southern Africa and one of the founding members of the AFSA ADR programme.





Rashda Rana, Arbitrator, Mediator, Adjunct Professor
(Sydney University Law School), Australia

Rashda is currently the General Counsel for the project management & construction business of Lend Lease, which is one of the world's leading project management, design and construction companies operating in more than 30 countries worldwide and employing over 9,000 employees.

She is a former barrister who worked extensively at the Bar in London, Australia and Asia for the past 20 years. Her work has included advising on and conducting major commercial, maritime and construction & infrastructure litigation, arbitration and mediation involving wide ranging issues. Rashda is Adjunct Professor teaching international commercial arbitration at Sydney University Law School. She devised the course and it is the first of its kind in Australia. She has recently published a textbook to complement the course.

Nerys Jefford QC

has been a practising barrister in Keating Chambers since 1988, specialising in construction and engineering disputes, and domestic and international arbitration. Her practice covers a wide spectrum of advisory work, drafting and advocacy related to standard form and bespoke contracts; contractors', sub-contractors' and employers' claims; professional negligence claims (architects, engineers, surveyors, valuers); bonds and guarantees and financing arrangements.



In the UK, Nerys Jefford's work is principally contentious and she has been involved in disputes arising out of a wide range of projects from the construction of substantial commercial, residential and public developments (including schools, hospitals and museums) to major engineering and infrastructure projects (including roads, tunnels, underground and overground stations, water treatment and sewage plants), off-shore work, shipbuilding, energy recovery and power generation projects. She is a contributor to Keating on Construction Contracts, 8th ed. and a former Chairman of the Society of Construction Law.



Anil Changaroth FCIArb FSIArb,
Partner of Aequitas Law LLP (Singapore)

in practice since 1995, represents parties in Singapore, Australia, Hong Kong, India, Indonesia, and Sri Lanka on commercial, civil, corporate and criminal litigation and dispute resolution with a focus on Construction, Infrastructure and International Arbitration. He has worked with the international arbitration practice group at the international law firm of Lovells Lee & Lee and as in-house counsel, director and head of Davis Langdon & Seah Singapore Pte Ltd Contract Advisory & Dispute Management Services (advising developers, building owners and contractors on projects in Singapore, India, Vietnam and Korea with regard to construction industry dispute resolution, claims assessment; and front end contract advisory work for residential, commercial, institutional, industrial, infrastructural and PPP projects).

On the panel of arbitrators and mediators at Institutions in Malaysia, New Delhi India and Sri Lanka, he is currently the Vice Chair of the Society of Construction Law (Singapore), the Honorary Treasurer of the Singapore Institute of Arbitrators, advises the Singapore Institute of Architects on amendments the Minor Works Standard Form of Contracts and is on the panel of lawyers of the Embassy of the People's Republic of China, Singapore (conversant in conversational Mandarin).

Mr kailash Dabeesingh, (CEng, MSc Arch, FRICS, FCIArb),
Chartered arbitrator Mauritius

Mr K Dabeesingh graduated with a civil engineering degree and proceeded to gain an MSc degree in Architecture from UCL, University of London. Mr Dabeesingh is also a Chartered Quantity Surveyor from RICS, UK. He obtained an MSc degree in Construction Law and Arbitration and worked in the UK for a few years.



Mr Dabeesingh is actively involved in dispute resolution and been elevated to the rank of Chartered Arbitrator. He is currently an arbitrator on the CIArb Panel UK and is also the current President of the Society of Construction Law – Mauritius.



Mr Martin Green,
BSc, BTech, LL.M, MCIArb, MCIQB, MIFireE, FHEA

(Course Leader MSc Construction Law, Leeds Metropolitan University, UK). Martin started his professional career as a Civil Engineer working for a large contractor in the UK. He operated his own consultancy for a period of 15 years gaining experience in both design and contract administration. Since 1994 he has been a full-time academic working in the area of construction law, contract law and dispute resolution.

He is actively involved, in the assessment of Adjudicators and the organisation of CPD for both the CIArb and the SCL. He is member of the CIOB's Contracts and Procurement Committee. He is the Course Leader for the MSc in Construction Law and Dispute Resolution at Leeds Metropolitan University.

REGISTRATION FORM

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Please complete the registration form and return it with your payment or credit/debit card details to the conference secretariat, KDS Consulting, 8 Bally Court, Temple Park Garden, Labourdonnais Street, Port Louis, Mauritius.

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Email: register@kdschambers.com - website: <http://www.kdschambers.com>

Conference Fee – MUR 20 000

Please note that this is a non-residential course, the fee includes lunch, refreshments and course materials for the two days but does not include the conference dinner and reception at the end of day 2 which is charged at an additional cost of MUR 1100.

Delegate information

First Name: _____ Surname: _____

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