

INVITATION



PRE-VIS MOOT CONFERENCE IN VIENNA

COSTS AND DAMAGES IN INTERNATIONAL ARBITRATION

Date: Friday, April 12, 2019

Time: 9:30 - 16:30

Venue: Juridicum, University of Vienna, Schottenbastei 10-16, 1010 Vienna, Hörsaal U18

Fees: 50 €, registration required

Costs and damages are two - often interrelated - topics in international arbitration which have received considerable attention over the last few years. The complaints by users that arbitration has become too expensive and too slow have been taken serious by all major institutions and numerous suggestions have been made on how to tackle the problem. One of the areas of concern is generally the damage phase in the arbitral proceedings. The conference will address a number of the most pertinent issues relating to costs and damages.

Andrea Bjorklund

Franco Ferrari

Stefan Kröll

Paul Oberhammer

August Reinisch

The event will precede the **26th Willem C. Vis International Commercial Arbitration Moot.**

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SCHEDULE

- 9:30 – 10:00 **Registration**
- 10:00 – 10:15 **Opening remarks**
Prof. Paul Oberhammer (University of Vienna, Vienna)
Prof. Franco Ferrari (New York University, New York City)
- 10:15 – 11:45 **How hermeneutics misshape reasoning and lead to increased costs in arbitration**
Prof. Anthony Daimsis (University of Ottawa, Ottawa)
- Improving trust and transparency in arbitrator time reporting**
Robin Oldenstam (Mannheimer Swartling, Stockholm)
- Allocation of costs in international arbitration: A comparative analysis of approaches in commercial arbitration and investment treaty arbitration**
Steven Finizio (Wilmer Hale, London)
- Session chair:** Prof. Patricia Shaughnessy (Stockholm University, Stockholm)
- 11:45 – 12:15 **Coffee break**
- 12:15 – 13:15 **Reimbursement of in-house counsel, management and employees' cost in international arbitration**
Dr. Crina Baltag (University of Bedfordshire, Luton)
- Arbitrary and unpredictable: how cost awards undermine the reputation of international arbitration**
Michael Mcilwrath (Baker Hughes GE, Florence)
- Session chair:** Prof. Franco Ferrari (New York University, New York City)
- 13:15 – 14:15 **Lunch break**
- 14:15 – 16:15 **Third party funding: the award on costs and security for costs**
John Fellas (Hughes Hubbard & Reed, New York City)
- Integrity and Pragmatism for Third-Party Funding in International Arbitration.**
Prof. Catherine Rogers (Penn State University, State College, Pennsylvania)
- Damages for infringements of antitrust law in arbitration**
Prof. Stefan Kröll (Bucerius Law School, Hamburg)
- Awarding damages to expropriated parties**
Prof. Petra Butler (Victoria University of Wellington, Wellington)
- Session chair:** Prof. Andrea Bjorklund (Mc Gill University, Montreal)
- 16:15 – 16:30 **Closing remarks**
Prof. Andrea Bjorklund (Mc Gill University, Montreal)

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