

Research seminar on IBT related topics

**Thursday,
April 27, 2023
FH 210, 245
Sullivan St.,
New York**

**Arbitrability of Corporate Disputes, Arbitration-Friendliness,
Article VI New York Convention, Deference, ESG and Arbitration,
Illegally Obtained Evidence, Mandatory Institutional Rules,
Metaverse, Model Law Jurisdictions, Transparency
Ethnocentric Interpretation of the CISG
CISG and Shari'a
Domestic Law and FIDIC Contracts**

9.00 am – 6:00 pm NY time

This in-person seminar will focus on some of the topics addressed by graduate students enrolled in NYU's LL.M. in International Business Regulation, Litigation and Arbitration. It allows the participating graduate students to present the ideas behind their research paper and discuss them with professors and leading practitioners.

**MODERATOR
Franco Ferrari**

BIOS

Speakers

Albertus Aldio Primadi	Albert obtained his Bachelor of Law from Universitas Gadjah Mada, Indonesia. Before pursuing his LL.M. at NYU, Albert worked for international arbitral institutions in Malaysia and Hong Kong.
Raphaël Beaulieu	Raphael is a student from France in the process of completing the IBRLA LL.M. program at NYU. He previously completed his undergraduate LLB law degree in English law at King's College University in London, and has a training contract with Herbert Smith Freehills.
Julian Becerra Sanchez	Julian is an IBRLA LL.M. Candidate and currently serving as an intern at the United States Court of International Trade. Prior to joining the IBRLA program, Julian worked as a counsel in several law firms in Colombia, specializing in litigation, tax, and foreign trade. Additionally, Julian provided advisory services to the Colombian Ministry of Trade in WTO dispute settlement.
Bojana Bilankov	Bojana is an international arbitration attorney from Serbia. She is currently pursuing her LL.M. at NYU in the International Business Regulation, Litigation and Arbitration program, as a Vanderbilt scholar.
Sofía Jaramillo	Sofia, a Colombian trained attorney, is currently pursuing her LL.M. degree at NYU. Before enrolling at NYU, she was an associate at Brigard Urrutia, where she was involved in complex commercial and infrastructure disputes.
Zongyao (Eric) Li	As a Hauser Global Scholar, Eric is currently pursuing his LL.M. degree at NYU. He has extensive experience advising companies and governments in international arbitrations conducted under the auspices of the ICC, ICSID, HKIAC, SIAC, SCC, and CIETAC.
Felipe Lima Matthes	Felipe is an LL.M. candidate at NYU. Felipe has over 10 years of experience practicing litigation and arbitration in top-tier law firms in Brazil.
Xiaohan (Kira) Lin	Kira is an NYU LL.M. candidate. She obtained her LLB from East China University of Political Science and Law in Shanghai. She has experience in the ABA International Arbitration Committee, Space Arbitration Association, and the ICC.
Sakshi Mehra	Sakshi earned her first law degree at Symbiosis International University, India. She then worked for one year as an in-house counsel for a NASAD-listed company in India, focusing on managing the legal affairs of the company.
Lilia Rosa Mendoza Rosales	Lilia, a Colombian-qualified lawyer currently pursuing an LL.M. at NYU, has six years of experience as an international law attorney advisor with the Colombian government. She worked for the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Presidency of the Republic, and the Attorney General's Office.
Gaurika Mohan	Prior to joining NYU, Gaurika, who holds a Bachelor of Laws/Bachelor of Arts double degree from Symbiosis International University, India, was a Senior Associate in a boutique law firm in Delhi where she practiced commercial litigation and arbitration.
Filipe Nasi	Filipe is an LL.M. candidate at NYU. He is a Senior Associate at the Litigation & Arbitration practice of TozziniFreire Advogados (Brazil).
Daniel Niemeyer	Daniel is an LL.M. candidate at NYU, where he is the Academic Officer of the Brazilian Legal Society. He is also a senior associate attorney at Nunes Ferreira (Rio de Janeiro), with seven years of experience in the arbitration and litigation field.
Tatiana Olazábal	Tatiana, a Spanish-qualified lawyer studying at NYU, earned a law degree from Universidad Autónoma de Madrid and a Dual Master in Lawyering and Legal Advice from IE University. She was an associate at Allen & Overy working in litigation and arbitration.
Salonee Patil	Salonee, currently a graduate student at NYU, received her first law degree from ILS Law College, India. Thereafter, she worked with the disputes team at SDS Advocates, a law firm in Mumbai, India where she practiced commercial arbitration and litigation.
Kafui Quashigah	Kafui is a Senior Associate at Kimathi & Partners, a Ghanaian law firm that primarily advises multinational firms regarding their most challenging legal issues, most significant business transactions and most critical and complex disputes.
Victoria Rodriguez de Anda	Prior to joining NYU's IBRLA LL.M. program, Victoria practiced for nearly five years international commercial arbitration and investment arbitration at White & Case in Mexico.

COMMENTATORS

Louis B. Kimmelman is an independent arbitrator and a Professor of Practice at Brooklyn Law School, where he teaches courses on international commercial arbitration and international litigation and coaches the Brooklyn Willem C. Vis International Commercial Arbitration Moot team. He retired from Sidley Austin LLP in December 2020, where he had been a partner and a co-leader of the firm's global international arbitration practice. During his years of practice, Mr. Kimmelman acted as lead counsel in international commercial arbitration and investor-state disputes and served as an arbitrator in international disputes. He currently serves as Chair of the New York International Arbitration Center.

Floriane Lavaud is a member of Debevoise & Plimpton LLP's International Dispute Resolution Group in New York and Paris. Her practice focuses on public international law, international arbitration, and complex litigation, with a particular emphasis on the Middle East. She is admitted to the New York and Paris Bars, in addition to being a solicitor in England & Wales. With over fifteen years of experience, Ms. Lavaud advises and represents multinational corporations and sovereign States in a variety of jurisdictions, including the ICJ. Floriane also advises and represents pro bono clients on both domestic law and public international law issues. Most recently, she has worked with Legal Action Worldwide to seek justice for the Rohingya before the International Criminal Court and for the Tigrayan people before the African Commission on Human and Peoples' Rights.

Friedrich Rosenfeld is Partner at HANEFELD, an arbitration boutique with offices in Hamburg and Paris. He acts as party representative as well as arbitrator involving a range of applicable substantive laws and seats. Alongside his full-time practice, he is also Global Adjunct Professor at NYU Paris, Honorary Professor at the International Hellenic University in Thessaloniki and lecturer at Bucerius Law School in Hamburg, apart from being a very prolific author. Friedrich studied at Bucerius Law School and Columbia Law School. He was a fellow of the German National Academic Foundation and holds a Ph.D. in International Law (summa cum laude).

Daniel Schimmel leads the International Litigation & Arbitration practice of Foley Hoag's New York office. Daniel has served as Chair, Sole Arbitrator, Co-Arbitrator, Emergency Arbitrator, Appellate Arbitrator, and counsel in international arbitrations arising from a broad range of contracts and transactions. He has served as Chair and emergency arbitrator in disputes in excess of \$350 million. He has served as arbitrator in six expedited arbitrations, international monetary, banking and financial law. He also acts as legal expert in international proceedings and as arbitrator in commercial cases.

Dennis Solomon is Professor of Civil Law, Private International Law and Comparative Law at the University of Passau Faculty of Law, Germany, and the Managing Director of its Institute for International and Foreign Law. Dennis studied Law in Passau and Berkeley and obtained tenure as Professor of Law at the Eberhard Karls Universität Tübingen, Germany, in 2005. He later joined the Faculty of Law of the University of Passau in 2008. Professor Solomon holds an honorary doctorate from the University of Kragujevac, Serbia. Professor Solomon's main areas of research, teaching and publication are private international law, international civil procedure, and arbitration. He regularly advises German courts on the application of foreign law.