FORUM

International Commercial Contracts and Dispute Resolution

Tuesday, March 24th, 2020

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8010 Graz – Austria
PROGRAMME

TUESDAY
MARCH 24TH, 2020

15:30
Opening
Christoph Bezemek
(Dean Faculty of Law,
University Graz)

Christian Aschauer
Walter Doralt

15:40
Keynote Address
Georges Affaki
(Professor of Law, Paris II,
Avocat à la Cour and
Independent Arbitrator)
Playing the System:
(some) Rewards and
(many more) Pitfalls

16:20
Veronika Korom
(Professor ESSEC
Business School)
Opportunistic
Behaviour of Parties
in Investor State
Arbitration

16:40
Alice Fremuth-Wolf
(Secretary General, VIAC
Vienna International Arbitral
Centre)
Opportunistic
Behavior by Parties:
The Perspective of the
Arbitral Institution

17:00
Erich Schwarzenbacher
(Justice, Supreme Court of
Austria and Member of the
Board of VIAC)
Setting Aside an Award
and Opportunistic
Procedural Abuses

17:20
Panel discussion and
general discussion

17:50
Walter Doralt
Introducing the first Vis
Pre-moot Competition in
Austria and the Teams

18:00 – 20:00 Reception

SPEAKERS

Prof. Dr. Georges Affaki (Keynote),
C.Arb, is a Professor of law at the University of
Paris II and an Avocat before the Court of Appeal
of Paris, France. He is a Chartered Arbitrator
and a member of the ICC International Court of
Arbitration and of the ICSID Panels of Arbitrators
and Mediators. He is the Chairman of the Banking
Commission, ICC France, and chairs the ICC Legal
Committee. Professor Affaki is a Governor of the
UNIDROIT Foundation and a Council member of
the ICC Institute. In 2019, Prof. Affaki was nomi-
nated Foreign Trade Counselor of France by
Ministerial Decree.

Dr. Christian Aschauer,
Attorney at Law and Independent Arbitrator
in Vienna; Dr. Aschauer has been teaching
international arbitration at the University
of Graz 2014–2019

Prof. Dr. Christoph Bezemek, LL.M. (Yale),
University of Graz, Dean of the Law School

Prof. Dr. Walter Doralt, University of Graz

Dr. Alice Fremuth-Wolf,
Secretary General VIAC

Prof. Dr. Veronika Korom,
ESSEC Business School, Paris

Dr. Erich Schwarzenbacher,
Hofrat, Oberster Gerichtshof (Justice at the Austri-
an Supreme Court in Civil and Criminal Matters)

REGISTRATION

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