

WINTER ACADEMY



OUR MISSION

At the Russian Institute of Modern Arbitration, we believe that education should not be limited by any means. The Winter Academy on International Arbitration (“Winter Academy”) is designed to break down these barriers and provide a platform for young professionals to gain a deeper understanding of international arbitration.

While there are thousands of workshops on how to become a good arbitration practitioner, this knowledge remains incomplete without considering the core principles of arbitration, such as the fundamental ideas of the rule of law and party autonomy. When building the program for the Winter Academy, we strive to balance practical classes with general fundamental courses on arbitration.

However, the Winter Academy is more than just a course on arbitration. It is an opportunity for individuals from diverse backgrounds to come together and learn from one another. We believe that the exchange of ideas and perspectives is crucial to personal and professional growth, and we strive to create an environment that fosters this exchange.

As we prepare for the Winter Academy each year, our team eagerly looks forward to meeting both lecturers and participants. We are proud to offer a program that is accessible to all, regardless of nationality, gender, age, financial means, location, or any other factors. The Winter Academy connects people from different countries with various cultural backgrounds. Ultimately, this is perhaps the most essential goal of the Winter Academy – to focus on the common values that international arbitration cherishes and maintains.

SPEAKERS | Winter Academy 2021

General Courses

- ▶ Arbitration Agreement and its Validity: Main Pitfalls for the Parties and Arbitrators
Andrey Panov
- ▶ Choice of Law in Arbitration and its Implications
Daria Zhdan-Pushkina

Special Courses

- ▶ “Due Process Paranoia” in a Cross-Border Arbitration: A Duty to Render an Enforceable Award
Melissa Magliana
- ▶ Fast Track Arbitrations: Due Process Considerations
Peter Pettibone
- ▶ Confidentiality and Transparency. Digital Trust v. Cyber Risks
Luke Pardey
- ▶ Legal Implications of Virtual Hearings – Balance between Efficiency of Proceedings and Fair & Equal Treatment and the Right to Be Heard of the Parties
Alice Fremuth-Wolf
- ▶ Rise of “Green Arbitration”: Climate Change and Renewable Energy Disputes
Wendy J. Miles
- ▶ Construction and Oil & Gas Arbitration: Peculiarities and Practical Considerations
Anna Grischenkova
- ▶ Tackling Cultural and Procedural Differences in a Globalized World
Laurence Ponty
- ▶ Cross-examination in International Arbitration
Timothy G. Nelson

Workshop

- ▶ How to Prevail a Multibillion Case and Tackle Derailed Tactics of Your Opponents
Baiju Vasani

Guest Lectures

- ▶ The Quest for Efficiency in International Arbitration: Who Drives the Process?
Loukas Mistelis
- ▶ Limits to Party Autonomy in International Commercial Arbitration
Franco Ferrari

SPEAKERS | Winter Academy 2022

General Courses

- ▶ **Fundamentals of Arbitration**
Jan Paulsson
- ▶ **Multi-party Arbitration**
Bernard Hanotiau
- ▶ **Cross-jurisdictional Approach to Bankruptcy**
Manuel Penades Fons
Patrick Taylor and Gavin Chesney
Leonid Kropotov
- ▶ **How Arbitral Interim Measures Came into Their Own**
James Castello

Special Courses

- ▶ **The Arbitral Tribunal: Selection of Arbitrators, Strategy of Appointment, Powers and Reach**
Sarah Z. Vasani and Daria Kuznetsova
- ▶ **Tribunal's Powers Versus Party Autonomy**
Giuditta Cordero-Moss

Workshops

- ▶ **Advocacy and Effective Presentation**
Lord (Peter) Goldsmith QC, PC,
Monika Hlavkova and Patrick Taylor
- ▶ **Evidence: Principles, Standards and Practical Recommendations**
Jeffrey Waincymer

Guest Lecture

- ▶ **The Arbitrator's Duty of Disclosure**
Noah Rubins QC

Round Table

- ▶ **Divided We Fall: Expanding Diversity and Fighting Intersectionality in International Arbitration**
Veronika Burachevskaya
Elena Burova,
Dana MacGrath
Elijah Putilin
Veronica Sandler

SPEAKERS | Winter Academy 2023

General Courses

- ▶ Interplay between Arbitration and State Courts: a Bless or Curse
Doug Jones
- ▶ Differentiation of Various Applicable Laws during Arbitration
Alexander J. Belohlavek
- ▶ Outside of the Courtroom: ADR and Its Interface with Arbitration
James Claxton
Christopher To
- ▶ The Art of Efficient Arbitration
Janet Walker

Special Courses

- ▶ The Role of Arbitrator in Technology-Related Disputes
Sophie Nappert
- ▶ How to Use Arbitration to Resolve M&A Disputes
H. Ercüment Erdem
- ▶ Arbitration Across the Globe: Asia, MENA, Africa, Latin America
Emilia Onyema
Joe Liu
Cecilia Azar Manzur
Shamlan Al Sawalehi

Workshops

- ▶ Role of Tribunal Secretaries
Victoria Khandrimaylo
Evgeniya Goriatcheva
Ksenia Koroteeva
Eugene Thong
- ▶ Oral Advocacy in Cross Examination
Francis Xavier

Guest Lecture

- ▶ Psychological Aspects of Arbitration
Myriam Gicquello

SPEAKERS | Winter Academy 2024

General Courses

- ▶ Anatomy of Investment Arbitration: Exploring the Key Components and Pillars

Mohamed Abdel Wahab

- ▶ Industry-Specific Dispute Resolution: A Dive into the Process and Procedures

- ▷ Aviation Disputes: Resolving Complex Issues through Arbitration

Charlotte Bijlani

- ▷ Maritime Arbitration

George Lambrou

- ▷ The World of Sport Arbitration: Rules, Regulations, and Recent Cases

Anna Kozmenko

- ▷ Domain Name Dispute Resolution: Best Practices and Strategies

Stafanie G. Efstathiou

Special Courses

- ▶ The Two Faces of Justice: Adversarial & Inquisitorial Proceedings

Antje Baumann

- ▶ Exploring Different Types of Investment Treaty Clauses: A Complex Overview

Krystle Baptista Serna

- ▶ Disclosure in International Arbitration

Roman Khodykin

- ▶ Future Continuous? The New York Convention Today

Marika Paulsson

- ▶ International Arbitration in Russia: Law and Practice

Vladimir Kostsov

- ▶ International Arbitration in Russia: Impact of Sanctions

Oleg Todua

Workshops

- ▶ Counsel for State v. Counsel for Investor

Khawar Qureshi KC

- ▶ International Disputes Strategies: Whether to Battle or Settle?

Diora Ziyaeva

Guest Lecture

- ▶ Legal Evidence in Arbitration – a Tribunal's Duty to Ask?

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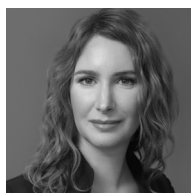
ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Another important goal of the Winter Academy is to be not just a set of webinars, but a fully interactive experience. That is why the Advisory Committee, which includes lecturers, selects up to 40 best applications, so that all the participants and lecturers could interact freely during the classes.

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Peter Pettibone



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Eugene Thong



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PARTICIPANTS

Among the participants of our Winter Academies were students, practitioners, and government officials from all over the world.



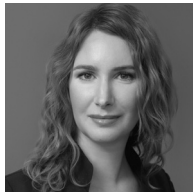
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- ▶ USA
- ▶ Uzbekistan

MOOT COURT

Moot court allows participants to apply their knowledge in practice, to work in a team and to improve their skills of legal research and oral advocacy.

Panels of arbitrators composed of the following bright arbitration practitioners judged our participants during moot courts:

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Anna Grishchenkova

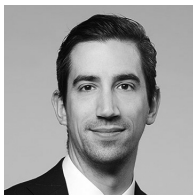


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Oliver Loksa



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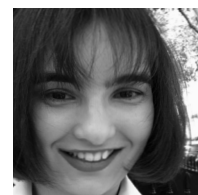
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Maria Filatova



Natalia Alenkina



Myriam Gicquell

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Elena Mazetova



Vladimir Pavić

ORGANIZATIONAL PARTNERS

Organisational partners provided access for our participants to the world leading information databases.



BRILL



SPONSORS

In order to make courses as interactive as possible and create the effect of presence, we have developed a special online platform, with the help of which participants and speakers could not only receive information about the courses and participate in online classes, but also communicate with each other, with lecturers and organisers. It would not be possible without our partners of 2021 Winter Academy:

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