

ARBITRATION ETHICS

A NATIONAL PROGRAM WITH SIMULTANEOUS, INTERACTIVE VIDEO LINKS

JUNE 7, 2012

City	Vancouver	Calgary	Toronto	Ottawa	Montréal
Place	Borden Ladner Gervais LLP, Suite 1200 200 Burrard Street	University of Calgary, Faculty of Law, Murray Fraser Hall, 2500 University Drive NW	Neeson Arbitration Chambers Suite 1108 - 141 Adelaide Street West	Norton Rose Canada LLP, Suite 1500 45 O'Connor Street	McGill University, Redpath Museum Auditorium, 859 Sherbrooke Street West
Time	10:00 a.m to 1:00 pm. (Pacific)	11:00 a.m to 2:00 pm. (Mountain)	1:00 p.m to 4:00 pm. (Eastern)	1:00 p.m to 4:00 pm. (Eastern)	1:00 p.m to 4:00 pm. (Eastern)



Raphaël: The Judgment of Solomon

PROGRAMME :



Jurisdictional Aspects of Ethical Standards

Speakers:

Pierre Bienvenu: Norton Rose, Montréal

Andrea Bjorklund: University of California, Davis CA

Damien Nyer: White & Case, New York

Fabien Gélinas: McGill University, Montréal (Chair)

- Management of conflicts between venues and standards;
- Jurisdiction and remedial measures
- Perspectives of counsel, arbitrators and institutions;
- Prospects for transnational standards.

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and the RULE OF LAW

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Specific Ethical Issues for Counsel

Speakers:

Sophie Nappert: 3 Verulam Buildings, London England

Mary Comeau: Norton Rose, Calgary

Babak Barin: Mercier Leduc, Montréal

Jack Marshall, QC: Calgary (Chair)

- Do counsel have a duty to disclose possible grounds for challenge
- Social and professional contacts with arbitrators during an arbitration
- Is there a duty of candour (e.g. about harmful evidence or authorities)?
- Are there limits on witness preparation?
- The role of counsel in document review and production



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Western Canada Arbitrators RoundTable



Ethical Challenges for Arbitrators

Speakers:

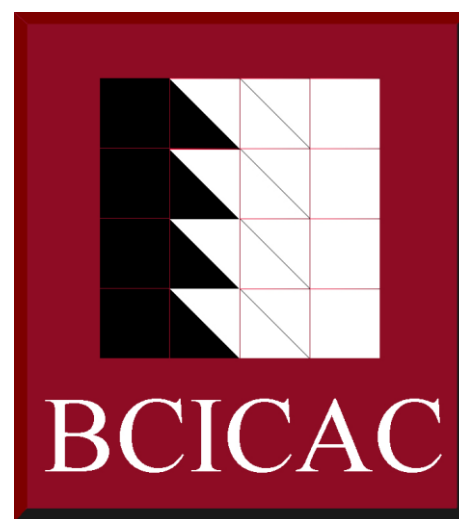
Louise Barrington: (Paris, Hong Kong, Toronto)

Earl Cherniak Q.C.: (Lerners, Toronto)

Murray Clemens, Q.C.: (Nathanson, Schachter & Thompson, Vancouver)

Gerald Ghikas, Q.C.: Borden Ladner Gervais, Vancouver (Chair)

- Independence, impartiality and the duty to disclose
- Interviews and communications with counsel and the parties
- Unrepresented and under-represented parties
- Dealing with issues that are not raised by the parties





Financial Issues in Arbitration

Speakers:

Kathleen Scanlon: CPR Institute for Dispute Resolution, New York

Barry Leon: Perley-Robertson, Hill & McDougall, Ottawa

David McCutcheon: Fraser Milner Casgrain, Toronto

William G. Horton: William G. Horton Prof. Corp., Toronto (Chair)

- Arbitrator compensation
- Financial arrangements with ad hoc arbitrators
- Financial imbalance and defaulting parties
- Third Party Funding



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