

Two-Day International Conference on CHALLENGES IN DOMESTIC AND INTERNATIONAL ARBITRATION

Date: September 23-24, 2016 | **Venue:** Crowne Plaza Chennai Adyar Park, Chennai



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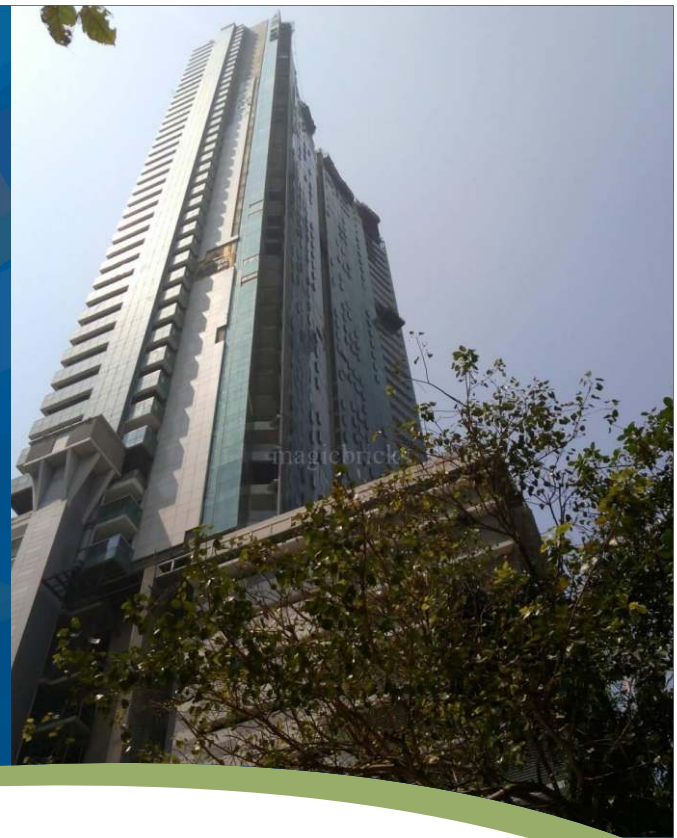
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THE INSTITUTION

The Indian Institution of Technical Arbitrators (IITArb.) is an All-India, non-profit professional body of Engineers and Architects, devoted to the popularization of Arbitration as a speedy and cost effective method for resolution of commercial and contractual disputes, providing training facilities to practising and aspiring Arbitrators and offer Institutional Arbitration. Registered under Societies Registration Act, the Institution has its Head Quarters at Chennai with State Centres at Delhi, Mumbai, Chennai, Bangalore, Hyderabad, Kochi, Kolkata and local Centre at Madurai. In furtherance of its objectives the Institution is organizing a 2-day International Conference on “Challenges in Domestic and International Arbitration” at Chennai. The major objective of the Conference is to offer Arbitration related professionals across the nations to share their experience, expertise knowledge skills and to provide updates on the contemporary status of various aspects in the arena of Domestic and International Arbitration.



THE CONFERENCE

With around development taking place in India, major projects, particularly infrastructure projects and many mega projects are being implemented in different parts of the country. In spite of one's best efforts to avoid them, disputes cannot be avoided altogether in a major contract. In order to complete projects avoiding cost or time overrun, suitable mechanism should be in place to resolve disputes as and when they arise.

The amended Arbitration and Conciliation Act 1996 has raised much hope which promises to be effective tool for speedy and cost effective dispute resolution besides facilitating implementation of foreign awards. This augurs well for raising the level of ease of doing business in the Country thus paving way for attracting more Foreign Direct Investments (FDI).

India, where a large number of projects by MNC's are underway, has the potential of becoming the Hub of International Arbitration. The hurdles if any in this context have to be indentified and removed.

The Conference is organised to address these problems, besides updating knowledge on the subject and hone the skills of practising and aspiring Arbitrators.

THEMES OF THE CONFERENCE

- i) Present status of laws related to Arbitration in India.
- ii) An in-depth analysis of arbitration and conciliation Act 1996 (as amended in 2015)
- iii) Role of Arbitration in promoting ease of doing business in India
- iv) Contribution of Arbitration to “Make in India” concept through PPP route
- v) International Arbitration – present status, opportunities and challenges
- vi) Developing India as Hub of International Arbitration.
- vii) Promoting Institutional Arbitration in India
- viii) Use of FIDIC conditions of contracts for early resolution of disputes.
- ix) Recent developments affecting International Arbitrations
- x) Effective handling of Construction Arbitration Perspective of International Arbitration Institutions (SIAC, ICC, LCIA, HKIAC etc.)
- xi) Training the Arbitrators
- xii) Claims, Damages and procedure in construction Industry.
- xiii) Arbitration practice in other countries
- xiv) Online arbitration

VENUE & DATE

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Adyar Park, Chennai

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WHO WILL BE BENEFITTED?

The International Conference is designed for practising Arbitrators, Techno-Legal Consultants, Professional Engineers / Architects, Advocates, Project / Contract Managers, Senior Executives and Administrators in Government, Public and Private Sector organizations, Corporate Companies and Contracting Firms in various disciplines, etc.

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EXPERT SPEAKERS

S.No.	Author Name	Title
1	Prof. Datuk Sundra Rajoo Director, KLRCA, Kuala Lumpur	International Arbitration - Present Status - Opportunities and Challenges
2	Dr. Chandrika Subramaniyan , Lawyer, Australia	International Arbitration & Cultural Issues
3	Caroline Kenny Q C , Arbitrator, Australia/ London	The Duty of Confidentiality in International Arbitration
4	Dr. Masoud Vafakish , International Arbitrator, Iran	Promotion of Arbitration: Challenges and Opportunities
5	Mr. Albert Yeu , International Arbitrator, Hong Kong	Challenges Faced in the Development of India as a Hub for International Arbitration
6	Mr. Jonathan Blank International Arbitrator, Surana & Surana International Attorneys, North America	Salient Features of Arbitration in USA
7	Mr. Abhinav Bhushan , Head, ICC Asia, Singapore	Recent Developments in Field of International Arbitrations in Asia
8	Er. R Venkataraghavan Trainer in Construction Law & Arbitration, Dubai	Arbitration in Dubai: Immunity of Arbitration Tribunals, Recent Judicial Verdicts
9	Er. B B Deoja Chairperson, Nepal Council of Arbitration	Minimizing disputes in Construction Contracts by Using Contracts Based on Design & Build and Turnkey Models
10	Mr. Anil Xavier , President- IIAM, Kochi, India	Developing India as Hub of International Arbitration
11	Er. G C Kabi , Arbitrator, MoUD, GOI, Kolkata, India	Laws Related to Construction Arbitration in India - Grey Areas
12	Mr. Ravi Shankar International Arbitrator & Advocate, Supreme Court of India	Selection and Determination of Applicable Laws in an International Commercial Arbitration
13	Dr. P V Amarnadha Prasad Arbitrator & Techno-Legal Consultant, Hyderabad, India	Dispute Management in PPP Projects - Indian Scenario
14	Dr. Kirty Dave Arbitrator & Techno Legal Consultant, Mumbai, India	The Incomplete "MCDERMOTT (2006)
15	Dr. Vandana Bhatt Arbitrator & Techno Legal Consultant, Mumbai, India	Approach of International Law to computation of Damages including Global Claims
16	Mr. N L Rajah , Sr. Advocate, Madras High Court, Chennai	How to make India an International Arbitration Hub
17	R Murari , Sr. Advocate, Madras High Court, Chennai	Tangled Web of Liquidated Damages in the Context of Arbitration
18	Mr. Kalyan Jhabakh , Partner, Surana & Surana International Attorneys, Chennai, India	Court Intervention in International Commercial Arbitration
19	Mr. Anirudh Krishnan , Advocate, Madras High Court	The Arbitration and Conciliation (Amendment) 2015-Light at the End of the Tunnel
20	Mr. Badrinath Srinivasan Sr. Executive (Law) BHEL, Ranipet, India	Developing India as a Hub of International Arbitration: A Misplaced Dream?
21	Mr. Ajay J Nandalike , Advocate, Bangalore, India	A New Approach in Adjudication of Delayed and Disruption Claims in Construction Arbitration

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