

DVC - HKFLA - IPFA Joint Seminar

RECENT DEVELOPMENTS IN FAMILY ARBITRATION & TRUST ARBITRATION

21 October 2026

6:00pm - Keynote Speech by The Rt. Hon. the Lord Neuberger of Abbotsbury, GBS

6:30pm - 7:30pm - Panel Discussion, moderated by Professor Anselmo Reyes SC

Light refreshments and drinks will be served after the Panel Discussion

Venue: Des Voeux Chambers Conference Centre, 36/F Gloucester Tower, The Landmark, 15 Queen's Road Central, Hong Kong

Registration:

Please register here: <https://forms.gle/6TurseJxtHtSUQkW8>

Due to limited capacity, successful registration will be confirmed in due course.

CPD Accreditation from the Law Society of Hong Kong will be applied for.



The Rt. Hon. the Lord Neuberger of Abbotsbury, GBS



Mr Stuart Isaacs KC



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The Rt. Hon. the Lord Neuberger of Abbotsbury, GBS

Lord Neuberger graduated with a degree in natural science from Oxford and worked at a merchant bank until he entered Lincoln's Inn and was called to the English Bar in 1974. He specialised in property law and was appointed Queen's Counsel in 1987 and became a Bencher of Lincoln's Inn in 1993.

From 1996 to 2004, he served as a Judge of the Chancery Division of the High Court. He was appointed a Lord Justice of Appeal in 2004 and a Lord of Appeal in Ordinary in 2007. He became Master of the Rolls in 2009, and in 2012 he was appointed President of the Supreme Court of the United Kingdom. He retired from that post in September 2017.

He has since been practising as an arbitrator, mediator and legal expert from One Essex Court. He became a Non-Permanent Judge of the Hong Kong Court of Final Appeal in 2009 and a Judge of the Singapore International Commercial Court in 2018, and continues to sit in both courts.

Lord Neuberger was Treasurer of Lincoln's Inn in 2017, and was elected an honorary Fellow of the Royal Society the same year. He is an honorary Member of the Royal Institution of Chartered Surveyors. He was appointed Chancellor of the University of Law in 2018. He has received honorary doctorates from UCL, Queen Mary London, York, Exeter, and Oxford. He is President of the British Institute of International and Comparative Law, and of the Academy of Experts. He is chair of the Institute of Family Law Arbitrators. He is also a trustee of Mental Health Research UK and, a Patron of Prisoners Abroad, and of Sapere.



Mr Stuart Isaacs KC

Stuart Isaacs KC has an established reputation as a barrister specialising in international commercial arbitration and arbitration-related litigation, with a particular focus on the Asia-Pacific region. After graduating from Cambridge University with Double First Class Honours in Law and completing a Master's degree in European Law at the Free University of Brussels, Stuart has been in continuous practice at the Bar, apart from a period spent in the international arbitration team of a leading U.S. law firm. As well as being a member of Wilberforce Chambers in London, he has his own chambers in Singapore, where he was the first London KC to be authorised to practise as a foreign lawyer. He also recently became a member of the List of Neutrals at Des Voeux Chambers. In recent years, Stuart sits almost exclusively as an arbitrator and has arbitrated several hundred disputes in both institutional and ad hoc arbitrations. He also sits as a Deputy Judge of the High Court of England and Wales.



Professor Anselmo Reyes SC

Anselmo Reyes practises as an arbitrator. He was a judge of the Hong Kong High Court from 2003 to 2012, overseeing the Construction and Arbitration List (2004-8) and the Commercial and Admiralty Lists (2008-12). He has been an International Judge of the Singapore International Commercial Court since January 2015. He is an Overseas Bencher of the Inner Temple.



Professor Kelvin Low

Prof. Kelvin Low is a private-law scholar specialising in property law. His work has appeared in leading international journals, including the American Journal of Comparative Law, International & Comparative Law Quarterly, Law Quarterly Review, and Modern Law Review.

He is co-author of The Law of Personal Property (2nd and 3rd editions, with Michael Bridge, Louise Gullifer and Gerard McMeel) and Tan Sook Yee's Principles of Singapore Land Law (3rd and 4th editions, with Tang Hang Wu).

His research has been cited by courts across the common-law world and by law-reform bodies in several jurisdictions. He has also advised or conferred with organisations including the Monetary Authority of Singapore, the Swiss National Bank, Ofcom, the CISG Advisory Council and IOSCO, and served on UNIDROIT's Verified Carbon Credits Working Group drafting committee.



Ms Corinne Remedios

Corinne Remedios is a barrister, called in both England & Wales and Hong Kong. She specialises in family law, personal injuries and medical negligence. Corinne is a founder director and member of the Institute of Private Family Adjudicators (HK) Ltd, an organisation of accredited Adjudicators, within the meaning of Practice Direction SL 9: the Pilot Scheme on Private Adjudication of Financial Disputes in Matrimonial and Family Proceedings. An accredited general and family mediator, she is also a member of the Hong Kong Collaborative Practice Group.

Corinne is currently the President Elect Designate of the International Academy of Family Lawyers (IAFL). She is a Past President of the Asia Pacific Chapter of IAFL and a past Chair of the HK Bar Association's Committee of Family Law. She is an External Examiner in family law for the PCLL Programmes at the University of HK, the City University of HK and the Chinese University of HK. She is also an Advocacy Trainer for the Bar's Advanced Legal Education.