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WEBINAR

The strategic pathway in the “new normal” of international arbitration: before, during and after the dispute

26 November 2020 – 3:00pm CET



3:00 pm

Welcome address

Andrea Bandini, Studio Bandini, Arblt/AIA

3:10 pm

Introductory Remarks: THE COVID-19 REVOLUTION IN INTERNATIONAL ARBITRATION

Michael McIlwrath, Vice-President Litigation, Baker Hughes, Florence

3:30 pm

SESSION 1: SETTING THE SCENE, BUSINESS AS USUAL?

Moderator: **Michelangelo Cicogna**, De Berti Jacchia Law Firm, Co-Chair Arblt, Milan

Speakers:

- *How Arbitral Institutions face the Covid Era*
Ema Vidak Gojkovic, King & Spalding, London

- *The place of arbitration in pandemic times*
James Hosking, Chaffetz Lindsey, New York

Short break

4:30 pm

SESSION 2: THE ARBITRATION PROCEEDINGS: IT AND CYBERSECURITY – DUE PROCESS AND VALIDITY OF THE AWARD

Moderator: **Gianluca Benedetti**, BridgeLaw, Co-Chair Arblt, Rome

- *Virtual hearings for procedural and merit matters: dos and don'ts, with an eye on the validity of the award*

Jennifer Younan, Shearman & Sterling, Paris

- *A too often neglected issue: Cybersecurity*

Claire Morel de Westgaver, Bryan Cave Leighton Paisner, London

5:10 pm

Closing remarks

Cristina Martinetti, Partner, Elexi, Turin