





## Ciarb UAE Branch, Jones Day & J.S. Held Seminar

The Ciarb cordially invites you to the Branch seminar to be held at Jones Day Offices in the DIFC, Dubai.

Date: Wednesday, 2 October 2024

Time: 5:00pm

Location: Jones Day, Al Fattan Currency Tower, Floor 33, Dubai International

Financial Centre - Dubai; and Zoom Meeting

**Event:** Investment Treaty Arbitration: <u>Jones Day</u> and <u>J.S. Held</u> in

collaboration with Ciarb.

Seminar: "Investor-State Dispute Settlement in the Middle East: Strategies

and Latest Developments."





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Speakers: Sheila Shadmand — Partner-in-Charge of Middle East &

Africa Region at Jones Day.

Philip Devenish - Partner at Jones Day.

<u>Ashley Messick</u> — Senior Managing Director at J.S. Held LLC. <u>Wolf von Kumbera</u> - Independent Arbitrator & Mediator

at Global Resolution Services and Arbitra; Member of the ICSID

Conciliation Panel.

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#### Networking:

The seminar will be followed by refreshments, canapés, and networking.

# Who should attend:

Those involved in commercial and sovereign dispute resolution; locally based in-house counsel (with dispute resolution or investment structuring responsibilities); mid-to-high level practitioners interested in arbitration; members of ICSID, Ciarb and quests; and mediation practitioners.

#### Join the Meeting:

Members can attend in person or participate online via Zoom. To join online, please use the provided link and meeting passcode.

#### Registration:

The venue requires advance notice of those delegates attending the event. To reserve a place, please send an e-mail stating name, email address or contact telephone number, before 25 September 2024 for catering purposes:

to attend via Zoom, kindly email: jc\_ciarb@yahoo.com

• to attend in person, kindly email: <a href="mailto:dnaul@jonesday.com">dnaul@jonesday.com</a>

#### **Event Program:**

Registration and networking followed by presentations from four panelists and a moderator:

- Topic 1: Primer on Investment Treaties and Investor-State Arbitration (Philip Devenish)
- Topic 2: Unlocking Value Through Investor-State Mediation (Wolf von Kumberg)
- Topic 3: Effective Enforcement of Awards Against Assets of States and State-Owned Entities (Ashley Messick).

### Timing: 5:00PM Registration and networking

5:30PM Panel discussion

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6:30PM Networking

8:00PM Finish

The Ciarb Branch and Jones Day look forward to seeing you at the Seminar.

For those not familiar with the Jones Day Offices in Dubai, you can find directions on the following link:

Jones Day: Al Fattan Currency Tower, Floor 33, DIFC.

Yours sincerely,

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