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Door Opening
and Registration
at 09.00 a.m.

PROGRAM

Tuesday, 10th	09:00	Arrival, Registration and Coffee	
	09:30	Short Welcome Words	<i>Peter Sester and Markus Müller-Chen</i>
	09:40	Welcome Speech	<i>Peter Nobel</i>
	10:00	Opening Discussion with General Counsels: What do our Clients Expect?	<i>Volker Viechtbauer, Pedro Teixeira, Felix Ehrat, Nadja Jaisli Kull (Moderator)</i>
	11:15	Open Discussion: (where) does Arbitration Limp? Today's Challenges	<i>Philipp Habegger, Daniel Greineder, Francesca Mazza, Angeline Welsh, Marco Stacher (Moderator)</i>
	12:30	Lunch Break	
	14:00	The Future of Commercial Arbitration	<i>Gary Born</i>
	14:45	Short Comment and Discussion	<i>Hans Nater, José A. Fichtner (Moderator)</i>
	15:15	Coffee Break	
	15:45	Arbitration in Corporate Stakeholder Conflicts	<i>Felix Dasser, Nelson Eizirik, Pedro A. Batista Martins, Peter Sester (Moderator)</i>
17:00	Third Party Financing: Curse or Blessing?	<i>Erika Levin, Leonardo Viveiros de Castro, Luciano Timm, Thierry P. Augsburg (Moderator)</i>	
17:45	Apéro		

Wednesday, 11th	08:45	Coffee & Gipfeli	
	09:15	Fighting Institutional Bureaucracy	<i>Carlos Forbes, Inka Hanefeld, Christian Oetiker, Valériane Oreamuno, Fabian von Schlabrendorff (Moderator)</i>
	10:30	Short Break	
	10:45	Key Note - The Extension of Arbitration Clauses to Non-Signatory Parties	<i>Marc Blessing</i>
	11:30	Arbitration in Banking and Finance: quo vadis?	<i>Luís André Azevedo, Camilla Perera - de Wit, Peter Sester, Thomas Werlen, Renato Grion (Moderator)</i>
	12:15	Lunch Break	
	14:00	Arbitration, the Applicable Law, Precedents, and Legal Reasoning - How to get top-notch Arbitral Awards	<i>Georg von Segesser, Márcio Guimarães, Peter Rees, Josef Fröhling (Moderator)</i>
	15:15	Coffee Break	
	15:30	Efficiency and Evidence Production and the Role of the Arbitrator: US Style vs. Civil Law Style Arbitration	<i>Boris Kasolowsky, Marcelo Ferro, Harold Frey, Eleonora Coelho Christoph Pestalozzi (Moderator)</i>
	16:45	Wrap Up & Outlook	<i>Peter Sester</i>

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