

SCL AFRICA CONFERENCE PROGRAMME

TUESDAY, 20 NOVEMBER 2018

Time from	Time to	Duration	Activity	TOPIC	Speaker
07:30 AM	08:30 AM	01:00	Registration and light refreshments		
08:30 AM	08:35 AM	00:05	Speaking slot	Welcome by SCL Africa Chairperson	Adv. Johan Beyers , Keating Chambers, The Maisels Group, Cape Bar
08:35 AM	09:15 AM	00:40	Speaking slot	Keynote address:	Sir Vivian Ramsey QC
09:15 AM	09:40 AM	00:25	Speaking slot	Developments in International Arbitration	Adv Patrick Lane SC, 39 Essex Chambers, The Maisels Group, Johannesburg
09:40 AM	10:05 AM	00:25		"Disputes Under FIDIC 2017"	Abdul Jinadu, Keating Chambers, London
10:05 AM	10:30 AM	00:25	Speaking slot	"Are Contractors failing to adequately particularise contractual claims for additional payment?"	Dawson Jenner, HKA, Johannesburg
10:30 AM	10:55 AM	00:25	Tea		
10:55 AM	11:20 AM	00:25	Speaking slot	"Managing Business Rescue and Insolvency in the performance of a construction contract"	Gerhard Rudolph, Allen & Overy, Johannesburg
11:20 AM	11:45 AM	00:25	Speaking slot	"Entitlement to time-related costs in prolongation claims – what needs to be considered?"	Christopher Ennis, Time/Quantum Expert Forensics Ltd, London
11:45 AM	12:10 PM	00:25	Speaking slot	"Adverse Subsurface Conditions and FIDIC's 'experienced contractor' test: should contractors expect the worst and hope for the best?"	Adv Johan Beyers, , Keating Chambers, The Maisels Group, Cape Bar
12:10 PM	12:35 PM	00:25	Speaking slot	"Urgent relief in International Arbitration – are state courts becoming redundant?"	Jonathan Ripley-Evans, Herbert Smith Freehills, Johannesburg
12:35 PM	01:00 PM	00:25	Speaking slot	The symbiotic relationship between the expert and the tribunal	Damian James, Delay & Quantum Expert, Johannesburg
01:00 PM	02:00 PM	01:00	Lunch		
02:00 PM	02:25 PM	00:25	Speaking slot	"The Origin of Disputes in standard form contracts"	Uwe Putlitz, CEO JBCC, Johannesburg
02:25 PM	02:50 PM	00:25	Speaking slot	"Trends in Africa Infrastructure "	Stoffel Ackermann, STBB, Cape Town
02:50 PM	03:15 PM	00:25	Speaking slot	"International perspectives on time-barring clauses (overview of the state of the art on time-bar provisions)"	Luca Sommariva, K&L Gates, London & Milan
03:15 PM	03:40 PM	00:25	Tea		
03:40 PM	04:05 PM	00:25	Speaking slot	Disruption – Pitfalls in Establishing Liability	Stuart Davey, International Dispute Services, London
04:05 PM	04:30 PM	00:25	Speaking slot	An update on the law relating to calls on construction guarantees	Rob Scott, Clyde & Co, Johannesburg
04:30 PM	05:15 PM	00:45	Break		
05:15 PM	07:15 PM	02:00	Cocktail Party at the Wanderers		

WEDNESDAY, 21 NOVEMBER 2018

08:30 AM	08:50 AM	00:20	Light refreshments		
08:50 AM	09:15 AM	00:25	Speaking slot	"Enforcement of adjudicators decisions and Arbitral Awards in Botswana"	Don Ruhukwa, Chief State Counsel, Botswana
09:15 AM	09:40 AM	00:25	Speaking slot	"The role of the expert witness in international disputes – cultural differences explored"	Christopher Ennis, Time/Quantum Expert Forensics Ltd, London
09:40 AM	10:05 AM	00:25	Speaking slot	"Building Plan Approval - Employer or Contractor risk? Silence may not be golden"	Rob Morson, Pinsent Masons, Johannesburg
10:05 AM	10:30 AM	00:25	Speaking slot	"The origins and development of Dispute Boards"	Patrizia Palmitessa-Savric, Ginder-Palmitessa, Botswana
10:30 AM	10:55 AM	00:25	Tea		
10:55 AM	11:20 AM	00:25	Speaking slot	"Design Liability and Fitness For Purpose - does FIDIC 2017 set a new trend?"	Chloe de Jager, Pinsent Masons, Johannesburg
11:20 AM	11:45 AM	00:25	Speaking slot	"Adjudicator Nominating Bodies"	Sean Gibbs, Hanscomb Intercontinental Ltd, London
11:45 AM	12:10 PM	00:25	Speaking slot	"An Employer's perspective on risk management and risk distribution in African construction projects"	Pieter van Rooyen, ABInBev Africa, Johannesburg
12:10 PM	12:35 PM	00:25	Speaking slot	"Subjective Objectivity – As built critical path analysis"	Tommy Wakefield-Smith, Synel Consulting, Johannesburg
12:35 PM	01:00 PM	00:25	Speaking slot	"Managing claims in the Middle East - a Contractor's perspective"	Rob Schultz, Alstom, Saudi-Arabia
01:00 PM	02:00 PM	01:00	Lunch		
02:00 PM	02:25 PM	00:25	Speaking slot	Statutory adjudication: a necessary transfusion for the South African construction industry?	Michelle Kerr, MDA Consulting, Johannesburg
02:25 PM	02:50 PM	00:25	Speaking slot	"Construction Law in Botswana-its evolution and current trends"	Tengo Rubadiri, Attorney, Botswana
02:50 PM	03:15 PM	00:25	Speaking slot	" Undue Influence and Certification"	Adv Dawid Welgemoed, Keating Chambers, The Maisels Group, Cape Bar
03:15 PM	03:45 PM	00:30	Tea		
03:45 PM	04:10 PM	00:25	Speaking slot	"Evolution and trends in resolving construction disputes. A Mauritian experience."	Kailash Dabeesingh, Kailash Dabeesingh Arbitration Chambers,
04:10 PM	05:00 PM	00:50	Panel discussion	AFRICAN PROCUREMENT ISSUES:	Chaired by Armando Aguiar, ENS, Johannesburg
				"The Complexities of Bilateral Projects: Understanding the Crux of the conflict between Basotho Contractors and	Retšelisitsoe Motlojoa, Independent expert, Lesotho
				"Procurement and the type of contract to choose for certain projects"	Zama Ngcobo, LNP Attorneys, Johannesburg
				"Participation in Public Sector Procurement – Can we Cope?"	Sameer Amod, Bigen Group, Pretoria
05:00 PM	05:05 PM	00:05	Speaking slot	Closure of conference	Stoffel Ackermann, STBB, Cape Town