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International Arbitration in a Changing World

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Agenda

Theme: International Arbitration in a Changing World

- 8:30-9:00 Registration
- 9:00-9:50 Opening Remarks
- 9:50-10:30 Keynote Speech
- 10:30-12:00 Session I: Harmonious Integration to strengthen the International Arbitration Order

Against the backdrop of intensified geopolitical competition, increasing unilateral sanctions, trade barriers, and fragmented international rules are undermining the sound and orderly development of global economy and trade. The year 2026 marks the 60th anniversary of UNCITRAL and the 70th anniversary of CIETAC. Both institutions have long been committed to removing legal barriers to international trade and promoting the harmonization of commercial rules, serving as important platforms and benchmarks for global commercial rule of law.

This session will review historical developments and explore how the international community can foster a unified and coordinated commercial rule system and deepen cross-border arbitration collaboration, so as to identify the “greatest common denominator” of global commercial rule of law. It will examine how to build a stable, transparent, and interconnected international economic and trade order, providing a solid legal foundation for global economic cooperation amid complex global circumstances.

- 12:00-13:30 Lunch
- 13:30-15:45 Session II: Principle-Based Innovation to Optimize the International Arbitration Practice

In an increasingly complex and volatile global commercial landscape, with international legal frameworks undergoing accelerated transformation, international arbitration must both remain committed to its original principles and pursue institutional and procedural innovation to meet higher expectations for dispute resolution. Amid the ongoing window for global arbitration law revisions, this session will focus on achieving a balance between upholding fundamentals and pursuing innovation through systematic optimization of arbitration laws and institutional rules.

From the perspective of upholding fundamentals, discussions will explore how revisions to arbitration legislation, improvements to arbitration rules, and enhanced standards of arbitrator conduct can reinforce arbitration's reputation as the preferred dispute resolution mechanism for global commercial entities.

From the perspective of innovation, discussions will examine how evolving legal frameworks and institutional rules can introduce and optimize new arbitration tools and procedural mechanisms, translate international standards into tangible institutional benefits, enrich the procedural diversity and flexibility, promote innovation within arbitration as a dispute resolution system, and build a more adaptive and competitive global arbitration landscape.

- 15:45-16:00 Tea Break
- 16:00-17:45 Session III: Visionary Empowerment to Amplify the Core Values of International Arbitration

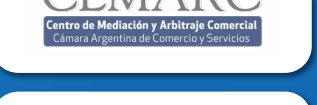
Amid the current wave of rapid evolution of new productive forces and in-depth advancement of industrial digital transformation, international arbitration is entering a new era of mutual empowerment.

On the one hand, technological advancement is empowering arbitration. This session will examine the integration of cutting-edge technologies such as artificial intelligence and big data into arbitration procedures, exploring how technology can enhance efficiency, clarify the legal boundaries of technological applications, and safeguard procedural justice in the algorithm age.

On the other hand, arbitration is empowering emerging industries. Focusing on areas such as digital trade, green and low-carbon development, biomedicine, and cross-border e-commerce, the session will explore how arbitration can accurately respond to the dispute resolution needs of new business forms and provide robust legal safeguards for their sustainable and high-quality development.

- 17:45-18:00 Closing Remarks

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