Dispute Resolution in the Digital Economy

Japan's proposal on stocktaking of dispute resolution in the modern context

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30 March (17:00-19:00 JST/10:00-12:00 CEST)

➢ moderated by Ms. Athita Komindr (Head, UNCITRAL RCAP)

Time (CEST)	Session	Speaker	Title/topic of presentation
10:00 -10:10	**Opening**	Ms. Anna Joubin-Bret (Secretary, UNCITRAL)	
		Mr. Takashi Takashima (Senior Attorney, Ministry of Justice, Japan)	
10:10 -10:40	**Updates on the exploratory work on technology-related disputes**	Mr. Cedric Yehuda Sabbah (Director, International Cybersecurity & IT Law, Office of the Deputy Attorney General (International Law), Legal Counsel and Legislative Affairs, Ministry of Justice, Israel)	Updates on the exploratory work on technology-related dispute
		Mr. Yoshihiro Takatori (Arbitrator, F.C.I.Arb./JAA/JIDRC)	How to harmonize perspectives of common and civil law jurisdiction for High-Tech Dispute Resolution
10:40 -11:10	**Update from iGLIP on online dispute resolution**	Mr. Ian Li (Acting Senior Government Counsel, Department of Justice, HKSAR)	An Introduction to the Inclusive Global Legal Innovation Platform on Online Dispute Resolution (iGLIP on ODR)
		Ms. Teresa Rodríguez de las Heras Ballell (Associate Professor of Commercial Law, University Carlos III of Madrid)	Dispute Resolution in the Platform Economy: Legal Anatomy, Recent Trends, and Regulatory Challenges
11:10 -11:40	**Use of technology in international mediation**	Mr. James Claxton (Professor of Law, Rikkyo University)	Good Practices in Online Mediation
		Ms. Kun Fan (Associate Professor, UNSW Law and Justice/ Accredited Mediator/ Arbitrator)	Procedural Fairness in Online Mediation
11:40 -12:00	**Impact of the Covid-19 Pandemic**	Ms. Kim Rooney (Arbitrator/Hong Kong Barrister)	Review of the Global Impact of the Covid-19 Pandemic on Commercial Dispute Resolution and relevant legislation – 23 Jurisdictions (key findings)
		Mr. Stefano Azzali (General Director, Milan Chamber of Arbitration)	Joint statement by arbitral institutions on the impact of Covid-19

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10:00 -10:05	**Opening**	Mr. Jae Sung Lee (Legal Officer, UNCITRAL) Mr. Takashi Takashima (Senior Attorney, Ministry of Justice, Japan)	Short recap of Day 1
10:05 -11:00	**Use of technology in international arbitration**	Mr. Andres Jana (Chair, UNCITRAL Working Group II)	Update on achievements in WGII on EAPs
		Ms. Catherine Rogers (Founder and CEO, Arbitrator Intelligence)	Update from Arbitrator Intelligence
		Mr. Kevin Kim (Senior Partner, Peter & Kim)	Seoul Protocol
		Mr. Kevin Nash (Deputy Registrar/Centre Director, SIAC)	Online hearing
		Ms. Lise Alm (Head of Business Development, SCC)	Automation in arbitration – overall trends, opportunities and challenges
		Ms. Rekha Rangachari (Executive Director, NYIAC)	E-discovery
		Ms. Yoshimi Ohara (Partner, Nagashima Ohno & Tsunematsu)	Is technology a friend or foe of cross border dispute settlement?
11:00 -11:55	**Ensuring due process and fairness in arbitral proceedings**	Mr. Chun-Kyung Paulus Suh (Senior Counsel, DIS)	Due Process and Efficiency – All New or All Quiet on the Digital Front?
		Mr. Giacomo Rojas Elgueta (Partner, D|R Arbitration & Litigation)	ICCA study on due process and remote hearings
		Ms. Geraldine Fischer (Legal Counsel, ICSID)	ICSID's Proposed Rule on Case Management Conferences
		Ms. Giuditta Cordero-Moss (Professor, University of Oslo)	Remote hearings and oral or written presentation of evidence
		Mr. Masato Dogauchi (Chief Arbitration and Mediation Officer, JCAA)	Towards Smart Arbitration – Streamlined and Predictable Procedure
		Mr. Michael Schneider (Senior Counsel, LALIVE)	Access to, presentation of and management of evidence
		Ms. Niuscha Bassiri (Partner, Hanotiau & van den Berg)	Digital due process: walking the walk
11:55 -12:30	**Roundtable discussion on the way forward**		