

A Gamechanger in International Dispute Resolution: The Singapore International Commercial Court Rules 2021

Webinar | 27 September 2022 | 5.00pm – 6.10pm

Overview & Programme

Following a comprehensive review of the rules of civil procedure, the Singapore International Commercial Court ("SICC") launched the Singapore International Commercial Court Rules 2021 ("SICC Rules 2021"), which were gazetted on 2 December 2021 and implemented from 1 April 2022.

A bespoke standalone set of procedural rules, the SICC Rules 2021 enhances the dispute resolution process in the SICC, with new procedures aimed at the expeditious and efficient administration of justice according to international commercial law, while providing for procedural flexibility through fair, impartial and practical processes. The SICC Rules 2021 is a gamechanger in the international dispute resolution landscape and introduces novel features to streamline procedural steps and increase procedural flexibility. This ensures that the SICC remains progressive and has procedures compatible with, and responsive to, the fast-changing needs and realities of international commerce.

In this webinar, hear from a panel of speakers and experts sharing their perspectives on the development and key features of the SICC Rules 2021, how these features facilitate the resolution of commercial disputes, as well as recent developments in the SICC such as the establishment of the Technology, Infrastructure and Construction List.

04.45PM	Participants to log in to webinar
05.00PM	Presentation by: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ms Crystal Tan, <i>Deputy Divisional Registrar, Singapore International Commercial Court</i> Mr Toby Landau QC, <i>Barrister, Duxton Hill Chambers (Singapore Group Practice)</i> Ms Wendy Lin, <i>Partner, Commercial & Corporate Disputes, and International Arbitration Practices, WongPartnership LLP</i>
06.00PM	Q&A chaired by Ms Crystal Tan, <i>Deputy Divisional Registrar, Singapore International Commercial Court</i>
06.10PM	End of webinar

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Speakers



Ms Crystal Tan

Deputy Divisional Registrar, Singapore International Commercial Court

Crystal Tan is a Deputy Divisional Registrar of the Singapore International Commercial Court Registry. She also adjudicates matters in the General Division of the High Court in the area of banking and finance matters, complex commercial claims and building and construction matters, and is concurrently designated as a District Judge. Crystal commenced her career as a Justices' Law Clerk. Prior to her appointment with the Supreme Court, her last appointment was as Deputy Director of the Ministry of Law's Policy Advisory Division, where her portfolio entailed working on the legal aspects of policy formulation and implementation as well as law reform. She also held a concurrent designation as Deputy Registrar at the Legal Services Regulatory Authority. Crystal has served on the adjunct faculty of the Singapore Management University Yong Pung How School of Law.



Mr Toby Landau QC

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Toby Landau QC is a barrister, advocate and arbitrator, and a member of the Bars of England & Wales, Singapore, New York, the BVI and Northern Ireland, and is registered in the DIFC. He practises in London as a sole practitioner and in Singapore from Duxton Hill Chambers (Singapore Group Practice).

As Counsel, he has argued hundreds of major international commercial, investor-State and inter-state arbitrations, as well as ground-breaking cases in the highest courts of England, Singapore, Hong Kong, Pakistan and the Caribbean. Since April 2012 he has been a member of the Panel of Advisors to the Attorney-General of Singapore. As Arbitrator, he has extensive experience as Chairman, Co-Arbitrator and Sole Arbitrator in commercial and investor-State disputes under most of the world's leading ad hoc and institutional rules. He is a member of various panels, including ICSID.

He is Visiting Professor at Kings College London; a Vice President of the SIAC Court of Arbitration; Member of the Governing Board of ICCA; Fellow of the CI Arb and Chartered Arbitrator; Vice-Chairman of the Saudi Centre for Commercial Arbitration; UK delegate to the UNCITRAL Working Group on Arbitration (1994-2013); a draftsman of the English Arbitration Act 1996; the Pakistan Arbitration (International Investment Disputes) Ordinance, 2006; the Mauritius International Arbitration Act 2008, as well as many institutional rules.



Ms Wendy Lin

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Wendy Lin is a Partner in WongPartnership LLP's Commercial & Corporate Disputes and International Arbitration Practices. Wendy has an active practice spanning a wide array of various high-value, multijurisdictional, and complex commercial disputes before the Singapore Courts, as well as in arbitrations conducted under various arbitral rules. She is presently serving her second term as Co-Chair of the YSIAC Committee.

Wendy has consistently been recommended in legal publications for her dispute resolution work; with sources noting she is "a first-class advocate, with the unparalleled ability to cut through numerous complex facts and legal arguments, extract the winning arguments, and to convey them effectively, with absolute charm and ease", "an extremely knowledgeable and a highly-strategic thinker unfazed by the pressures of high stakes litigation"; and "a very good strategist who always thinks several steps ahead".



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