

## ARBITRATION ETHICS

A NATIONAL PROGRAM WITH SIMULTANEOUS, INTERACTIVE VIDEO LINKS

JUNE 7, 2012

<b>City</b>	<b>Vancouver</b>	<b>Calgary</b>	<b>Toronto</b>	<b>Ottawa</b>	<b>Montréal</b>
	3 Hours CPD Ethics Credit in B.C.		3 Hours CPD Professionalism Credit in Ontario	3 Hours CPD Professionalism Credit in Ontario	3 Hours CLE Credits from the Quebec Bar
<b>Place</b>	Borden Ladner Gervais LLP, Suite 1200  200 Burrard Street	Norton Rose Canada, 3700 400 3rd Ave. S.W., Dixon Conference Room, 36th floor	Neeson Arbitration Chambers  Suite 1108 - 141 Adelaide Street West	Norton Rose Canada LLP, Suite 1500 45 O'Connor Street	McGill University, Redpath Museum Auditorium,  859 Sherbrooke Street West
<b>Time</b>	10:00 a.m to 1:00 pm. (Pacific)	11:00 a.m to 2:00 pm. (Mountain)	1:00 p.m to 4:00 pm. (Eastern)	1:00 p.m to 4:00 pm. (Eastern)	1:00 p.m to 4:00 pm. (Eastern)



## PROGRAMME :



### Jurisdictional Aspects of Ethical Standards

Speakers:

Pierre Bienvenu: Norton Rose, Montréal

Andrea Bjorklund: University of California, Davis CA

Damien Nyer: White & Case, New York

Fabien Gélinas: McGill University, Montréal (Chair)

- Management of conflicts between venues and standards;
- Jurisdiction and remedial measures
- Perspectives of counsel, arbitrators and institutions;
- Prospects for transnational standards.

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### **Specific Ethical Issues for Counsel**

Speakers:

Sophie Nappert: 3 Verulam Buildings, London England

Mary Comeau: Norton Rose, Calgary

Babak Barin: Mercier Leduc, Montréal

Jack Marshall, QC: Calgary (Chair)

- Do counsel have a duty to disclose possible grounds for challenge
- Social and professional contacts with arbitrators during an arbitration
- Is there a duty of candour (e.g. about harmful evidence or authorities)?
- Are there limits on witness preparation?
- The role of counsel in document review and production



**W C A R T**

Western Canada Arbitrators RoundTable



## **Ethical Challenges for Arbitrators**

Speakers:

Louise Barrington: (Paris, Hong Kong, Toronto)

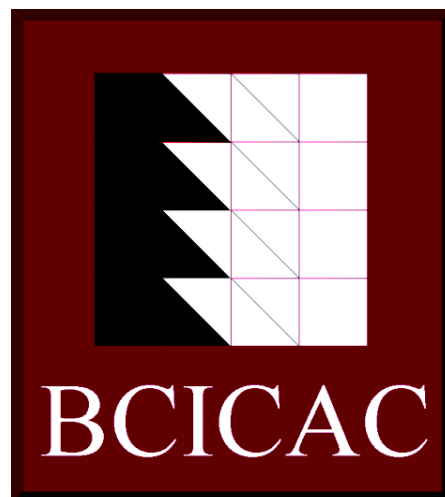
Earl Cherniak Q.C.: (Lerners, Toronto)

Murray Clemens, Q.C.: (Nathanson, Schachter & Thompson, Vancouver)

Gerald Ghikas, Q.C.: Borden Ladner Gervais, Vancouver (Chair)

- Independence, impartiality and the duty to disclose
- Interviews and communications with counsel and the parties
- Unrepresented and under-represented parties
- Dealing with issues that are not raised by the parties

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## **Financial Issues in Arbitration**

Speakers:

Kathleen Scanlon: CPR Institute for Dispute Resolution, New York

Barry Leon: Perley-Robertson, Hill & McDougall, Ottawa

David McCutcheon: Fraser Milner Casgrain, Toronto

William G. Horton: William G. Horton Prof. Corp., Toronto (Chair)

- Arbitrator compensation
- Financial arrangements with ad hoc arbitrators
- Financial imbalance and defaulting parties
- Third Party Funding



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CPD CREDITS: ONTARIO: 3 HOUR PROFESSIONALISM (ADV)  
BRIT. COLUMBIA: 3 HOURS ETHICS  
ALBERTA AND QUEBEC: APPLICATIONS PENDING

**REGISTRATION FOR ALL VENUES:**

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REFERENCE: ARBITRATION ETHICS PROGRAM

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