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USCIB/ICC USA's Sole Practitioners Group and the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators New York Branch

Presents:

Arbitrators Series: Nuts and Bolts of Conducting Arbitral Hearings via Videoconference

April 28, 2020 3:00pm – 4:00pmET

Since the onset of the COVID-19 pandemic, arbitrators and arbitration counsel have increasingly looked to web-based video conferencing technology for the conduct of arbitration hearings. Over the past several weeks, the arbitral community has been inundated by advice from arbitral institutions and practitioners on whether and how to fairly and efficiently conduct arbitration hearings by video.

This program will offer best practices and meaningful “nuts and bolts” suggestions geared to arbitrators and arbitration counsel in sole practice for conducting video hearings.

Nancy M. Thevenin, FCI Arb, USCIB's general counsel, will provide a brief update on USCIB/ICC USA's Arbitration committee activities. [See bio](#)

Marek Krasula, the North America counsel for the ICC International Court of Arbitration®, will discuss the [ICC Guidance Note](#) on Possible Measures Aimed at Mitigating the effects of COVID-19 Pandemic. [See bio](#).

Stephanie Cohen, FCI Arb, a New York-based arbitrator, will address her Draft Zoom Hearing Procedural Order, which was published by Transnational Dispute Management on April 14, 2020. Ms. Cohen is Vice Chair of the New York Branch of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators and a member of the ICC Commission on Arbitration and ADR. [See bio](#).

Matthew Draper, FCI Arb, who serves as Chair of the Sole Practitioner's Committee and Treasurer of the New York Branch of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators, will moderate the discussion. [See bio](#).

The speakers will answer questions submitted in advance by participants.

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