

# THE GREAT DEBATE Ad Hoc vs Institutional Arbitration

MONDAY, OCTOBER 29, 2018  
5:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.



On Monday, October 29, please join us for “The Great Debate.” This joint program with the CI Arb New York Branch and CI Arb Canada Branch will debate the pros and cons of ad hoc vs. institutional arbitration.

## DEBATERS

### WILLIAM G. HORTON

For Ad Hoc Arbitration, Commercial Arbitrator, Toronto, FCI Arb

### LOUIS B. KIMMELMAN

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## MODERATOR

### SOPHIE NAPPERT

International Arbitrator, London

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## AGENDA

5:00 – 5:30 p.m.  
Registration

5:30 – 6:30 p.m.  
Debate

6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.  
CI Arb NY Branch Fall  
Kick-Off Reception

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**WILLIAM G HORTON**

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William G Horton practices as an arbitrator in international and Canadian business disputes. Prior to establishing his current practice, he served as head of litigation at two major Canadian law firms. He has been appointed tribunal chair, sole arbitrator and party nominee in over 130 substantial disputes. He has served in all these capacities in both ad hoc and institutional arbitrations. His arbitration appointments include cases involving oil and gas and alternative energy disputes, nuclear facilities, mining, telecom, satellite and wireless industry disputes, government privatisation contracts, national advertising campaigns, cross-border distribution agreements, software licensing and other intellectual property and shareholder agreements.

Mr Horton is former chair of the international litigation committee of the International Bar Association, the former co-chair of ADR Chambers' international and commercial panels, a fellow of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators, a former executive member of ICC Canada and is on the arbitration rosters of numerous international arbitration institutions including ICDR, CPR Institute, CIETAC, and ADR Institute of Canada. He also serves on the arbitration rosters under the Canada Transportation Act and the Independent Electricity Suppliers of Ontario. Until recently he served as a member of the NAFTA 2022 committee. He is Editor in Chief of the Canadian Arbitration and Mediation Journal and Course Director and principal instructor of the Toronto Commercial Arbitration Society Gold Standard® Course on Commercial Arbitration. He chairs the Arbitration Act Reform Committee of TCAS.



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Benno Kimmelman is co-chair of the firm's global International Arbitration practice. He focuses on the arbitration and litigation of complex commercial and investment treaty disputes as well as litigation in aid of the arbitration process. Benno regularly represents U.S. and foreign clients, as well as sovereign entities, in international disputes before arbitral tribunals and state and federal courts in the United States. He has acted as lead counsel and as arbitrator in numerous cases before the leading international arbitration institutions.

Benno is an adjunct professor of law at Brooklyn Law School, where he teaches International Commercial Arbitration and International Litigation. He is also an adjunct professor of law at Georgetown Law Center, where he teaches International Commercial Arbitration. Benno is an Adviser to the American Law Institute project on the Restatement of the U.S. Law of International Commercial and Investment Arbitration. He is on the Executive Committee of the New York International Arbitration Center and is a member of the ICC Commission on Arbitration. He is a past chair of the International Commercial Disputes Committee of the Association of the Bar of the City of New York and is co-chair of the annual Fordham International Arbitration and Mediation Conference.

Benno received his B.A. from Yale University and J.D. from Yale Law School and clerked for the Honorable Leonard I. Garth of the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Third Circuit.

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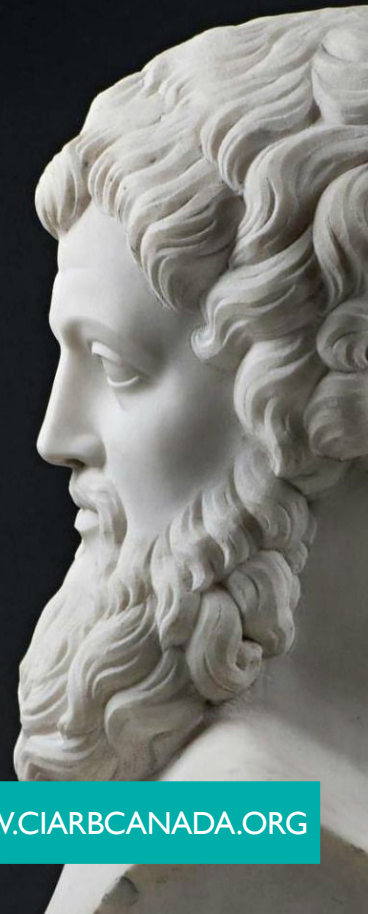
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Sophie Nappert is a dual-qualified lawyer in Canada and in the UK. She is an arbitrator in independent practice, based in Gray's Inn, London, specialising in international disputes, notably in energy, infrastructure, natural resources and cross-border investment. Before becoming a full-time arbitrator, she was Head of International Arbitration at a global law firm.

Ms Nappert is trained and has practised in both civil law and common law jurisdictions. She is the peer-nominated Moderator of OGEMID, the online discussion forum on current issues of international investment law, economic law and arbitration. She is ranked in Global Arbitration Review's Top 30 List of Female Arbitrators Worldwide and is commended as a "leading light" in the field by Who's Who Legal.

Ms Nappert delivered the 2018 Proskauer Lecture on International Arbitration, entitled "*Disruption Is The New Black: Practical Thoughts For Keeping International Arbitration On Trend*". In 2016, she became the first female winner of Global Arbitration Review's Award for Speech of the Year, for her address at the inaugural Annual Lecture of EFILA, the European Federation of Investment Law and Arbitration, "*Escaping From Freedom? The Dilemma of an Improved ISDS Mechanism.*"

She is the author of a *Commentary on the 2010 UNCITRAL Arbitration Rules: A Practitioner's Guide* (Juris, 2012). She is a guest lecturer at Columbia Law School, Harvard Law School and McGill University Faculty of Law. She created the Nappert Prize in International Arbitration, open to young scholars and practitioners



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