



INVITATION

Conference

Help, I am about to be dragged into a construction project!

Practical aspects to consider when drafting the contract during its implementation and in case of a dispute

Thursday 24 May 2018

In Geneva: Lenz & Staehelin, Route de Chêne 30, Genève, 16:00-18:30 (local time)

In Mexico City: TEC Campus Santa Fe, Av. de los Poetas 100, Santa Fe, La Loma, 01389 Ciudad de México, CDMX, 9:00-11:30 (local time)

The [Centro de Arbitraje de México \(CAM\)](#), the [Swiss Chambers' Arbitration Institution \(SCAI\)](#), and [TILPA International Trade & Investment Law \(TILPA\)](#) are jointly organizing this conference in the two cities through audio-visual connection for professionals active in the field of construction and arbitration.

The speakers – experts, in-house counsel, and arbitration practitioners – will share their broad experience on managing construction projects and practical tips aimed at drafting secure construction contracts and allowing a greater time and cost efficiency for all disputes in the field of construction. Both CAM and SCAI will also briefly present how their own model clause and services apply in construction-related disputes.

This videoconference will focus on the major dos and don'ts regarding construction contracts and disputes, while giving in-house counsel and arbitration practitioners the opportunity to ask questions, share concerns and discuss the proposals made by the speakers and the two renowned arbitration institutions.

A light breakfast will be served at the event in Mexico City; a cocktail will be served following the event in Geneva, in order for participants to continue their discussions after the formal presentations.

For more information and to register:

If you wish to attend the conference

- in Geneva: register [here](#).
- in Mexico City: send an email to ssb@camex.com.mx

The event is free of charge. However, registration is mandatory and seats are limited.

Any cancellation must be sent by email to office@swissarbitration.org and/or ssb@camex.com.mx by 21 May 2018 at the latest, in order to allow any person on the waiting list to be contacted.

Join us on 24 May 2018 in Mexico City or Geneva.

We look forward to seeing you.

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| Time Mexico City | Time Geneva | Topics | Speakers |
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| 09:00 | 16:00 | Registration | |
| 09:30 | 16:30 | Welcome address | <p>Mexico City: Ms Sylvia Sámano Beristain, Secretary General, CAM</p> <p>Geneva: Ms Valériane Oreamuno, Head of the Secretariat of the Arbitration Court in Geneva, SCAI</p> |
| 09:35 | 16:35 | Horizontal View on Construction Disputes | Geneva: Mr Jorge A. Huerta-Goldman , Legal Counsellor and Founder of TILPA |
| 09:40 | 16:40 | Before: The experts discuss choices, PPP, and other dos and don'ts | <p>Mexico City: Mr Alfredo Machuca G., Director for Mexico, HKA</p> <p>Geneva: Mr Serge Y. Bodart, Consultant Engineer in PPP's and Partner at PMG Ingénieurs-Economistes-Conseils / Prevention and Resolution of Disputes</p> <p>Mexico City: Ms Almudena Otero, In-House Lawyer (arbitration team), Mexican Federal Electricity Commission</p> |
| 10:20 | 17:20 | After: Practical tips for handling claims and disputes | <p>Geneva: Mr Manuel Arroyo, Partner, Nater Dallafior</p> <p>Mexico City: Mr Víctor Ruiz, Founding Partner, Ruiz Silva Abogados</p> <p>Geneva: Ms Tanya Landon, Partner, Sidley Austin LLP</p> |
| 11:00 | 18:00 | Discussion/Questions | |
| 11:15 | 18:15 | Closing remarks by the moderators | <p>Mexico City: Mr Francisco González de Cossío, Founding Partner, González de Cossío Abogados</p> <p>Geneva: Mr Xavier Favre-Bulle, Partner, Lenz & Staehelin</p> |
| 11:30 | 18:30 | Breakfast Networking drinks | <p>Mexico City</p> <p>Geneva</p> |

The event will be moderated by:

- [Mr Xavier Favre-Bulle](#), Partner, Lenz & Staehelin, in Geneva
- [Mr Francisco González de Cossío](#), Founding Partner, González de Cossío Abogados



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