



# International Arbitration and Corporate Social Responsibility: Current Issues and Future Innovations

Paris, France 15 March 2018 (17.30 to 21.00)

## Venue

Sciences Po  
Amphithéâtre Jacques Chapsal  
27 rue Saint Guillaume  
Paris, 75007  
France

## Registration

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## Objective

ICC YAF conference in Paris sponsored by Gide Loyrette Nouel on the occasion of the ICC Vis Pre-Moot.

The conference will consist of two panels. The first panel will consider the Corporate Social Responsibility ("CSR") issues currently arising in commercial and investment arbitration.

The second panel will discuss the potential for innovations in arbitral practice and procedure to allow arbitration to play a greater role promoting CSR, looking in particular at whether the amendment of arbitration rules may serve to facilitate the resolution of CSR claims.

## Who should attend

This conference is aimed at young arbitration practitioners of approximately 40 years and under: counsel, arbitrators, corporate counsel or academics. The ICC YAF Conference will be an ideal forum for young practitioners to exchange thoughts on international arbitration, and to enrich their network in the region.

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## PROGRAMME

**17:30-18:00**    **Registration**

**18:00-18:15**    **Welcome Remarks**

**18:15-19:00**    **Panel 1: Current Issues: Corporate Social Responsibility in Commercial and Investment**

### **Arbitration**

#### **Moderators**

**Dr Ana Gerdau de Borja Mercereau**

Associate, Derains & Gharavi

Paris

#### **Speakers**

**Natasha Peter**

Counsel, Gide

Paris

**Tomas Vail**

Senior Associate, White & Case

London

**Barbara Ciaramella**

Deputy Counsel, ICC International Court of Arbitration

Paris

**19:00-19:45**    **Panel 2: Future Innovations: The Role of Arbitration in Promoting Corporate Social**

### **Responsibility**

#### **Moderators**

**Saadia Bhatti**

Counsel, Gide

London

#### **Speakers**

**Gemma Aiolfi**

Head of Compliance, Corporate Governance and Collective Action, The Basel Institute on Governance  
Switzerland

**Alison Berthet**

Associate, Hogan Lovells

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**Govert Coppens**

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**20:00-21:00**    **Cocktail sponsored by Gide Loyrette Nouel**

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