



# PROCEDURAL ISSUES IN INTERNATIONAL ARBITRATION AND STATE COURTS

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**KEYNOTE SPEAKER 2019**

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**AGENDA**

**PLENARY SESSION "THE QUEST FOR EFFICIENCY: DO TRIBUNAL AND PARTIES PLAY THE SAME GAME?"**

**SECTION 1 "WHEN THE DISPUTE STARTS"**

- Arbitration agreement: how a content can shape the destiny
- Limitation period: hidden threats to pursue your case
- Frivolous claim? The arbitral tribunal will help
- Interim remedies: what and when is available before commencing proceedings?
- Parallel proceedings: example of Yukos case

**SECTION 2 "BEHIND THE SCENES OF THE PROCEEDINGS"**

- Cooperation between external and in-house counsel: implementing an effective case strategy
- Procedural order No. 1: is it a document drafted for the parties or by the parties?
- Evidence gathering: technology helps
- Expression of preliminary views by the tribunal as a part of settlement facilitation: pros and cons
- The principle of confidentiality: how far your dispute is really confidential?

**SECTION 3 "SHOW MUST GO ON!"**

- National court's discretion to enforce an award that has been annulled at the place of arbitration
- Grounds for revising arbitral awards
- Enforceability of post awards interests
- Appellate mechanisms in commercial arbitration
- Enforcement of arbitral awards and court judgments against state entities



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**ACTIVITIES**



18.09 White&Case Event: Interaction between local and international laws in investment arbitration

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19.09 - ICC Training: The conduct of the proceedings and case management. The arbitrator's perspective



20.09 - EEDRF Main Programme and Cocktail Dinner

21.09 - Travelling Weekend "Discover Your Belarus"