

Lunch DIScussions
9 January 2025, 1-2 pm

Improving Efficiency and Speed in International Dispute Resolution: the New UNCITRAL SPEDR Clauses

The latest work product of the United Nations Commission on International Trade Law (UNCITRAL)'s Working Group II are the [UNCITRAL Model Clauses on Specialised Express Dispute Resolution \(SPEDR\)](#). The four Model Clauses – on Highly Expedited Arbitration, on Adjudication, on Technical Advisers and on Confidentiality – are designed as a resource for businesses and practitioners engaging in international dispute resolution, especially when speed and technical expertise are crucial factors.

In this edition of the Lunch DIScussions, the SPEDR Model Clauses will be presented by those closely involved in their drafting and will be critically discussed from a practical perspective. We are looking forward to your contributions!

Programme

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Registration

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