



Workshop on the IBA Rules on the Taking of Evidence in International Arbitration*

*curated by the Eastern Europe Arbitration Group of the IBA Arbitration Committee

**Bucharest,
18 September 2023
3:00 p.m. - 6.30 p.m.**

*followed by YRAP networking
cocktail sponsored by* **Wolf Theiss**



Panel 1:

Speakers:



Rafał Morek
Partner, CMS Cameron McKenna, Warsaw



Andrey Panov
Counsel, Allen & Overy, Dubai



James Rogers
Partner, Jenner & Block LLP, London

Moderator:



Violeta Saranciuc
Managing Associate, Zamfirescu Racoți Vasile & Partners, Bucharest
Co-Chair YRAP

Panel 2:

Speakers:



Péter Köves
Founding Partner, Lakatos, Köves & Partners, Budapest



Sorina Olaru
Partner, NNDKP, Bucharest



Ivaylo Dermendjiev
Co-founder, Senior Managing Partner, Simeonov & Dermendjiev;
President of the Bulgarian National Bar, Sofia

Moderator:



Ligia Popescu
Partner, Wolf Theiss, Bucharest

IBA Arbitration Committee Eastern Europe Group Co-Chairs:

Cosmin Vasile
Managing Partner, Zamfirescu Racoți Vasile & Partners, Bucharest



Dalibor Valinčić
Partner, Queritius, Zagreb



Programme:

3:00 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.	Registration
3:15 p.m. – 3:25 p.m.	Opening remarks <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Prof. Univ. Dr. Dan Oancea, Director, The National Institute for Professional Training and Improvement of Lawyers (I.N.P.P.A.), Bucharest• Cosmin Vasile, Co-Chair, Eastern Europe Arbitration Group of the IBA Arbitration Committee; Managing Partner, Zamfirescu Racoți Vasile & Partners, Bucharest
3:25 p.m. – 4:45 p.m.	Panel discussion – Panel 1 <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Rafał Morek, Partner, CMS Cameron McKenna, Warsaw• Andrey Panov, Counsel, Allen & Overy, Dubai• James Rogers, Partner, Jenner & Block, London Moderator: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Violeta Saranciuc, Co-Chair YRAP; Managing Associate, Zamfirescu Racoți Vasile & Partners, Bucharest
4:45 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Coffee Break
5:00 p.m. – 6:20 p.m.	Panel discussion – Panel 2 <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Péter Köves, Founding Partner, Lakatos, Köves & Partners, Budapest• Sorina Olaru, Partner, NNDKP, Bucharest• Ivaylo Dermendjiev, Co-founder and Senior Managing Partner, Simeonov & Dermendjiev, President of the Bulgarian National Bar, Sofia Moderator: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Ligia Popescu, Partner, Wolf Theiss, Bucharest
6:20 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	Closing remarks <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Ligia Popescu, Partner, Wolf Theiss, Bucharest
6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.	Cocktail reception offered by Wolf Theiss

Logistics:

Venue: CCIR Business Center
2 Octavian Goga Blvd.,
Bucharest - 030982, Romania
Aurel Ghibuțiu Hall

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