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## **CROSS-EXAMINATION TECHNIQUES**

**Monday 4 April 2016**

**at Law Firm Gianni-Origoni-Grippo-Cappelli & Partners**

**Via delle Quattro Fontane, 20**

**Rome, Italy**

### Programme:

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| 11:30 | Registration   |
| 11:45 | Welcome and Introduction: Mr. Antonio Auricchio, Managing Partner Gianni Origoni Grippo Cappelli & Partners; Laurence Burger, Chair of the CI Arb European Branch, Andrew Paton FCI Arb, Member of Arbit |
| 12:00 | Introduction to cross-examination: Andrew Burr, Barrister; Meloria Meschi, Fiscal Expert with FTI Consulting in London; Laurence Burger, Attorney and Arbitrator, Geneva                                 |
| 12:50 | Buffet lunch   |
| 13.15 | Mock cross-examination exercise of the first group of 9 participants   |
| 14.15 | Mock cross-examination exercise of the second group of 9 participants  |
| 15:15 | Feedback in plenary, Q&A   |

This CI Arb Cross-Examination seminar has been brought to Italy for the first time. The European Branch of the CI Arb has exceptionally arranged to provide this seminar at no cost on this occasion for the participants. Space is limited to 18 participants who are all expected to take part in the exercises by playing the role of Counsel or of member of the Tribunal. Participants are invited to indicate which role they would prefer to play; roles are attributed on a first come first served basis. Attendees are kindly requested to register with the CI Arb European Branch, not later than **20 March 2016** by sending an email to: [jmn@jmu.it](mailto:jmn@jmu.it).



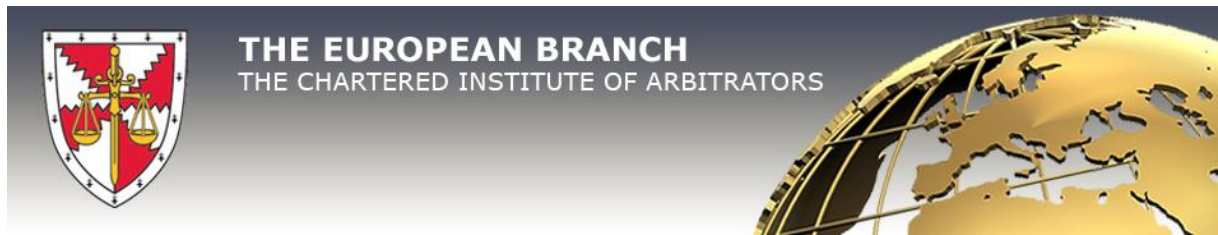
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### ***About the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators (CI Arb)***

The Chartered Institute of Arbitrators is a not-for-profit, UK registered charity working in the public interest through an international network of branches. It has a global membership of more than 14,500 individuals who have professional training or experience in alternative dispute resolution.

We exist for the global promotion, facilitation and development of all forms of private dispute resolution to maximise the contribution that dispute resolution practitioners make.

In addition to providing education and training for arbitrators, mediators and adjudicators, we act as an international centre for practitioners, policy makers, academics and those in business concerned with the cost-effective and early settlement of disputes. This gives users confidence that the very best people are helping to resolve their dispute.

For members, and where appropriate, non-members, CI Arb offers a range of resources. It provides tools, support, advice, networking and promotional opportunities as well as facilities by acting as a highly sought after central London Bloomsbury Centre venue for hearings, meetings and other events.

Further details can be found on the CI Arb website: [www.ciarb.org](http://www.ciarb.org).

### ***About the European Branch of CI Arb***

The European Branch of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators was established in 1993, and it is one of the Institute's largest branches, both geographically and in terms of the number of members.

The Branch covers all of continental Europe and has more than 700 members, from the Algarve to the Bosphorus and from Scandinavia to Sicily. Its breadth and diversity place it in a unique position among the continent's other professional organisations in the field of dispute resolution.

The European Branch is the CIArb's most prolific provider of training courses in international arbitration and in mediation, organising more than 10 specialist courses across Europe each year.

Each year, the Branch holds its Annual General Meeting and Annual Conference on dispute resolution related topics in a different European location, bringing together professionals from all corners of the continent. Further events are organised locally.

The Branch has local chapters in The Netherlands, the Baltic region, Paris and Germany. We consider the formation of further chapters in a number of other locations, especially in Eastern Europe and in Italy.

The Branch has also established a Young Members Group specifically for its members that are aged 40 years and under.

Further details about the Branch activities can be obtained on our website: [www.ciarb-europeanbranch.com](http://www.ciarb-europeanbranch.com) or by contacting our Honourable Secretary: [sec.eurobranch@gmail.com](mailto:sec.eurobranch@gmail.com).

### ***Benefits of being a member***

The European Branch of the CIArb offers its members great opportunities for training and **networking** across Europe, with the chance to keep abreast of changes in the legal environment, develop their knowledge and skills, meet industry peers and share experiences.

More significantly, the CIArb is the only organisation in the field of ADR that offers **training courses**, tailored to meet the demands of dispute resolution in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century. The training leads to **professional designations**, which are recognised internationally (Member, Fellow and Chartered Arbitrator).

Our courses are open to all professions, including engineers, architects, accountants, lawyers, consultants, financiers, government services and all other professions where the quick and fair resolution of business and personal disputes is desirable.

### ***How can I join?***

You can join CIArb by filling in the online application form at: [www.ciarb.org/joining-us](http://www.ciarb.org/joining-us).

New members on the European continent are automatically allocated to the European Branch.