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A conference presented by the IBA Banking & Financial Law Committee and the IBA Securities and Capital Markets Committee, and supported by the IBA Asia Pacific Regional Forum

5th Asia-based International Financial Law Conference

10–12 September 2025, Lotte Hotel Seoul, Seoul, South Korea

TOPICS INCLUDE:

- Evolving tender offer rules in Asia, Europe and the US
- Governance of financial institutions: new South Korean requirement on responsibilities map for internal controls and risk management
- Navigating the global landscape: comparative analysis of digital assets regulation across jurisdictions
- Fund financing in Asia
- Investor activism including activism regarding greenwashing by corporate issuers
- Regulatory investigations and enforcement trends in the securities markets
- Rise in collapsed real estate deals – workouts and potential disputes
- The blurring of lines: private credit, debt capital markets and the future of corporate finance

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Programme

Conference Co-Chairs

Jeen Kim *Kim & Chang, Seoul; Vice Chair, Derivatives Subcommittee, IBA Banking & Financial Law Committee*
Kyung Hwa Moon *Shin & Kim, Seoul; Vice Chair, Conferences Subcommittee, IBA Securities and Capital Markets Committee*

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Wednesday 10 September

1600 – 1800 Young lawyers' programme

AI use in the Asian legal markets: applications, use cases, benefits and challenges for young lawyers

Emerging legal GenAI (generative artificial intelligence) applications present promising uses for lawyers and law firms. This roundtable seminar, which is part of the conference programme and is open to all conference attendees, will explore the most promising use cases that are developing in the Asian legal markets, the risks and opportunities inherent in GenAI, data and confidentiality related policy issues and necessary guardrails, as well as tips and best practices for young lawyers as they navigate this new environment.

Moderators

Giorgio Bovenzi *Haynes and Boone, New York; North American Regional Forum Liaison Officer, IBA Banking & Financial Law Committee*
Hyunjung Kim *Bae Kim & Lee, Seoul*
Benjamin Leisinger *Homburger, Zürich; Young Lawyers' Committee Liaison Officer; IBA Securities and Capital Markets Committee*

Panellists

Mooni Kim *Shin & Kim, Seoul*
Dean Park *Kim & Chang, Seoul*
Herman Park *Lee & Ko, Seoul*
Juan Pablo Sandoval *Harvey, New York*

1800 – 2000 Welcome reception

Lotte Hotel Seoul
30 Eulji-ro, Euljiro 1(il)-ga, Jung-gu, Seoul, 04533

This event is open to all registered delegates and registered guests; please indicate attendance during registration.

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0800 – 1715 Registration

0900 – 0910 Opening remarks

Jeen Kim *Kim & Chang, Seoul; Vice Chair, Derivatives Subcommittee, IBA Banking & Financial Law Committee*
Kyung Hwa Moon *Shin & Kim, Seoul; Vice Chair, Conferences Subcommittee, IBA Securities and Capital Markets Committee*

0910 – 0915 Welcome remarks

Daniel Del Rio *SMPS Legal, Mexico City; IBA LPD Chair*

0915 – 0945 Keynote speech

Kwang-woo Jun *Chairman & CEO, Institute for Global Economics, Seoul*

0945 – 1100 Session one

Evolving tender offer rules in Asia, Europe and the US

The panel will discuss recent regulatory developments regarding tender offer rules across the various regions, especially in light of the proposed amendments to adopt mandatory tender offer rules in Korea. Among other issues, there will be a focus on:

- how different jurisdictions protect investors from the risk of 'creeping control';
- the different approaches to mandatory tender offers in Korea, Japan, EU and the US and background of these differences;
- how 'tender offers' are defined;
- how mandatory tender offer rules play out in countries where they are adopted; and
- special considerations in adopting mandatory tender offer rules.

Moderators

Kyung Hwa Moon *Shin & Kim, Seoul; Vice Chair, Conferences Subcommittee, IBA Securities and Capital Markets Committee*
Trevor Norwitz *Wachtell Lipton Rosen & Katz, New York; Co-Chair, IBA Securities and Capital Markets Committee*

Panellists

Professor Joon Hyug Chung *Seoul National University School of Law, Seoul*
Patrick Schleiffer *Lenz & Staehelin, Zürich; Special Projects Officer, IBA Securities and Capital Markets Committee*
Katsumasa Suzuki *Mori Hamada & Matsumoto, Tokyo; Regional Representative Asia Pacific, IBA Securities and Capital Markets Committee*

1100 – 1130 Coffee/tea break

1130 – 1245 Session two

Governance of financial institutions: new South Korean requirement on responsibilities map for internal controls and risk management

Korea amended the Corporate Governance Act for Financial Companies (the 'Corporate Governance Act') in 2024, requiring Korean banks and foreign branches and subsidiaries operating in Korea to put into place this past January specific allocation of responsibilities among their senior management for internal controls and risk management. Its reach will expand later this year and in 2026 to securities companies, insurers and other financial institutions. While this type of legislation is not entirely new in the global financial regulation landscape, the Korea-specific version has its own unique flavour in comparison to other countries with similarly intended laws to be discussed in parallel with the Corporate Governance Act.

Moderators

Christiana Golez *Romulo Mabanta Buenaventura Sayoc & Delos Angeles, Makati City; Vice Chair, Finance in Emerging Countries Subcommittee, IBA Banking & Financial Law Committee*
Jeen Kim *Kim & Chang, Seoul; Vice Chair, Derivatives Subcommittee, IBA Banking & Financial Law Committee*

Panellists

Sharon Shin Hea Kim *Country General Counsel, HSBC Korea, Seoul*
Susan Kim *Head of Legal, Wealth & Retail Banking, Standard Chartered Bank Korea, Seoul*
Jay Son Yang *Yulchon, Seoul*

1245 – 1415 Lunch

1415 – 1530 Session three

Navigating the global landscape: comparative analysis of digital assets regulation across jurisdictions

This session will discuss:

- current regulatory landscape in relation to digital assets and stablecoins across certain jurisdictions;
- latest legal and regulatory developments and upcoming regulatory regimes in relation to digital assets;
- cross-border virtual assets transactions and legal implications; and
- recent trends in tokenisation projects and other market trends

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Moderators

Katherine Liu *Stephenson Harwood, Hong Kong SAR*
Yuri Suzuki *Atsumi & Sakai, Tokyo; Asia Pacific Regional Forum Liaison Officer, IBA Banking & Financial Law Committee*

Panellists

Adrian Ang *Allen & Gledhill, Singapore*
Eddie Hsiung *Lee and Li, Taipei; Vice Chair, Platforms, E-commerce & Social Media Subcommittee, IBA Technology Law Committee*
Andrea Huber *Pestalozzi, Zürich; Co-Chair, Banking Regulation Subcommittee, IBA Banking & Financial Law Committee*
Seung Jae Yoo *Kim & Chang, Seoul*

1530 – 1600 **Coffee/tea break**

1600 – 1715 Session four

Fund financing in Asia

Key topics:

- *Fund finance overview*: Understanding the broad and growing industry of providing liquidity to private funds through various products such as sublines, NAVs, management fee facilities and GP lines.
- *Subscription line facilities*: An introduction to the basic structures, collateral, and key due diligence issues for those unfamiliar with the concept.
- *Benefits and considerations*: Insights into the advantages for lending banks and borrower funds, including relationship-driven opportunities, safety, and liquidity management.
- *Regional differences*: A comparative analysis of the APAC market versus Europe and North America, focusing on product types, market participants, pricing and terms.

- *APAC regional variations*: A closer look at the distinct characteristics of fund finance markets in Australia, Hong Kong, Japan, Singapore and South Korea.
- *Korea's role*: Discussion on the growing influence of Korean investors in the fund finance market and the associated considerations.

Moderators

Chee Wai Kok *Allen & Gledhill, Singapore; Conference Quality Officer, IBA Banking & Financial Law Committee*
Albert Tan *Haynes and Boone, Dallas, Texas*

Panellists

James Abbott *Corrs Chambers Westgarth, Sydney, New South Wales*
Darren Choy *Sumitomo Mitsui Banking Corporation, Singapore*
Soo Won Hwang *Sumitomo Mitsui Trust Bank, New York*
Danielle Roman *Mourant Ozannes, Hong Kong SAR*
Changwoo Yoo *Shinhan Bank, Seoul*

1730 – 1830 **Women lawyers networking drinks**

Lotte Hotel Seoul

1930 – 2200 **Conference dinner**

Samcheonggak
3 Daesagwan-ro, Seongbuk-gu, Seoul, 02822

Experience a memorable evening at Samcheonggak, a traditional Korean cultural venue nestled in the tranquil foothills of Bugaksan Mountain, where elegant hanok architecture, scenic views and a refined Hanjeongsik meal come together to celebrate Korea's rich heritage.

This event is open to all registered delegates and registered guests; please indicate attendance during registration.

Friday 12 September

0830 – 1700 **Registration**

0930 – 1045 Session five

Investor activism including activism regarding greenwashing by corporate issuers

The panel will examine the growing influence of shareholder activism and its implications for corporate governance, investor engagement and ESG (environmental, social and governance) accountability. It will explore how evolving codes of corporate governance are empowering institutional investors, the rise of activist and ESG-focused funds and changing patterns in shareholder proposals and voting behaviour. The discussion will also consider management's duties and liabilities in responding to activism, the strategic use of litigation and media and the increasing role of foreign investors in shaping ESG priorities. With a spotlight on regulatory responses to greenwashing and the use of emerging technologies, the session will take a comparative approach between Europe and Asia.

Moderators

Rabel Akhund *Akhund Forbes, Karachi; Chair, Capital Markets Innovation and Future Trends Subcommittee, IBA Securities and Capital Markets Committee*
Michael Arnold *Gleiss Lutz, Stuttgart; Senior Vice Chair, IBA Securities and Capital Markets Committee*

Panellists

Seine Kim *Societe Generale Korea, Seoul*
Tanvi Kumar *Khaitan & Co, New Delhi, Delhi*
Christoph Moser *Schoenherr, Vienna; Vice Secretary, IBA Securities and Capital Markets Committee*
Jay Son Yang *Yulchon, Seoul*

1045 – 1115 **Coffee/tea break**

1115 – 1230 Session six

Regulatory investigations and enforcement trends in the securities markets

This session seeks to explore recent regulatory and enforcement trends in various markets around the world for securities law violations. Specifically, the panellists will discuss regulatory focus and recent developments, enforcement cases and securities litigation as well as trends in penalties or damages in recent years.

Moderators

Gail Ong *WongPartnership, Singapore; Vice Chair, Capital Markets Innovation and Future Trends Subcommittee, IBA Securities and Capital Markets Committee*

Shruti Rajan *Trilegal, Mumbai, Maharashtra; Vice Chair, Market Regulation Subcommittee, IBA Securities and Capital Markets Committee*

Panellists

Ugu Choi *Bae Kim & Lee, Seoul*

Beatriz Paterno *Skadden Arps Slate Meagher & Flom, Singapore*

1230 – 1400 **Lunch**

1400 – 1515 Session seven

Rise in collapsed real estate deals – workouts and potential disputes

This session will discuss:

- Pan-Asian market dynamics: analysis of the systemic challenges facing Asian real estate markets and cross-border investment complications
- Regional workout strategies: comparative examination of restructuring approaches across different Asian jurisdictions
- Major property finance or investment transactions: experiences and lessons learned by the market players
- Cross-border dispute resolution: insights into the complex legal frameworks governing distressed real estate transactions
- Capital flow adaptations: exploration of capital controls, foreign investment restrictions and currency fluctuations are reshaping workout strategies.

Moderators

Jee In Kim *Lee & Ko, Seoul*

Meng (Molly) Su *King & Wood Mallesons, Shanghai; Vice Chair, Financial Innovations Subcommittee, IBA Banking & Financial Law Committee*

Panellists

Hailey Hyein Jin *Dentons Lee, Seoul*

Sy Nae Kim *Yulchon, Seoul*

Matthew Kwon *Ashurst Korea, Seoul*

Angela Lim *Rajah & Tann, Singapore*

Rock Wang *Fangda Partners, Shanghai*

1515 – 1545 **Coffee/tea break**

1545 – 1700 Session eight

The blurring of lines: private credit, debt capital markets and the future of corporate finance

The panel will discuss the evolving landscape of alternate corporate finance and increasing convergence of private credit with debt capital and securities markets. Among other issues, there will be a focus on:

- the increasing reliance on private credit in the last few years and whether we see that trend shrinking in light of central bank rate cuts;
- interesting hybrid structures (with loan and securities like features) and examples, or lack thereof, of bank and private credit partnerships; and
- the anticipated role of banking and securities regulators in regulating private credit funds.

Moderators

Shubhangi Garg *Shardul Amarchand Mangaldas & Co, New Delhi, Delhi; Vice Chair, Financial and Banking Law Conferences Subcommittee, IBA Banking & Financial Law Committee*

Theodor Härtsch *Walder Wyss, Zürich; Senior Vice Chair, IBA Securities and Capital Markets Committee*

Panellists

Ben Hur *Commissioner, Financial Services Commission, Seoul; Corporate Counsel Forum Liaison Officer, IBA Securities and Capital Markets Committee*

Hyunju Helen Pak *Shin & Kim, Seoul*

Amit Singh *Linklaters, Singapore*

Daniel Tan *A&O Shearman, Hong Kong SAR*

1700 – 1710 Closing remarks

Jeen Kim *Kim & Chang, Seoul; Vice Chair, Derivatives Subcommittee, IBA Banking & Financial Law Committee*

Kyung Hwa Moon *Shin & Kim, Seoul; Vice Chair, Conferences Subcommittee, IBA Securities and Capital Markets Committee*

1830 – 2030 Closing dinner

Puerco Gwanghwamun

B1F, The Exchange Seoul, 21 Mugyo-ro, Jung-gu, Seoul, 04520

Join us for a Korean BBQ dinner at Puerco Gwanghwamun, a modern restaurant renowned for its high-quality Iberico pork and aged Hanwoo beef.

Ticket price: US\$165

This is a ticketed event and open to delegates and guests who have purchased tickets in advance.

Information

Date

10–12 September 2025

Venue

Lotte Hotel Seoul
30 Eulji-ro, Euljiro 1(il)-ga
Jung-gu, Seoul, 04533, South Korea
Tel: +82-2-771-1000
Website: www.lotthotel.com/seoul-hotel/en

Language

All working sessions and Conference materials will be in English.

Interpreters are not authorised to book for the conference or attend the conference working sessions without the prior written permission of the Asia Office Director.

How to book

Online by **3 September 2025** at www.ibanet.org/conference-details/CONF2649 and make payment by credit card to avail of the ten per cent online booking discount or complete the attached booking form and return it to Sohyun Kwon at the IBA together with your proof of bank transfer payment. You should receive an email confirmation of your booking within five days; if you do not, please contact sohyun.kwon@int-bar.org.

Fees

Online bookings received:

	on or before 8 August	until 3 September
IBA member	\$1,085	\$1,200
Non-member*	\$1,310	\$1,425
Young lawyers (under 30 years)	\$815	\$1,425
Academics/judges (full-time)	\$815	\$1,425
Public lawyers	\$815	\$1,425
Corporate counsel**	\$975	\$1,425
Guest fee***	\$310	\$310
Friday closing dinner	\$165	\$165

After **3 September** bookings must be received in hard copy at the IBA office.

Hard copy forms and fees received:

	on or before 8 August	after 8 August
IBA member	\$1,205	\$1,330
Non-member*	\$1,455	\$1,580
Young lawyers (under 30 years)	\$905	\$1,580
Academics/judges (full-time)	\$905	\$1,580
Public lawyers	\$905	\$1,580
Corporate counsel**	\$1,085	\$1,580
Guest fee***	\$310	\$310
Friday closing dinner	\$165	\$165

*By paying the non-member fee, we welcome you as a delegate member of the IBA for the year in which this Conference is held, which entitles you to the following benefits:

- 1) Password access to certain parts of the IBA website.
- 2) Receipt of *IBA E-news* and access to online versions of *IBA Global Insight*.
- 3) The member rate for any subsequent Conferences for this calendar year.

**A reduced rate is offered to IBA Corporate Group Members. Please contact sohyun.kwon@int-bar.org to obtain a 25 per cent discount on the IBA Member fee.

If you would like to become a full or general member of the IBA, which includes membership of one committee or more – and inclusion in and access to our membership directory – we encourage you to do so now to book for this Conference at the member rate. You can find full details of how to join at www.ibanet.org.

A reduced rate is offered to lawyers who are over the age of 65, have been an IBA member for more than 20 years and are no longer practising law.

Full payment must be received to obtain your Conference documentation.

Fees include:

- Attendance at all working sessions
- Access to the Conference materials from the IBA website (www.ibanet.org), including any available speakers' papers submitted to the IBA before 5 September.
- Access to live delegate search
- Lunch on Thursday and Friday
- Tea and coffee during breaks
- Welcome reception on Wednesday
- Women lawyers networking drinks on Thursday
- Conference dinner on Thursday

Delegate / speaker conference bookings allow for individual entry and attendance to the conference. Delegates / speakers are not permitted to invite guests to attend any working sessions, workshops, or conference social functions.

Please note that bookings are not transferable.

***Guest fees include:

- Welcome reception on Wednesday
- Conference dinner on Thursday

Your Guest cannot be a member of the legal profession (which includes any business development professional, junior associate, consultant, or assistant) nor seek to use the Conference as a business networking opportunity.

Guests are not permitted access to working sessions, refreshment breaks or lunches at the Conference. Checks are performed to ensure members of the legal profession, or business associates are not booked as Guests. If a Guest is found to be a member of the legal profession, the booking will be refused unless the Guest books as a full delegate for the Conference. Should a Guest be seen attending working sessions, refreshment breaks or lunches, an invoice for the full booking fee will be issued to the delegate for the Guest's participation at the Conference.

Only paid Guests (i.e. those paying the guest fee) are eligible to participate in the social programme; and the number of Guests is limited.

List of participants

For your name to appear in the list of participants, your booking form must be received by **3 September** at the latest.

Online delegate search

Delegates can use the online delegate search via the IBA website, to use this function delegates will need to be logged into their MyIBA. This will allow search access to up-to-date attendance lists.

Booking confirmation

Upon receipt of your payment for the Conference a confirmation email will be sent to you which contains information regarding your attendance at the Conference. You will also be able to view and download your payment information and manage your booking via your My IBA profile on the IBA website.

Book with confidence

- If the IBA needs to reschedule the event, your booking will be automatically transferred to the new date and no additional fees will be charged. If this date is not convenient for a delegate, a refund of the cost of the conference place will be available on request to the IBA.
- If the IBA is unable to reschedule the conference within 12 months of the original scheduled date, a full refund of the cost of the conference place will automatically be made to all delegates.
- Please note that the IBA will not provide refunds for any costs incurred including any travel costs.

Please note, these terms are subject to any more restrictive or different local requirements and may be altered and amended from time to time to reflect any changes to restrictions or government requirements.

Hotel accommodation

A limited number of rooms have been reserved at Lotte Hotel Seoul for the nights of 10–12 September 2025:

Lotte Hotel Seoul

30 Eulji-ro, Euljiro 1(il)-ga
Jung-gu, Seoul, 04533, South Korea
Tel: +82-2-759-7311~5
Email: rsv.hotel.seoul@lotte.net
Website: www.lottehotel.com/seoul-hotel/en

The following rate is per room, per night and exclusive of buffet breakfast, and exclusive of service charges and local taxes. This rate also applies to three nights pre- and post-conference, subject to availability.

Deluxe Room (Main Tower): KRW 450,000++

To make a reservation, please contact Room Reservation Center at rsv.hotel.seoul@lotte.net and quote 'International Bar Association' in your enquiry. The hotel requires a credit card number to secure your reservation.

Cancellation and no-show policy

Please note that in the event of any cancellations or no-shows, rooms will be charged to the individual guest's credit card given at the time of booking.

As a limited number of rooms have been blocked at the hotel, availability cannot be guaranteed once the room block is full.

Delegates are responsible for making accommodation reservations directly with the hotel and entering into an agreement with the hotel regarding credit card guarantees, cancellation terms and conditions, and room rates (should these differ from the special IBA rate). The IBA cannot accept responsibility for hotel accommodation disputes between a delegate and the hotel.

Unauthorised accommodation agents

It has been brought to our attention that there are multiple companies contacting past attendees, claiming to represent the IBA, offering 'assistance' with conference and hotel bookings.

They are operating by cold-calling and spamming companies whose names have appeared on previous List of Participants, Programmes and Sponsorship recognition. Please ignore any communication that does not come directly from the IBA.

Disabled access

Lotte Hotel Seoul is wheelchair accessible. Please notify us if you require special assistance.

Continuing Professional Development /Continuing Legal Education

For Conference delegates from jurisdictions where CPD/CLE is mandatory, the IBA will provide a Certificate of Attendance for the Conference. Subject to CPD/CLE requirements, Conference delegates can use this to obtain the relevant number of hours' accreditation. The number of CPD/CLE hours available may vary depending on the rules applied by the members' bar association/law society on time recording criteria.

A Certificate of Attendance is available to Conference delegates on request. Please ask at the IBA Conference registration desk for information on how to obtain the certificate.

Terms and Conditions

All conference delegates must provide full and accurate information regarding their identity and contact information. Failure to do so will result in their conference booking being cancelled.

Full payment must be received to obtain your Conference documentation.

Cancellation of conference or social functions

If cancellation is received by email to Sohyun.kwon@int-bar.org on or before the early-registration deadline date, fees will be refunded less a 15 per cent administration charge.

Cancellations received after the early-registration deadline date and up to 14 days prior to the first day of the Conference, will be refunded less a 25 per cent administration charge. Refunds will be made minus any monies owed to the IBA. Monies cannot be kept on IBA member accounts or transferred to future IBA conferences.

We regret that no refunds can be made after this time. Conference or social function bookings received after this time will not be eligible for any refund of fees. Should you have difficulties in obtaining your visa and are not able to attend the Conference this cancellation policy will still apply.

Payment

When booking the Conference, full payment of the booking fee is required at the time we accept your booking.

VAT will be added to delegate fees as appropriate. Our prices may change at any time, but any price change will not affect bookings that we have confirmed with you. Booking fees for the Conference can only be paid in the booking fee currency listed above.

Credit card payments: The IBA accepts these payment methods: American Express, Diners, Discover, JCB, Maestro, Mastercard, UnionPay, and Visa. Payments from local or affiliate services linked to these providers can also be made through the IBA website.

It is the responsibility of the cardholder to ensure that the card's security details are ready and to check that there is a sufficient balance on the card for the payment to complete.

All fees payable to us by you in relation to the Conference shall be paid free and clear of all deductions or withholdings whatsoever.

If any deductions or withholdings are required by law to such fees, you shall pay such sum as will, after the deduction or withholding has been made, leave us with the same amount as we would have been entitled to receive in the absence of any such requirement to make a deduction or withholding.



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Participants are responsible for making their own travel arrangements to attend the Conference. It is recommended that you check any visa requirements with your local embassy or consulate. In particular, participants should inform themselves of the entry requirements (i.e. visa requirements) of the event location and complete the necessary formalities in good time before the event begins. The IBA will not be liable if a visa application is denied, a visa is received too late to attend, or if a delegate is not able to travel to the Conference for any other reason.

We are unable to dispatch visa invitation letters to support your visa application prior to receipt of your booking form and full payment of conference fees.

Please apply for your visa in good time.

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Some suggested steps that delegates can take include:

- Travel by train instead of flying if possible.
- Book direct flights instead of connecting flights, if available, as limiting the number of stops needed will reduce your carbon footprint.
- Consider the impact of the travel class that you book – business class travel equates to 3 times the carbon footprint of economy class.

Relying on the local public transport is the more carbon friendly option, but this is not always a realistic option. Where reliance on taxis/cars is needed use electric vehicles over petrol or diesel and share vehicle usage with other delegates and colleagues.

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All conference bookings are non-transferable and cannot be resold, transferred or passed on to another person, whether for commercial gain or otherwise.

Name badges can only be used by the booked attendee to access the event or social function; name badges cannot be shared or borrowed by any other person, whether registered for the event or otherwise.

Any breach of these terms will result in the booked attendee being required to leave the event / social function with immediate effect and the cancellation of their booking without reimbursement or refund of any previously paid fees.

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Certain sessions and social functions at an IBA Event may be photographed or filmed and some of this content may be used for future IBA marketing materials, member communications, products or services. Should you have any concerns about this, or if you do not wish to be featured in any of these materials, please contact the IBA Marketing Department at ibamarketing@int-bar.org.

No participant, attending in any capacity, is authorised to record or film the conference working sessions, workshops or social function without the prior written permission of the Conferences Director.

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Harassment

Conferences provide unrivalled professional development and network-building opportunities for international legal practitioners and their professional associates. The IBA values the participation of every delegate and member of the IBA and wants all attendees to have an enjoyable and fulfilling experience. Accordingly, all Conference attendees are expected to show respect and courtesy to other attendees, IBA staff and those involved with hosting the events throughout the Conference and at all events, receptions, and parties, whether officially organised by the IBA or others. All delegates, guests, attendees, speakers, exhibitors, staff and volunteers at the Conference are required to conform to the IBA Harassment Policy. See www.ibanet.org/iba-harassment-policy.

Cancellation by the IBA

We may at any time, with or without giving notice, in our absolute discretion and without giving any reason, cancel or postpone the Conference, change its venue or any of the other published particulars, or withdraw any invitation to attend. In any case, we will not be liable for any loss, liability, damage or expense suffered or incurred by any person, nor will we return any money paid to us in connection with the Conference unless we are satisfied not only that the money in question remains under our control but also that the person who paid it has been unfairly prejudiced (as to which, decision shall be in their sole and unfettered discretion and, when announced, final and conclusive).

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IBA will be entitled to change the venue and make minor changes to the timing and content of the Conference.

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10–12 September 2025, Lotte Hotel Seoul, Seoul, South Korea

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Title _____ Given name _____ Family name _____

Name and country to be shown on badge *(if different from above)* _____

IBA Membership number *(if applicable)* _____ Date of birth _____

Firm/company/organisation _____

Address _____

Country _____

Tel _____ Email _____

Guest _____

Guests are not entitled to attend the working sessions, refreshment breaks or lunches. A guest must not be a member of the legal profession or seek to use the Conference as a business networking opportunity.

SPECIAL DIETARY REQUIREMENTS

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Please tick box if you have allergen intolerances and specify _____

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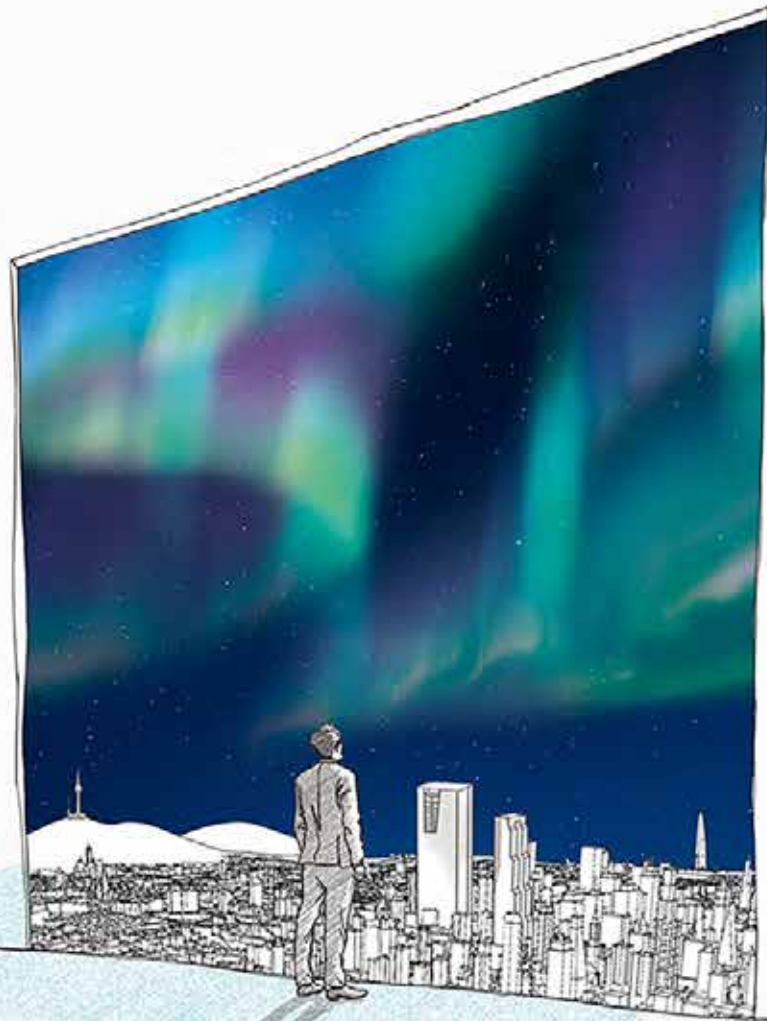
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