

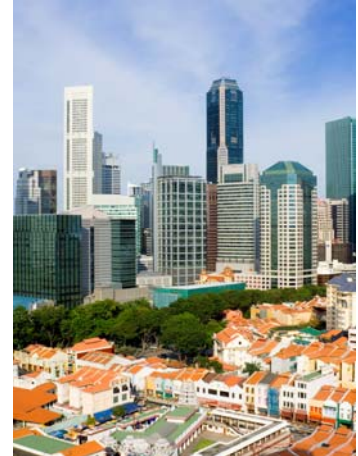


2007 Singapore Conference Program October 11 – 13

Business meetings on Thursday, October 11 and Friday, October 12 will take place at the **Supreme Court of Singapore**. Business meetings on Saturday, October 13 will take place at **Swissôtel Merchant Court**.

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Thursday, October 11

Venue: Supreme Court of Singapore, Viewing Gallery

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| 1200 – 1330 | Lunch for delegates |
| 1330 – 1415 | Conference Commences – Chairman’s Introduction: Douglas Mill, Law Society of Scotland

GREETINGS FROM THE LAW SOCIETY OF SINGAPORE
Yasho Dhoraisingam

Opening address by the Honourable Judge of Appeal Justice V K Rajah

<i>Question and answer session – Chaired by Yasho Dhoraisingam</i> |
| 1415 – 1530 | “A KIND OF LOVING”
Representation and Regulation – Peaceful Co-existence or a Marriage of Convenience?

Chair: John Hoyles, Chief Executive Officer, Canadian Bar Association
Speakers: David Hobart, Chief Executive, Bar Council of England and Wales
Allan Fineblit, Chief Executive Officer, Law Society of Manitoba
Ken Murphy, Director General, Law Society of Ireland |
| 1530 – 1545 | Coffee |

1545 – 1715

“DOUBLE INDEMNITY/RISKY BUSINESS”

Emerging Issues in Professional Indemnity Insurance Worldwide

Chair: Retha Steinman, Chief Executive Officer, Law Society of Namibia

Speaker: Andrew Fryer, Willis

1915

Welcome Reception and Greetings from the Law Society of Singapore

Hosted by the Law Society of Singapore

Supreme Court of Singapore

1 Supreme Court Lane

2000

Dinner

Sponsored by the Law Societies of Scotland and Ireland and the Bar Council of England and Wales

Madame Butterfly Restaurant by IndoChine

The Forbidden City, 3A Merchant's Court, River Valley Road

Friday, October 12

Venue: Supreme Court of Singapore, Viewing Gallery

0900 – 1045

“TO HAVE AND HAVE NOT/A FISTFUL OF DOLLARS”

Infinite Ideas: Finite Resources – The Challenge for Law Societies and Bar Associations

Chair: Raj Daya, Chief Executive Officer, Law Society of South Africa

Speakers: Jan Martin, Executive Director, Law Society of South Australia

Retha Steinman, Chief Executive Officer, Law Society of Namibia

Darrel Pink, Executive Director, Nova Scotia Barristers Society

Raymond Ho, Deputy Secretary General, Law Society of Hong Kong

1045 – 1100

Coffee

1100 – 1230

“ALL QUIET ON THE WESTERN FRONT?”

Regulatory Review – The State of Regulation of the Profession Worldwide

Chair: Ken Murphy, Chief Executive Officer, Law Society of Ireland

Speakers: Jonathan Goldsmith, Executive Director, Council of the Bar of the Law Societies of the European Union

Antony Townsend, Chief Executive Officer, Solicitors Regulation Authority, England and Wales

Don Thompson, Executive Director, Law Society of Alberta

1230 – 1315

Lunch

1315 – 1415

Views from Down Under

Jan Martin, President of the Law Council of Australia

1415 – 1530

“EDUCATING RITA”

Creating the Lawyers of the Future – Issues in a Globalised World

Chair: Alan Ritchie, Chief Executive Officer, Law Society of New Zealand

Panel: Nigel Savage, Chief Executive Officer, College of Law, London

Thinus Grobler, Director, Law Society of the Northern Provinces

Henry White, Chief Executive Officer, American Bar Association

1530 – 1545

Coffee

1615 – 1715

EVERYTHING YOU EVER WANTED TO KNOW ABOUT RUNNING A LAW SOCIETY BUT WERE AFRAID TO ASK. . . Hot Topics

Alan Ritchie, Chief Executive of the Law Society of New Zealand, will lead an Open Forum to give all Delegates an opportunity to air any live issues

1900

Reception and Dinner

Sponsored by the Canadian Law Societies and the Canadian Bar Association

Oval Restaurant at the Singapore Cricket Club

Connaught Drive

Saturday, October 13

Venue: Swissôtel Merchant Court, Elmwood Room

0900 – 1030

“BRAVEHEART”

Independence in the Legal Profession – Does it Matter?

Guest Speaker: **Sternford Moyo, Past President, Law Society of Zimbabwe**

Chair: Tim McGee, Chief Executive Officer, Law Society of British Columbia

Question and answer session

1030 – 1045

Coffee

1045 – 1145

“A MAN FOR ALL SEASONS”

Forum on Issues in International Legal Politics

Guest Speaker: **Fernando Pombo, President, International Bar Association**

Chair: Jan Martin, Chief Executive, Law Society of South Australia

1145 – 1230

“THE USUAL SUSPECTS”

Annual General Meeting of ILLACE

1930

Dinner for all delegates and guests

Sponsored by Willis

Raffles Hotel, Casuarina Suite A, Level 3

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