

ANNUAL CONFERENCE 2024

BORDEAUX 19 & 20 September

at Ibis Bordeaux Centre Mériadeck

35 Cours Maréchal Juin, Bordeaux

This year, the European Circuit is being welcomed to the wine capital of the world by the Bar of Bordeaux. As usual the conference will include high-quality discussions around a broad range of topics of interest to practitioners across Europe including legal issues relating to sports, arts and culture and modern challenges in dispute resolution. We will return to further aspects of AI, building on our discussions at last year's conference in Prague, and will also look at challenging cross-border issues in family and criminal law. Conference begins at 2pm on Thursday 19 September (registration from 1.30pm) and concludes with the Gala Dinner on Friday 20 September.

THE EVENT WILL BE OPENED BY CAROLINE LAVEISSIÈRE, THE BATONNIER OF THE BAR OF BORDEAUX, WHO WILL THEN JOIN VICE BÂTONNIER JÉRÔME DELAS, BARBARA MILLS KC, VICE CHAIR OF THE BAR OF ENGLAND AND WALES, AND ROBERT NĚMEC, PRESIDENT OF THE CZECH BAR ASSOCIATION, IN A BAR LEADERS DISCUSSION PANEL.

CONFIRMED SPEAKERS & CHAIRS INCLUDE:

Nii Anteson Partner, Sheridans, London | **Francoise Bonnaille-Valmorin** FBV Family Law | **Giuseppe Calabi** CBM & Partners, Milan | **David Casserly** SC Bar of Ireland | **Michael M Collins** SC Bar of Ireland | **Jean-Noel Couraud** Dénovo, Paris | **Jérôme Delas** Vice Bâtonnier of the Bar of Bordeaux | **Aoife Farrelly** BL Bar of Ireland | **Margaret Gray** KC SC Brick Court and Bar of Ireland | **Seán Guerin** SC Bar of Ireland | **Caroline Laveissière** Bâtonnier of the Bar of Bordeaux | **Lisa McClory** Digital Technologies Lead, D2 Legal Technology | **Philip Mead** 12 King's Bench Walk | **Hugh Mercer** KC Essex Court Chambers | **Barbara Mills** KC Vice Chair of the Bar of England and Wales | **Anne-Sophie Nardon** Borghese Associés and Alphalex Avocats, Paris | **Robert Němec** President of the Czech Bar Association | **HHJ Richard Pearce** Circuit Commercial Court, Manchester | **Amy Scollan** Partner, Hunters Law LLP | **Professor Oana Stefan** King's College London | **Mark Stiebel** Hunters Law LLP, London | **Carlos Villacorta** Managing Partner, BCVLex, Madrid and Bordeaux | **Dr Maria Wright** Hunters Law LLP

THE PROGRAMME ALSO INCLUDES:

A DRINKS RECEPTION AT THE LATITUDE 20, CITÉ DU VIN & GALA DINNER ON THE BANKS OF THE GIRONDE AT L'ESTACADE AND A VISIT TO THE STUNNING PALAIS DE JUSTICE

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