# **ICC THAILAND ARBITRATION DINNER TALK**

# "Negotiating Arbitration Agreements: The Cost of Compromise"

Negotiating a robust arbitration agreement is essential to efficiently resolving disputes, otherwise resources may be wasted on debating its terms, without even addressing the merits of the underlying dispute. So, what should you include in an arbitration agreement, and equally important, exclude? John will discuss the critical elements of arbitration agreements, including institutional model clauses and ad hoc (bespoke) agreements: what are the pitfalls, and what is best practice.



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John is a member of the International Dispute Resolution practice group. He is admitted in Western Australia, Victoria (Australia), Commonwealth of Australia, England and Wales, Hong Kong and before the Dubai International Financial Centre. His principal areas of practice are energy, oil and gas, natural resources, public international law, and finance.

John has acted as arbitration counsel and advocate in numerous international arbitrations, and has knowledge and experience of different legal systems, including European, CIS, Middle Eastern, African and Australian. He is also experienced with various institutional arbitration rules such as HKIAC, SIAC, ICC, LMAA, ACICA, GAFTA, LCIA, AAA, KLRCA and CIETAC.

Aside from arbitration, John has acted as both solicitor and counsel in proceedings before various Australian superior courts, Tribunals, Investigative Commissions, and in mediations.

### Thursday 15 February 2018 18.30 – 20.45 hrs Asoke I Room, Sheraton Grande Sukhumvit

(Sky train: Asoke Station Exit No. 5 or Subway: Sukhumvit Station Exit No. 3)

### PROGRAMME

18.30 – 19.00	Registration & Drinks	
19.00 – 20.30	Dinner and Presentation on	
	"Negotiating Arbitration Agreements: The Cost of Compromise"	
	by John Gerard Zadkovich	
20.30 - 20.45	Questions and Answers	
20.45	Adjournment	

### **REGISTRATION FEE:**

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