

1st Regional ICC YAF MENA Symposium

Venue: The Address, Dubai Mall
Dubai, UAE

Time & Date: 27 January 2013 – 8:30 am – 5:30 pm



**You are cordially invited to attend the 1st Regional ICC YAF MENA Symposium
FREE OF CHARGE**

The seminar will be an ideal forum for young practitioners to exchange thoughts on international arbitration, and to enrich their network in the region.

Who should attend?

Young Arbitration practitioners of 40 years old and under.

TOPICS ADDRESSED

- **Keynote speech by Dr. Habib Al Mulla:** General perspective on arbitration in the Middle East
- **Postcards from the Middle East:** a survey of recent trends in international arbitration in the region
- **Local courts and international arbitration in the UAE:** enhancing the dialogue
- **Managing international arbitration proceedings efficiently:** a road map
- **Impartiality and Independence of Arbitrators:** a recurring issue

PANEL MEMBERS

- **Alex Bevan**, Shearman & Sterling LLP, Abu Dhabi
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