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**EUROPEAN REGIONAL MEETING –
VIENNA, AUSTRIA
Friday, February 9, 2024**

PROGRAM AGENDA

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 2024

Join us Friday for an afternoon of programming, followed by an optional dinner.
The dinner is optional. *All costs associated will be the attendee's responsibility.*

13.00 - 17.30	<p>Programming Series</p> <p><u>Location:</u> CMS Reich-Rohrwig Hainz Rechtsanwälte GmbH Gauermannngasse 2 Vienna A-1010 AUSTRIA</p>	
13.00	Registration	
13.30	Welcome and Opening	Michele Smith, <i>IADC President, MehaffyWeber, Houston, TX USA</i>
13.45	Keynote Speaker	Marina Smelyanskaya, <i>United Nations Development Programme, Istanbul, Turkey</i>
	Role of the South Asian Judiciary Strengthening ESG and Climate Justice/Climate Finance Pursuant to Establishing the Commercial Court & Enforcing Foreign Awards	The Hon'ble Mr. Justice Jawad Hassan, <i>Lahore High Court, Lahore, Pakistan</i>
	Global Outlook on ESG Impact After Cop28 and Davos	Döne Yalçın, <i>IADC Chair of International Committee, CMS Türkiye, Istanbul, Turkey</i>
	Running a Legal Business in the Middle of War	Maria Orlyk, <i>CMS Reich-Rohrwig Hainz, Kyiv, Ukraine</i>
	The Strength of UK Law in a Changing Europe	Nick Emmerson, <i>President of the Law Society of England and Wales, Lewis Mathys Emmerson LLP, London, England</i>



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	Coffee Break	
	Why VIAC is the Premier International Arbitration Institution in Central and Eastern Europe	Anna Forstel-Cherng, <i>Deputy Secretary General of Vienna International Arbitral Centre, Vienna, Austria</i>
	EU Pioneering Digital & AI Regulations: Unveiling the Landscape of Emerging Tech Disputes	Martina Gavalec, <i>CMS Reich-Rohrwig Hainz, Bratislava, Slovakia</i>
	How France is Leading the Way for Corporate Sustainability Due Diligence	Thomas Rouhette, <i>Past IADC Board Member, Signature Litigation AARPI, Paris, France</i>
19.00	<p style="text-align: center;">Optional Dinner</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Join us for dinner after the programming. <i>Cost of dinner will be the attendee's responsibility.</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Location: Am Hof 8 Am Hof 8 1010 Vienna, Austria</p>	