

# IADC INTERNATIONAL ARBITRATION SKILLS ACADEMY

July 4, 2026

9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. | Taylor Wessing and CMS Prague | Prague, Czech Republic



The IADC presents the International Arbitration Skills Academy!

The International Arbitration Skills Academy is a full day program that will present attendees with a fictitious fact pattern involving an arbitration initiated by Mary Jane Smith and Peter Paul Miller as the Sellers of a business that operates retail stores for the sales of supplements. The Sellers allege the Buyer, JHZ Wellness, LLC, a company that sells skincare products online, breached its agreements with the Sellers by post-closing conduct that materially altered compensation due to the Sellers.

An international faculty will discuss the art of preparing cross examination of witnesses. Two fact witnesses and two expert witnesses will then be presented for attendees to cross during a mock arbitration proceeding. Don't miss this opportunity to refine your cross-examination skills for your next arbitration!

## PROGRAM AGENDA

9:00 a.m. - 9:15 a.m.	Welcome and introductions
9:15 a.m. - 10:15 a.m.	Overview of cross-examination
10:15 a.m. - 10:45 a.m.	Cross-examination demonstration of plaintiff and defense experts
10:45 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.	Small group preparation for cross-examinations
12:30 p.m. - 1:15 p.m.	Lunch break
1:15 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.	Mock cross-examinations
3:30 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.	Faculty feedback

## FEATURED FACULTY

**Tracey Cohen**, *Fasken Martineau, Vancouver, BC Canada*

**Anna Cook**, *Bristows LLP, London, United Kingdom*

**Damien Devot**, *Meyer Fabre Avocats, Paris, France*

**Daniela Karollus-Bruner**, *CMS Reich-Rohrwig Hainz Rechtsanwälte GmbH, Vienna, Austria*

**Anton Maurer**, *Anton Maurer International Legal Services Rechtsanwaltsgesellschaft MbH, Stuttgart, Germany*

**Jessie Zeigler**, *Bass, Berry & Sims PLC, Nashville, TN USA*

Please make sure you plan your travel to arrive on Friday, July 3 in order to start the Academy on Saturday morning, July 4.

## Register now for this complimentary academy!

IADC members need to be registered for the 2026 Annual Meeting to attend. A registration link is included in your Annual Meeting confirmation email. IADC members also can register a non-member colleague for the Arbitration Skills Academy. If you are an IADC member and are not attending the Annual Meeting but wish to send a non-member colleague to the Arbitration Skills Academy, please contact Leeza Abramovich at [labramovich@iadclaw.org](mailto:labramovich@iadclaw.org) for the link to register.

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