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**ETHICS IN TODAY'S TRANSACTIONAL AND
DISPUTE RESOLUTION PRACTICE: AN ENTIRELY NEW BALL GAME**

Outline of Presentation By

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- I will compare the certain aspects of the Ethics Guidelines for Latin American and the Caribbean that have been approved by the NYSBA to Ontario's Rules of Professional Conduct, including in respect of (1) Confidentiality; (2) Conflicts and (3) Competence.
- Secondly, I will comment on the jurisdictional issues that could arise in an arbitration. For example:
 - what rules of ethics and/or professional conduct would apply if the seat for an international arbitration was in Ontario, and involved counsel from Ontario and Latin America; and
 - what rules of ethics and/or professional conduct would apply if the seat for an international arbitration was in Latin America, and involved counsel from Ontario and Latin America.