

#### Who are we?

#### New York State Bar Association and the International Section

The New York State Bar Association (NYSBA) is the largest voluntary state bar organization in the United States and has members across the globe that have a nexus to New York law.

The International Section is one of NYSBA's most active sections having over 1,500 members internationally with chapters in more than 70 countries worldwide and is NYSBA's global representative and international advocate for the rule of law.

In addition, the NYSBA International Section brings members together to discuss and influence the resolution of key legal practice issues before local, state, national and international policy makers. Members include legal professionals from major international law firms, multi-national corporations, and other organizations that influence, and are influenced by, international law.

#### What is the Global Conference?

Each year, NYSBA's International Section hosts a conference in a different city outside of the United States to provide American and foreign colleagues the opportunity to meet, network, and expand their international practices. Our most recent conferences have been held in New York City, Tokyo, Montréal, Antigua, Guatemala, Paris, São Paulo, Vienna, Hanoi, Lisbon, Panama, Sydney and the list goes on!

This year, the conference will consist of three days of Continuing Legal Education (CLE) panels and plenaries, including, various hot topics in international law. The meeting also offers networking opportunities in the form of extended breaks, luncheons, receptions, dinners, including our traditional gala dinner, and social and cultural events.

# **Steering Committee**

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Gonzalo S. Zeballos, Baker & Hostetler LLP, New York, NY

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Carlos Ramos-Mrosovsky, Baker & Hostetler LLP, New York, NY Mariana Eguiarte-Morett, Sánchez Devanny, México City, México

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# **IMPORTANT INFORMATION**

# **Up to 15.5 NY MCLE Credits**

This program is transitional and approved for MCLE credit in New York for all attorneys, including those newly admitted.

The New York State Bar Association has been certified by the New York State Continuing Legal Education Board as an accredited provider of continuing legal education in the State of New York. For more information about the CLE Rules, visit NYCOURTS.GOV/ATTORNEYS/CLE.

## **Discounts and Scholarships**

New York State Bar Association ("NYSBA") members and non-members may receive financial aid to attend this program. Under this policy, anyone who requires financial aid may apply in writing, not later than 20 working days prior to the start of the program, explaining the basis of his/her hardship, and if approved, can receive a discount or scholarship, depending on the circumstances. To apply, fill out the tuition assistance application form at www.nysba.org/TuitionAssistanceForm/ and send your request to Holly Hirsch at: New York State Bar Association, One Elk Street, Albany, New York 12207, or hhirsch@nysba.org. Scholarships are for the CLE portion of the program only and not evening and social functions.

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#### **Dress Code**

- · Conference Panels, Plenaries and Lunches: Business Attire or Business Casual
- Wednesday and Thursday Receptions: Business Attire or Business Casual
- Friday Gala Reception and Dinner: Business Attire or Semi-Formal (ex. cocktail dresses and suits are appropriate)

#### **Account and Registration Assistance**

For account and registration assistance, we invite you to reach out to our Member Resource Center (MRC) at mrc@nysba.org or at 800-582-2452 / +1 (518) 463-3724.



# **ACCOMMODATION**

#### **MAIN HOTEL**

#### JW Marriott Hotel

Andrés Bello 29, Polanco, Polanco IV Secc, Miguel Hidalgo11560 Ciudad de México, CDMX

**Start Date:** Tuesday, October 10, 2023 **End Date:** Sunday, October 15, 2023

# Standard Room (Single or Double Occupancy):

- \$417.0550 USD per night (including VAT and City Tax)
- Mandatory gratuities (as per union)
  - o Bellboy \$5.50 USD per person in/out.
  - Housekeeping \$5.00 USD per room per night.

#### **Nonsmoking Policy:**

The Hotel is 100% smoke free facility, it is strictly forbidden to smoke within the hotel, in case this regulation is violated there is a **\$250.00 USD** fee for smoking (per day).

#### **Individual Reservation:**

- 1. Reach out to the hotel's Individual Reservations Department by phone at (52 55) 110-22010 or by email at reservaciones@marriott.com and identify as part of the group **New York State Bar Association** for the special group room rate to be honored.
- 2. Participants can also make their own sleeping room reservation through the Reservations Web Link provided by the hotel: Book Your Group/Corporate Rate | Marriott International

### Cut-off date: Monday, October 2, 2023

Note: Special group rate will only be respected as mentioned above, in case guest wants to come before or leave after event's dates, reservation will be confirmed with the rate the system shows at that moment.

#### OTHER NEARBY HOTEL OPTIONS

#### **InterContinental Presidente México City**

Campos Elíseos 218, Polanco, Col. Chapultepec Polanco, Miguel Hidalgo, 11560 Ciudad de México, CDMX, México

#### **Hyatt Regency México City**

Campos Eliseos. 204 Polanco Chapultepec, Polanco, Chapultepec, 11560 Ciudad de México, CDMX, México

#### **W México City**

Campos Elíseos 252, Polanco, Chapultepec, Miguel Hidalgo, 11560 Ciudad de México, CDMX, México

#### **Suites Obelisk**

Calle Julio Verne 28-30, Polanco, Polanco III Secc, Miguel Hidalgo, 11540 Ciudad de México, CDMX, México

#### **The Alest Hotel**

Eugenio Sue 45, Polanco, Polanco IV Secc, Miguel Hidalgo, 11550 Polanco, CDMX, México

#### **Habita Hotel**

Av. Pdte. Masaryk 201, Polanco, Polanco V Secc, Miguel Hidalgo, 11580 Ciudad de México, CDMX

# **AGENDA**

# New York State Bar Association International Section 2023 México Global Conference JW Marriott Hotel

Andrés Bello 29, Polanco, Polanco IV Secc, Miguel Hidalgo11560 Ciudad de México, CDMX <a href="https://nysba.org/international-section-2023-México-global-conference/">https://nysba.org/international-section-2023-México-global-conference/</a>

# Tuesday, October 10, 2023

3:00 pm-5:00 pm	Executive Committee Meeting   JW Marriott Hotel (Room: TBD) (For NYSBA International Section Executive Committee Members only)
7:00 pm	Executive Committee Dinner   Venue: TBD (For NYSBA International Section Executive Committee Members only)

# DAY 1 - Wednesday, October 11, 2023

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Registration   Outside of the Los Morales and Campos Eliseos Rooms				
Arrival Coffee Break   Outside of the Los Morales and Campos Eliseos Rooms				
Welcome Remarks   Chapultepec Room Gonzalo Zeballos, International Section Chair, New York State Bar Association Sherry Levin Wallach, Immediate Past President, New York State Bar Association				
PLENARY 1   Chapultepec Room				
Investment in México: Challenges and Opportunities				
This panel will delve into the evolving landscape of investment in México, with particular emphasis on the legal and economic dimensions, providing insights for those considering venturing into the Mexican market, engaging in cross-border transactions, or exploring expansion strategies. Topics to be discussed, include the following:  1. Nearshoring:  a. industrial space availability  b. status of infrastructure and services (electricity and water supply, as well as the compelling shifts towards cleaner and sustainable energy solutions)				

- c. regional opportunities, and
- d. subsidies
- 2. Sustainability:
  - a. considerations in investment decisions, and
  - b. innovative sustainable financial products currently offered in México.
- 3. Economic Environment: insights into México's macroeconomic environment including presidential elections, fiscal policy, and exchange rate.
- 4. Investors' Concerns: address matters such as security, rule of law and others.
- 5. Investment Alternatives: M&A, JVs, financials and capital markets alternatives.

The panel seeks to furnish attendees with a view of opportunities and challenges within the Mexican investment arena. It is designed to empower businesses, service providers, private investors, and regulators looking to engage in México's burgeoning market.

#### **Moderator:**

Michell Nader, Nader, Hayaux & Goebel, México

### Panelists:

Felipe Garcia Ascencio, Banco Santander México, México

Carlos Mendoza, Discovery Americas, México

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10:45 am-11:15 am

Networking Break | Outside of the Los Morales and Campos Eliseos Rooms

11:15 am - 12:15 pm Panels 1 to 3

Track 1 – Non-Competition	Track 2 – Diversity & Inclusion	Track 3 – Healthcare
Covenants PANEL 1   Los Morales Room	PANEL 2   Campos Eliseos Room 1	PANEL 3   Campos Eliseos Room 2
The Assault upon the Citadel of Non- Competition Covenants	Female Leadership – Challenges through the Corporate Ladder	The Transformation of Healthcare through Technology: Opportunities and Challenges
Non-Competition Covenants have historically been used to protect the reasonable interests of a business in a transactional or employment context. There is now a strong backlash against these clauses in North America through court decisions and amendments to employment-related legislation. Our panelists will discuss these changes and how they may affect cross-border activities by companies in the United States. Our panellists will also discuss best practices for drafting non-compete covenants and ensuring their enforcement in litigation or arbitration.  Moderator:  Jay L. Himes, Formerly Office of the NY State Attorney General, USA	This panel will discuss the challenges professional women face in having their voices heard in the decision-making process within their organizations. Our panelists will also discuss new approaches to inclusion and equality in the workplace, as well as how organizations can incentivize the role of women in managerial and decision-making roles.  Moderator: Mariana Eguiarte-Morett, Sánchez-DeVanny, México  Panelists: Adriana Ibarra-Fernandez, Baker & McKenzie, México  Bertha Ordaz, McKinsey & Company, México	Our panel features a roundtable discussion among relevant healthcare stakeholders and lawyers engaged in the industry. In particular, this panel focuses on new developments in the healthcare sector in México and on the crucial role of technology. Panelists will address (i) remote alternatives for patients (Telemedicine); (ii) Specialization Centers; (iii) Logistics and supplies; (iv) Prevention as a key focus; (v) Real Time Interactions and Telecommunications; (vi) Al as the foundation for diagnoses and improving healthcare decisions; (vii) Medical Devices; (viii) the collection of patients information and data, behavior, needs and preferences; and (ix) legal strategies for stakeholders to interact
<b>Panelists:</b> François Berbinau, BFPL Avocats,	Olga Prieto, Alcon Laboratorios México, México	and access benefits through partnerships and/or M&A as an expansion strategy. Panelists will also
France Lawrence E. Buterman, Latham & Watkins LLP, USA	Bertha Serrano, Mizuho Bank México, México	discuss challenges and opportunities for the supply of financial services (insurance and financing), service providers, private investors, and
Jennifer Mellott, Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer, UK	1.0 CLE Credit in Diversity, Inclusion and Elimination of Bias	regulators and what legal practitioners need to know about this changing
Carlos Orci Berea, Mijares Angoitia Cortés y Fuentes, México		sector.  Moderator:
Chris Semerjian, Fasken Martineau DuMoulin LLP, Canada		Allan Watts, RGA, México (retired), Sofia México (Board Member)
		Panelists:

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Diego Gomez Palacio, BUPA México, México

Luciano Pérez G., Partner of Nader, Hayaux & Goebel, México City, México

Jessica L. Vaughn, Wiley Rein LLP, USA

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12:15 pm-12:45 pm Networking Break | Outside of the Los Morales and Campos Eliseos Rooms

12:45 pm-1:45pm Panels 4 to 6 Track 1 – Fintech

PANEL 4 | Los Morales Room

# The Era of Digital Economy: Fintech Disruption and Industry

This panel will discuss the disruptive impact of the fintech wave, including exploration of emerging trends concerning lending platforms, tokenized debt, and the evolving role of financial intermediaries, as well as the potential benefits, risks and challenges posed by the fintech ecosystem. Our panelists will shed light on the fintech ecosystem's evolving regulatory frameworks and the potential for growth and innovation and provide valuable insights into the legal challenges and opportunities presented by fintech.

#### **Moderator:**

Outlook

Jorge Lopez, Sánchez-Devanny, México

Gerold Niggemann, Hughes Hubbard & Reed, USA

#### Panelists:

Pedro Cetina, Addem Capital, México

Javad Husain, Hughes Hubbard & Reed, USA

Ariel Lupa, Covalto, México

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# Track 2 - Legal Technology PANEL 5 | Campos Eliseos Room 1

## Reimagining Law: Harnessing Technology for Innovative Legal Practice – A Diverse Dialogue with Private Practitioners and Corporate Counsel on the New Horizon of Legal Technology

This panel aims to initiate a diverse and enriching dialogue between private practitioners and corporate counsels on the evolving landscape of Legaltech. As technology continues to revolutionize various aspects of life, the legal profession is no exception. This panel will delve into the experiences and insights of legal experts actively engaging with innovative technologies in their practice, discussing the opportunities, challenges, and future prospects of Legaltech. It will serve as a for sharing knowledge, platform fostering collaboration, and envisioning the future of legal practice in the digital age.

#### **Moderators:**

Eduardo Calderon, BLP Legal, Costa Rica

Daniel Legaspi, Santamarina y Steta, México

#### Panelists:

Xavier Careaga, Digital Lawyer, México

Christopher Komari, Komari & Alkhasoneh LLP, USA

Sandra Monroy, Uber, México Gerardo Silva, Solera, INC, México

### Track 3 - Trade

# PANEL 6 | Campos Eliseos Room 2

#### All the World is Trade

Our panel features a roundtable discussion by international attorneys from the U.S., the EU, Canada, México, and South America with decades of experience advising on international trade issues. Whether you are advising on establishing a company, sourcing from a new supplier, cross-border transactions, or an M&A deal, our panelists will address the "hot" trade issues: Sanctions (e.g., Russia. Forced Labor Belarus), **Import** Restrictions (e.g., Xinjiang, Malaysia, and new Mexican and Canadian legislation). US-México-Canada Agreement, Trade M&A Due Diligence, Brexit, and other issues that your clients must deal with now and for the foreseeable future.

#### **Moderator:**

Angela M. Santos, ArentFox Schiff, USA

#### Panelists:

Sabrina A. Bandali, Bennett Jones LLP, Canada

Mauro Berenholc, Pinheiro Neto, Brazil

Glen Kelley, Jacobson Burton Kelley PLLC, USA

Eduardo Sotelo, Sánchez-Devanny, México

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1:45 pm-3:15 pm

Lunch | Chapultepec Room

3:15 pm-4:15 pm

Panels 7 to 9

Track 1 - Data Privacy

# Safeguarding Data Privacy in

PANEL 7 | Los Morales Room

Mergers and Acquisitions: **Navigating the Path to Success** 

This panel aims to shed light on the critical role of data privacy in the context of mergers and acquisitions (M&A). As companies increasingly rely on data for decision-making, it is paramount address to the challenges implications and surrounding data privacy during the M&A process. Increasingly, data protection and cyber security issues affect the value of a corporation and finding out about a data breach or data privacy issue can be a dealbreaker. Our panelists will explore various aspects related to data such as legal privacy, considerations, cybersecurity risks, and ethical implications. Through their expertise and insights, they will provide practical guidance and strategies to ensure that data privacy is effectively managed throughout M&A transactions. safeguarding ultimately the interests of both the companies involved and their stakeholders.

#### **Moderator:**

Alejandro Maria Massot, Randle Legal, Argentina

#### Panelists:

Rosa M. Ertze, Duane Morris LLP, New York, USA

Paola Morales, Santamarina y Steta, México

Tomoyuki Otsuki, Kyndryl, Japan

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#### Track 2 - Securities

PANEL 8 | Campos Eliseos Room 1

México's Securities Market Law: A Comprehensive Exploration of Regulatory Frameworks. Recent **Amendments and New Opportunities to** Access the Securities Markets in México and Abroad

Deep dive into the Securities Regulation in Mexico, as the panelists navigate the complex legal and financing landscape surrounding securities regulations. sustainable compliance and development. This panel will provide valuable insights into the legal considerations and challenges Mexican and international companies operating or entering into the securities market.

Led by legal experts and securities markets participants and analysts, panelists will examine key provisions of the law, explore recent developments, and discuss new opportunities and structures to participate, emerge and transform within the securities markets in Mexico and abroad. Discuss case of success of Dual Listing in European (BMGrowht) and Mexican markets.

#### Moderator:

Jimena González de Cossío, Chevez Ruiz Zamarripa, México

#### Panelists:

María Ariza, BIVA (Bolsa Institucional de Valores), México

Juan Alberto Leautaud, BlackRock, México

Enrique Riquelme, Cox-Abengoa, México

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# Track 3 – Investor-State Arbitration

PANEL 9 | Campos Eliseos Room 2

#### ISDS Reform at ICSID and UNCITRAL, what does the future hold?

Our panel will address recent changes in the architecture of investor-state arbitration includina the 2022 amendments to the rules and regulations of the World Bank's International Centre for Settlement of Investment Disputes (ICSID) and recent adoption of a Code of Conduct for Arbitrators in International Investment Disputes by the United Nations Commission on International Trade Law (UNCITRAL) earlier this year. Our panel, including members of the ICSID panel of arbitrators, experienced practitioners and representation from the litigation funding community will discuss the implications of these new rules and what the future may hold, with an emphasis on investor-state disputes in the Americas.

#### **Moderator:**

Bouke Boersma, Houthoff, USA

#### Panelists:

Analia Gonzalez, Baker Hostetler, USA/Uruguay

Andrew Stulce, Longford Capital, Chicago, IL

Nancy Thevenin, US Council for International Business, USA

Ricardo Vásquez Urra, Vásquez Urra Abogados, Chile

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4:15 pm-4:45 pm

Networking Break | Outside of the Los Morales and Campos Eliseos Rooms

Track 1 - FTX

**Track 2 – Cybersecurity** 

Track 3 – M&A

PANEL 12 | Campos Eliseos Room 2

PANEL 10 | Los Morales Room

# Digital Assets (a.k.a. What the F\*T\*X?)

In 2022, we saw a number of highprofile collapses in the industry (FTX, Voyager, Three Arrows, Terra, Genesis). Regulators already had crypto assets firmly in their sights and these high-profile collapses have only heighted the call for more government intervention. consensus appears to be to regulate rather than eliminate, but the various regulatory approaches are distinct. In early 2023, US regulators significantly ramped enforcement activities to new levels, adopting an explicit "regulation by enforcement approach" against the biggest players in the market. Enforcement action in some other jurisdictions, by contrast, have been relatively modest perhaps to attract digital assets, which remain perhaps surprisingly resilient and attractive to investors, into existing financial services regime. These differences in approach perhaps highlight the challenges of an industry that the markets are in many ways still struggling to understand but that shows few signs of disappearing.

#### **Moderator:**

Helen Naves, H•Naves Advogados, Brazil

# Panelists:

Zygmunt Brett, BLP Legal, El Salvador

Nahila Cortes, Baker Hostetler, USA Alejandro Linares, ECIJA, México

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# Technology, Cybersecurity and Ethics: Lawyers Under Attack

PANEL 11 | Campos Eliseos Room 1

Lawyers and law firms are regular targets of cybercriminals and hold client and employee data they are required to keep confidential and private. Risk management needs to change rapidly to deal with new threats and developing multinational cybersecurity and data privacy regulation. Methods for meeting ethical and compliance obligations must change with them as well. What do lawyers need to know about these issues and how to deal with them? The panel will discuss such matters as:

- What cybersecurity concerns affect providing services to clients?
- What are the ethical obligations that must be met in addressing these issues?
- What are the risks to lawyers for failing to understand the technology they use?
- Why isn't this just an IT issue?

What are the potential costs to your firm and your clients of failing to take adequate security measures? How can you mitigate them?

#### **Moderators:**

Andre R. Jaglom, Tannenbaum Helpern Syracuse & Hirschtritt, USA

Ana Sofia Ríos Artigas, Chevez Ruiz Zamarripa, México

#### Panelists:

Jonathan Armstrong, Cordery, London

John Leitner, SentiLink, USA

Carlos Mauricio Mirandola, CMSquare Investments, Brazil

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# The New M&A Reality: A Market Check

We are living in a new world. Supply chains, geopolitical conditions, trade and national security issues, new demographic realities and impact of technology and artificial intelligence, among other things all impact M&A transactions. Our panel will consider from a holistic perspective this new reality and the legal and economic trends that result from the new normal. Compliance issues are constantly evolving and need to be considered in the workflow. Parties now, more than ever, must consider how to conduct due diligence, negotiate deal documents, including risk-shifting provisions, and prepare for integration in this new reality. Our panel will share perspectives from the standpoints of the business team, in-house counsel, outside counsel, investment bankers. and other participants in complex transactions, while considering the complexity parties must consider when considering, negotiating, and closing deals.

#### Moderators:

Jorge A. León Orantes Baena, Santamarina y Steta, México

Jeff Jefferson, Locke Lord, USA

#### Panelists:

Luis Miguel Briola Clément, Grupo Bimbo, S.A.B. de C.V., México

Rafael Helguero Ruiz, Capstone Advisors, México City, México.

Francisco Javier Lomelín Anaya, Colliers International México, México City, México

Christopher Matteson, Kroll, USA

Alejandro Sampedro, Llorente y Cuenca, México

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5:45 pm	End of program
6:30 pm 7:10 pm	Transportation from the JW Marriott Hotel to the Soumaya Museum   Meet at the main lobby of the hotel.  1st set of buses departs (If full, the rest of the attendees will have take the 7:10pm buses.)  2nd set of buses departs
7:00 pm-11:30 pm	Welcome Reception   Soumaya Museum Address: Blvd. Miguel de Cervantes Saavadera, Granada, Miguel Hidalgo, 11529 Ciudad de México, CDMX Dress code: Business attire or business casual
9:00 p.m. onwards	Transportation from the Soumaya Museum back to the JW Marriott Hotel every 30 minutes starting at 9:00 p.m.

# DAY 2 - Thursday, October 12, 2023

8:00 am-5:00 pm	Registration   Outside the Main Room					
9:00 am-10:00 am	PLENARY 2   Chapultepec Room					
	Stay Ahead of ESG Regulations: Mexican Taxonomy Highlights					
	This ESG Panel will address the need for a standardized approach to ESG regulation in Latam. The region is geographically key for addressing climate change challenges and a key destination for investment in sustainable projects. México has recently launched a new initiative to attract capital and financing for the transition to sustainability. Our panel will among other things address what lessons México can draw from the energy transition in the United States and how U.S. and Mexican companies and other stakeholders may work together to build a more sustainable future.					
	<b>Moderator:</b> Mercedes Haddad, Creel, García-Cuéllar, Aiza y Enríquez, S.C., México					
	Panelists: Alba Aguilar, Mexican Council for Sustainable Finance (Consejo Mexicano de Finanzas Sostenibles), México					
	Ignacio Lagos, Cleary Gottlieb, USA					
	José Luis Muñoz, Banorte, México					
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	Sponsored by Sanchez DeVanny					
10:00 am-10:15 am	Networking Break   Outside of the Los Morales and Campos Eliseos Rooms					
10:15 am - 11:15 am	Panels 13 to 15					
Track 1 - D	,					
PANEL 13   Los Morale	es Room PANEL 14   Campos Eliseos Room 1 PANEL 15   Campos Eliseos Room 2					

#### If You Go Woke, Can You Go Broke?

This panel will explore the tensions between two legal trends. On the one hand, some states and the federal government in the US either now require or have proposed to various environmental require and/or DEI (Diversity, Equity and Inclusion) disclosures and investment screens. On the other, some states have imposed countervailing obligations, to either forbid or penalize companies that, for example, are seen as hostile to fossil fuel companies or that have internalized programs. Companies fear getting caught in the middle and these challenges are especially acute for non-US companies that may be obligated by the law of other jurisdictions to incorporate ESG into management and/or investment decisions.

This panel will set out and contextualize the applicable issues, assess the legal landscape, and suggest how companies can navigate these perilous waters. There will also be a special focus on México.

#### **Moderator:**

TBD

#### Panelists:

**TBD** 

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# International Arbitration in Environment & Climate Change Disputes

Our panel will address the latest developments in the international arbitration of environmental and climate change-related disputes. Topics to be addressed will include the intersecetion of investor-state arbtiration and climate issues; how ESG standards and modern environmental regulation will impact the practice of investor-state commercial disputes, and whether commercial arbitration provides a suitable forum for dealing with environmental and climate change disputes.

#### **Moderator:**

Roberto Fernández del Valle Mittenzwey, Santamarina y Steta, México

#### Panelists:

Katie Gonzalez, Cleary Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton, USA

Lucas Loviscek, Quinn Emanuel Urquhart & Sullivan, USA

Cindy Rayo, Independent Arbitrator, Trade and Investment Attorney, México

Dr. Herfried Wöss, Wöss & Partners, México, USA, and Austria

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# Key Points for Corporate Sustainability

This multidisciplinary panel will focus on key points and best practices for assuring and enhancing corporate sustainability practice in the post-pandemic era, with special emphasis on companies operating in the Americas.

#### **Moderators:**

Ninna Rippa Solorzano, World Fuel Services, Miami, FL, USA

Luis Gerardo Ramirez Villela, Müggenburg, Gorches y Peñalosa, S.C. México City, México

#### Panelists:

Steffani Betancourt, Urbanista, México City, México

Víctor Martinez Violante, Si Vale, México City, México

Ana María Oñate, Corpag, Bogotá, Colombia

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11:15 pm-11:45 pm Networking Break | Outside of the Los Morales and Campos Eliseos Rooms

11:45 am-12:45 pm Panels 16 to 18

Track 1 – Sustainable Financing

PANEL 16 | Los Morales Room

# **Shaping the Future: Sustainable Financing**

Our panelists will engage in discussions and exchange ideas on various aspects of sustainable financing and capital markets, including the role of financial

Track 2 - Energy Transition Disputes

PANEL 17 | Campos Eliseos Room 1

#### **Energy Transition Disputes**

Companies are transitioning to cleaner energy sources, and their efforts to do so will presumably – hopefully-increase over time in an exponential manner. A byproduct of this transition is the generation of disputes in the space. What types of disputes are now

Track 3 – Climate Governance

PANEL 18 | Campos Eliseos Room 2

## Climate Governance: Creating Awareness for Board of Directors

Our panelists will address the role of company directors in addressing climate emergency and its risks, as well as the resulting obligations and potential liabilities for directors. Topics to be addressed will include directors'

promoting institutions in sustainability, the development of green and social bonds, regulatory frameworks, investor perspectives and successful case studies.

The panel aims to foster a deeper understanding of the potential for sustainable financing and capital markets and to inspire collaboration stakeholders among kev accelerate the transition to a more sustainable and resilient economy.

#### **Moderator:**

José Berrueta, Sánchez-Devanny, México

#### Panelists:

Werner Ahlers, Sullivan & Cromwell, **USA** 

Rubén Coppel, BanCoppel, México

Ana Karen Mora, FIBRA UNO, México

Iker Vinageras, BIVA, México

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emerging worldwide from private companies' efforts to perform their energy transition goals, and what types of disputes will emerge in the foreseeable future? What industries will be most affected and why? What is the situation in México in light of changes in applicable legislation regulations, and the challenges against them before the Federal Judiciary? Our panelists will discuss these pertinent issues and their relevance for foreign investors in México's clean energy sector.

#### **Moderator:**

Adrián Magallanes, Von Wobeser y Sierra, S.C., México City, México

#### Panelists:

Gerardo Canseco, Chevez Ruiz Zamarripa, México

Pablo Lopez Zadicoff, Compass Lexecon, USA

Antonio Massieu, Agon, Economía y Derecho, México City, México

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fiduciary and diligence duties and their responsibilities with respect to climate risks facing the company and securing the sustainable transition of the company.

In this context, the panel will discuss how the effects of the climate emergency have prompted a transition to sustainable business models and how companies are adopting principles of climate governance with the purpose of identifying and managing current and potential risks at a board of director's level.

The panel includes highly recognized experts and practitioners in the field with broad experience in the Mexican sustainability sector.

#### **Moderator:**

Yves Hayaux-du-Tilly L., Nader, Hayaux & Goebel, México

#### Panelists:

Marisol Mendoza Castillo, Great Wall Motor Mexico, México

Aidee Olmos, HSBC México, México

Gregorio Saichin, Impact Boards EM, UK

Cecilia Turriago, Enercar and FIBRAeMX, México

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12:45 pm-1:15 pm

Networking Break | Outside of the Los Morales and Campos Eliseos Rooms

1:15 pm-2:15 pm

Panels 19 to 21

Track 1 - ESG

Track 2 - Environmental Disputes

Track 3 - Diversity & Inclusion PANEL 21 | Campos Eliseos Room 2

#### PANEL 19 | Los Morales Room

# **Sustainability Unveiled: LATAM** Funds' ESG Trends and Regulatory Landscape

Panel discussion that explores the rapidly evolving landscape of Environmental, Social, and Governance (ESG) trends in Latin American funds. With a focus on the interplay between existing regulations and the growing demand from investors, this panel will delve into the legal aspects of ESG considerations and the impact on transnational companies.

# PANEL 20 | Campos Eliseos Room 1

## The Multiple Dimensions of **Environmental Disputes and its Effective Resolution**

A single environmental incident can give rise to different types of intertwined claims and issues that need to be strategically resolved through coordinated efforts to effectively resolve dispute. the corresponding Simultaneous administrative and constitutional law litigation, class actions, and criminal law proceedings, running in parallel with communications

# When and Why Diversity Improves your Board's Performance

The panel will discuss what board diversity means and how it contributes to its performance. Is it just a social trend or does a diverse boardroom can have a positive impact on a company? Our panelists will give their point of view of the importance of including a significant number of people who come from various professional backgrounds and belong to different races and ethnicities. They will also discuss the implications of the Securities and

Our panel of experts, including representatives from leading funds, will shed light on the emerging ESG policies, practices, and reporting frameworks driving sustainable investments in Latin America.

Gain insights into the demands and expectations of investors in relation to ESG criteria. Including the complex world of ESG in Latin American funds, uncover legal strategies for compliance, and understand how ESG considerations reshaping the investment landscape in the region.

#### **Moderator:**

Debby Mckey, Sánchez-Devanny, México

#### Panelists:

Andrés Pliego, Discovery Americas, México

Grecia Dominguez Levva, Nexxus Capital, México

Luisa Mejia, BlackRock, México

Amanda N. Urquiza, Wilson Sonsini, USA

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2:15 pm-3:45 pm

Lunch | Chapultepec Room

3:45 pm-5:05 pm Track 1 - Energy Transition

Panels 22 to 24

PANEL 22 | Los Morales Room

## **Energy Transition: Present or** Future?

Our panel will present a comparative view of legal and business trends facing the energy sector as it transitions to a more sustainable future. Topics to be addressed include the Conversion of traditional international oil companies into energy companies, decisions taken at the 2023 United Nations Climate Change Conference ("COP 28"), the future roles of hydrogen, carbon capture and storage, and nuclear

campaigns, community engagement plans, and different sorts of interested parties, are frequent scenarios. Our panelists will discuss their experience in handling the response to environmental incidents, share war stories, and discuss their do's and don'ts when dealing with these complex cases.

#### Moderator:

Edmond Grieger, Von Wobeser y Sierra, México

#### Panelist:

Ana Bobadilla, González Calvillo, México

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("SEC") Exchange Commission approved Nasdag's Board Diversity Rule, that require listed companies to have at least two diverse board members.

#### Moderators:

Vanessa Oquelí, García & Bodán, Honduras

Alejandra Almonte, Miller & Chevalier, USA

#### Panelists:

Claudia Janez, Independent Board Member, México

Laura Dinora Martinez, Martinez Salinas Abogado and Board Member at GRUMA, México

Cristina Massa, Gonzalez Calvillo, México

Carolina Machado, Uber, México

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Track 2 - ESG

PANEL 23 | Campos Eliseos Room 1

### **Balancing Acts: Navigating ESG Considerations in International Arbitration**

Companies and particularly MNEs are growing commercial under and regulatory pressure to uphold ESG (Environmental, Social, and Governance) principles in their operations and comply with disclosure obligations that may vary across jurisdictions. Managing ESG-related risks requires the meticulous implementation of appropriate internal policies, adequate contractual provisions across their

Track 3 - M&A

PANEL 24 | Campos Eliseos Room 2

## **ESG Trends in M&A Transactions** Around the World

While addressing the relevant ESG matters in an M&A transaction, we will present a Case (hypothetical) in which a UK entity is buying a target with subsidiaries in USA, Portugal, México, Argentina, and Central America.

Our panel will address the relevant issues to consider in the different phases of a transaction (from the LOI, to the Due Diligence and discuss important R&W's to be included in a

power in a future net-zero energy mix, risks and opportunities in financing the energy transition, competition over the supply of energetics and critical minerals and metals for energy storage, and what all of the above may mean for international legal practice in the energy sector.

#### **Moderator:**

Diana Pineda, Gonzalez Calvillo, México

#### Panelists:

Felipe Alice, Morgan Lewis, USA

Fernanda Ballesteros, Natural Resource Governance Institute, México

Raquel Bierzwinsky, Norton Rose, USA

Shirley Wagner, AES México, México Páblo Zárate, FTI Consulting, USA

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supply chains, and proper due diligence in their foreign direct investment strategies decision-making and processes. Assessing companies' compliance with these obligations is giving rise to an increasing number of novel disputes both in commercial and investment arbitration. The inclusion of ESG-related provisions in commercial contracts and in investment treaties requires to analyze the suitability of arbitration to resolve ESG disputes, the challenges faced, and how ESG matters are reshaping paradigms in international arbitration.

this During panel discussion, international arbitration practitioners and leaders will discuss practical examples of the types of ESG disputes in both commercial and investment treaty claims. They will share their views on the suitability of international arbitration to apprehend these complex disputes that will often involve issues of public concern with stakeholders demanding transparency and broader involvement in a fundamentally consent-based resolution process. They will discuss the impact that ESG matters are having on the role of arbitration stakeholders: arbitrators, parties, arbitral institutions, and third-party funders, and how international arbitration can be a driving force for more sustainable responsible dispute resolution practices.

#### **Moderator:**

Aurélie Arenales Huet, BFPL Avocats, France

#### Panelists:

José E. Arvelo, Covington & Burling, USA

Marlen Estevez Sanz, RocaJunyent, Spain

Francisco González de Cossío, González de Cossío Abogados, México

Carlos Ramos-Mrosovsky, Baker Hostetler, USA

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SPA) and how to prevent a transaction from converting into a complete nightmare while dealing with ESG matters.

#### **Moderators:**

Pablo García Morillo, Marval O'Farrell Mairal, Argentina

Fernando Hernández Gómez, Vázquez Aldana, Hernández Gómez & Asociados, México

#### Panelists:

Pedro País de Almeida, Abreu Advogados, Portugal

Jorge Luis Arenales, BLP Legal, Guatemala

Mildred Ojea, Ojea & Associates LLC, USA

Brad Richards/Valisa Berber, Thayer, Haynes and Boone, LLC, USA

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5:05 pm

End of program

7:00 pm-11:00 pm

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Note: Transportation will not be provided. The venue is an 11-min walk from JW Marriott.

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# DAY 3 - Friday, October 13, 2023

8:00 am-5:00 pm	Registration   Outside the Main Room
9:00 am-10:00 am	PLENARY 3   Chapultepec Room
	From Global to Local: Nearshoring Business Landscape
	Global events such as the pandemic, trade tensions, and wars have made Nearshoring the prime solution for companies due to the advantages of shortening supply chains and sourcing from countries closer to the end markets. In the case of U.S. businesses, nearshoring most often means sourcing from or manufacturing in México.
	México presents a great opportunity for companies to settle and exploit the preferential treatment that the FTAs, such as the USMCA, gives to all companies producing and exporting from México. However, México also represents great challenges that investors should take into consideration before their site-selection process is underway. Our panel will discuss how the disruption of the global supply chain has reshaped business operations and sourcing.
	Panelists: Alejandro Delgado, JA del Rio, México
	Ildefonso Guajardo Villareal, Member of the National House of Representatives for Nuevo Leon State
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10:00 am-10:30 am	Networking Break   Outside of the Los Morales and Campos Eliseos Rooms
10:30 am - 11:30 am	Panels 25 to 27

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Track 1 - Foreign Direct Investment	Track 2 - Insolvency	Track 3 – Labor Rights		
PANEL 25   Los Morales Room	PANEL 26   Campos Eliseos Room 1	PANEL 27   Campos Eliseos Room 2		
Cross Border Investments in the	Current Issues in Cross Border	USMCA: Commercial Sanctions for		
Light of Regulations on Foreign	Insolvency Practice: The Good, The	Violation to Labor Rights		
Direct Investment (FDI)	Bad, and The Ugly	Violation to Labor Rights		
Direct investment (FDI)	bau, and the ogly	This was allowed discours was and access to		
		This panel will discuss recent cases in		
The scope and number of	The divisive issues in recent cross	which manufacturing companies have		
restrictions on foreign direct	border insolvencies will be discussed by	faced potential commercial sanctions		
investment have increased	the panel. Among the more relevant	for alleged violations of labor rights		
tremendously in the past few years.	topics will be the role of experienced	specifically related to Freedom of		
	counsel and investment advisors in	Association and Protection of the Right		
In the US, CFIUS review has become		3		
increasingly complex and exacting	complex cases; the growing access by	to Organize.		
while other countries have gone	LATAM major corporates to voluntary			
from having no such regulations to	Chapter 11, as a proven and useful tool	We will discuss the remedial actions		
increasingly powerful	to pursue meaningful restructurings;	provided by the USMCA, as well as the		

ones. Regulatory restrictions on foreign investment have serious implications for trade, cooperation, and development and therefore for businesses and consumers' access to products and services. Their application may also be controversial and prone to claims of politicization.

Our panel will discuss regulations, the practical impact of regulations on foreign investment and what to keep in mind when considering investments or acquisitions of businesses in restricted sectors. Panelists will consider the relative scope of such regulations across LATAM countries, the US, and Europe.

#### **Moderators:**

Carl-Olof Bouveng, Cobolo Advokat AB, Stockholm, Sweden

Monica Smith, Wachtell, Lipton, Rosen & Katz, New York, NY

#### Panelists:

Alvaro Aguilar, Lombardi Aguilar Group, Panama

Mónica Cortina, British Embassy, México

Fernando Eraña, Pérez Correa González, México

Pedro A. Garcia Ampudia, Mijares, Angoitia, Cortés y Fuentes, México

Italo Martins, Mannheimer, Perez e Lyra Advogados, Brazil

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automatic stays, protective orders, reliance and on competent а knowledgeable judiciary, timing, transparency, DIP financing, and what has worked (and what has not) including the matter of significant costs-, will be the subject of an interactive and practical discussion.

Additionally, reference will be made to the success and cost-efficient use of pre-packed processes by LATAM based companies, as well as the generalized failure of involuntary petitions filed in the US. As one size does not fit all, the panel will contrast the tools and alternatives available in the principal LATAM jurisdictions, such as concurso mercantil- and perhaps in the UK and the EU, and other more unorthodox substitutes, such as recent corporate liquidations. Other points which will be considered will include: (i) the thorny issue of recognitions of foreign proceedings; (ii) how bankruptcy remote vehicles failed in recent cases and why; (iii) third party releases, especially guarantors; and (iv) the growing clashes among lenders of the same class, especially in DIP financing situations (who gets the better deal?).

#### **Moderator:**

Thomas Heather, Creel, García-Cuéllar, Aiza y Enríquez, México

#### Panelists:

Mariana Campos, Barclays, México Brock Edgar, FTI Consulting, Canada Timothy Graulich, Davis Polk, USA Jane VanLare, Cleary Gottlieb, USA

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arbitration panel designed by that treaty to address violations of labor rights, as well as landmark cases and steps that companies can take to manage risk and assure compliance with applicable labor standards.

#### Moderator:

Jaime Rodriguez, Ibarra del Paso y Gallego, México

#### Panelists:

Elena Baca, Paul Hastings, USA

April Boyer, K&L Gates, USA

Rodrigo Solá Torino, Marval, O'Farrel & Mairal, Argentina

Roberto Velasco Álvarez, Viceminister of Foreign Affairs for North America (Subsecretario Relaciones de Exteriores para América del Norte)

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Networking Break | Outside of the Los Morales and Campos Eliseos Rooms 11:30 am-12:00 pm

12:00 pm-1:00pm Panels 28 to 30

Track 1 - Energy Law Track 2 – Investment PANEL 28 | Los Morales Room

PANEL 29 | Campos Eliseos Room 1

The Evolution of Investment Protection and Investor-State Arbitration in the **Americas Region** 

Track 3 - Tax PANEL 30 | Campos Eliseos Room 2

101 Do's & Don'ts When Investing in Mexico

# **Challenges in Nearshoring** Landscape

This panel delves into the intricate legal and strategic challenges surrounding energy and natural resource management in context of nearshoring. Industry leaders and environmental experts will spearhead the exploration of the complexities involved in sourcing and efficiently managing energy resources for nearshoring operations. With a particular focus on the energy and water shortage in México, our panelists will shed light regulatory compliance. sustainability considerations, and innovative solutions that drive successful nearshoring ventures in the energy sector. This panel will provide valuable insights into the legal frameworks, the current government situation, environmental implications, and strategic approaches essential for navigating and capitalizing on nearshoring opportunities amidst energy and water scarcity challenges.

#### Moderator:

Georgina Gutierrez Barbosa, Sanchez Devanny, México

#### Panelists:

Enrique Lendo, Financing, Economy Sustainable Development Consultant, México

Claudia Robledo, Macquarie Group, México

Marco Vera, GE Power, México

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The panel will focus on (i) the evolution of investment protection provisions in free trade agreements and bilateral investment treaties in the Americas region, including the substitution of the **NAFTA** investment protection provisions for the new **USMCA** (ii) investment provisions); latest practices in investor-State arbitration proceedings; and (iii) recent developments in the calculation of damages in investor-State arbitrations.

#### **Moderator:**

Elsa Ortega, Creel, García-Cuéllar, Aiza y Enríquez, México

#### Panelists:

Samantha Atayde, RRH Consultores, México

Katherine Penberthy Padgett, Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld, USA

Rafael Rincón, Rincón Castro Abogados, Colombia

José Miguel Vivanco, Dentons Global Advisors, México

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In this panel we will address the considerations necessary when carrying out or starting operations in México from a tax perspective.

The objective will be to analyze possible investments schemes in México, capital return alternatives, as well as the corporate structures more common used in México.

Finally, we will talk about the general tax obligations and some of the inspection trends of the Tax Authorities in México.

#### Panelists:

Montserrat Colin, JA del Río, México

Ivonne Montaño, Galicia Abogados, México

Nicholas Mowbray, Baker Hostetler, USA

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1:00 pm-2:30 pm Lunch | Chapultepec Room

Panels 31 to 33 2:30 pm-3:30 pm

Track 1 - Real Estate

PANEL 31 | Los Morales Room

# **Nearshoring: Real Estate Opportunities**

This panel will discuss the nearshoring phenomenon, with a focus on legal issues arising in the

# Track 2 - Litigation

PANEL 32 | Campos Eliseos Room 1

### **Managing Cross-Border Litigation: The In-House Counsel View**

This panel will be composed of in-house counsel and outside litigation counsel. Our panelists will discuss issues that commonly arise during cross-border

### Track 3 - Diversity

PANEL 33 | Campos Eliseos Room 2

# **Diversity in the Workplace**

We live in a diverse world and the business world is no exception! We know that diverse teams are better at problem solving, offer more creative strategies and foster innovation, and

acquisition of real estate property for developing manufacturing facilities in northern México. Our panelists will address regulatory issues, political complexities, and logistical challenges among other issues.

#### **Moderator:**

Carlos Ibarra, Ibarra, del Paso y Gallego, México

#### Panelists:

Maria José Fernández Ros, Real Estate Developers Association (ADI), México

Eugenio Grandio, Tesla, México

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litigation, especially in discovery. The panel will focus on offering the in-house counsel view to identify the issues that are important to clients and what in-house counsel expects from outside litigation counsel.

#### **Moderator:**

Neil Quartaro, Cozen O'Connor, USA

#### Panelists:

Mario Barreiro, Vestas, México

Luisa Calderon, Elementia, USA

Francisco Franco, Baker McKenzie, México

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yet workplaces face challenges when it comes to the inclusion of their diversity. Leaders are people, and as such, are prone to bias. Therefore, how do we help each other to recognize and confront our biases? How do we encourage equity and inclusion in our workplaces? As leaders, what is our responsibility to promote equitable and inclusive environments? What are those key aspects to enhance inclusive leadership? In an era where impact and ESG criteria are part of everyday business decisions, what is the relevance of DEI? What is the relevance of DEI in long term sustainability? How can we as part of the legal community face the challenges presented by the evolution of ESG and Sustainability and provide better advice? This program will address these issues as well as the additional layer of complexity of advising on and implementing DEI best practices.

#### Moderators:

Diane O'Connell, Sorting it Out, Inc., USA

Claudia Rodríguez Campos, Santamarina y Steta, México

#### Panelists:

Mariana Aguilar, Pearson Education, México

Randy Bullard, Morrison Foerster, USA

Mariuz Calvet, HSBC, México

Geraldina Gonzalez de la Vega Hernandez, President of México City's Council to Prevent and Eliminate Discrimination (COPRED)

1.0 CLE Credit in Diversity, Inclusion and Elimination of Bias

3:30 pm-4:00 pm

Networking Break | Outside of the Los Morales and Campos Eliseos Rooms

4:00 pm-5:00 pm

Panels 34 to 26

Track 1 - Anticorruption

Anticorruption Challenges in

PANEL 34 | Los Morales Room

Mexico: The View of In-House Counsel Practitioners

The panelists will have an open discussion on the compliance

Track 2 – Litigation

PANEL 35 | Campos Eliseos Room 1

Cross-Border Litigation: Connecting Points and Jurisdictions

This panel features a roundtable discussion by international attorneys from the U.S. and México focusing on

Track 3 – MKT

PANEL 36 | Campos Eliseos Room 2

Empowering The Legal Profession: How Lawyers Can Help Their Business Development and Marketing Departments Help Them challenges that multinationals experience when doing business in Mexico and how those efforts interconnect with their global milestones and best practices.

#### **Moderators:**

María E. Lapetina, Miller & Chevalier, USA

Diego Marván, Chevez Ruiz Zamarripa, México

#### Panelists:

Elizabeth Soto, Tupperware, México Jonathan Ahuet, Aspen Pharma Group, México

Darío Martínez, Ericsson, México

Giovan Reyes, Procter & Gamble México, México

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issues that arise in cross-border litigation between parties in the United States and México. Panelists will address important differences in practice and procedure and approach, as well as the importance of close coordination between in-house and outside counsel working across jurisdictions on international matters. Understanding shared aspects of both legal systems will also be an essential part of the conversation.

#### Moderator:

Gonzalo S. Zeballos, Baker & Hostetler LLP, New York, NY, USA

#### Panelists:

Juan Luis Blanco Montoya, Müggenburg, Gorches y Peñalosa, S.C., México City, México

Michael Tremonte, Sher Tremonte, New York, NY, USA

Leticia Goñi, Omni Bridgeway, Uruguay

1.0 CLE Credit in Areas of Professional Practice This panel will discuss the growth and emergence of functions for other business professionals across the legal industry, specifically: Marketing (understood as Public Relations & Communications) and Business Development- at law firms and the critical role they have to play today in their firms' success.

Considering the evolution of legal provision service (from sole practitioners and the family firm to specialist boutiques and the full service institution), we will investigate the difficulties these functions face in becoming established stakeholders in the firms where they operate, and the issues that need to be addressed to ensure they are empowered to drive the success which constitutes their objective. Among the topics under discussion will be:

- Law firm culture a facilitator or a brake to ongoing development?
- Marketing and ranking submissions
   a case study in law firm dynamics.
- The role of BD & Marketing in relation to artificial intelligence; talent identification and retention; and crisis management.

#### Moderator:

Tim Girven, The Legal 500, London, UK

#### Panelists:

Ursula Ben-Hammou, Cuatrecasas, México

Leopoldo Hernández, KermaPartners, México

Hugo Peña, González Calvillo, México

Chantal Williams, Von Wobeser y Sierra, México

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5:00 pm

End of program

#### 7:00 pm-11:00 pm

#### Gala Reception and Dinner | Chapultepec Room

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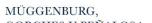














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Cuauhtémoc, 06000 Ciudad de México, CDMX
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 Ciudad de México, CDMX
 http://eat-lalo.com/menu/

 Panadería Rosetta (to-go bread & pastries) | Roma Colima 179, Roma Nte., Cuauhtémoc, 06700 Ciudad de México, CDMX

#### Seafood

#### Entremar

Hegel 307, Polanco V Secc, Miguel Hidalgo, 11560 Ciudad de México, CDMX https://www.entremar.com/

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Marriot Hotel

#### Contramar

Calle de Durango 200, Roma Nte., Cuauhtémoc, 06700 Ciudad de México, https://www.contramar.com.mx/

#### Bello Puerto

Julio Verne 89, Polanco, Polanco IV Secc, Miguel Hidalgo, 11560 Ciudad de México, CDMX <a href="https://www.bellopuerto.com/">https://www.bellopuerto.com/</a>

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#### Grill

Cuerno | Polanco

Aristóteles 124, Polanco, Polanco IV Secc, Miguel Hidalgo, 11550 Ciudad de México, CDMX http://cuerno.mx/

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Colmillo | Polanco

Aristóteles 124, Polanco, Polanco IV Secc, Miguel Hidalgo, 11560 Ciudad de México, <a href="http://colmillo.mx/">http://colmillo.mx/</a>

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#### International

Pujol | Polanco

Tennyson 133, Polanco, Polanco IV Secc, Miguel Hidalgo, 11550 Ciudad de México, CDMX https://pujol.com.mx/

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Quintonil | Polanco

Av. Isaac Newton 55, Polanco, Polanco IV Secc, Miguel Hidalgo, 11560 Ciudad de México, CDMX

#### http://www.quintonil.com/

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- Máximo Bistrot | Roma
   Av. Álvaro Obregón 65 Bis, Roma Nte.,
   Cuauhtémoc, 06700, Ciudad de México, México.
   https://www.maximobistrot.com.mx/
- Rosetta | Roma
   Colima 166, Roma Nte., Cuauhtémoc, 06700
   Ciudad de México, CDMX
   https://rosetta.com.mx/
- Blanco Colima | Roma
   Colima 168, Roma Nte., Cuauhtémoc, 06700
   Ciudad de México, CDMX
   https://www.blancocolimamx.com/es
- Blanco Castelar | Polanco
   Av. Emilio Castelar 163, Polanco, Polanco III Secc,
   Miguel Hidalgo, 11550 Ciudad de México, CDMX
   <a href="https://www.grupocarolo.com.mx/blancocastelar">https://www.grupocarolo.com.mx/blancocastelar</a>
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   Marriot Hotel
- Karpos | Polanco
   Av. Emilio Castelar 135-Local 18, Polanco,
   Polanco III Secc, Miguel Hidalgo, 11560 Ciudad de México, CDMX
   http://karpos.mx/
- Parole | Polanco
   Av. Emilio Castelar 163, Polanco, Polanco III Secc,
   Miguel Hidalgo, 11550 Ciudad de México, CDMX
   <a href="https://parole.mx/es/restaurante-italiano-en-cdmx">https://parole.mx/es/restaurante-italiano-en-cdmx</a>
- Barra de Fran | Polanco
   Av. Emilio Castelar 185, Polanco, Polanco III Secc,
   Miguel Hidalgo, 11560 Ciudad de México, CDMX
   https://www.labarradefran.com/

#### Mexican

Carmela y Sal | Virreyes
 Torre Virreyes, Calle Pedregal N.24 Del, 11040
 Ciudad de México, CDMX

### https://www.carmelaysal.mx/

Guzina Oaxaca | Polanco
 Av. Pdte. Masaryk 513, Polanco, Polanco II Secc,
 Miguel Hidalgo, 11560 Ciudad de México, CDMX
 https://guzinaoaxaca.com/

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 Chapulin | Polanco Campos Elíseos 218, Polanco, Polanco IV Secc, Miguel Hidalgo, 11560 Ciudad de México, CDMX <a href="https://www.chapulin.rest">https://www.chapulin.rest</a>

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Azul Histórico | Downtown
 Isabel La Católica 30, Centro Histórico de la Cdad.
 de México, Centro, Cuauhtémoc, 06000 Ciudad de
 México, CDMX
 https://www.azul.rest/azul-hist%C3%B3rico

#### **Tacos**

- Tacos Orinoco
- Tacos Califa

#### Other activities

- Teotihuacan Air ballon ride and visit piramids in Teotihuacan, eat in La Gruta
   Note: Teotihuacan is about an hour away. Hot air ballon rides need to be booked beforehand and are usually pretty early (5-6am).
- Visit Castillo de Chapultepec and walk around Bosque de Chapultepec.
- Have lunch/beers in a restaurant with a rooftop overlooking to El Zocalo.
- Walk around the Roma/Condesa neighborhood

#### **Transportation:**

On demand car services such as UBER and DiDi are the best option for getting around México City. In case using a regular taxi is required, it is recommended to only order from a hotel, restaurant, or formal taxi rank or "sitio". Hailing taxis from the street is not recommended.

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