

Investment law & Investor-State mediator

2019 TRAINING

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organisers



Department of Justice
The Government of the Hong Kong
Special Administrative Region



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Investor-State mediation has become an increasingly popular alternative to, if not substitute for, arbitration in resolving investment disputes. In some new treaties, mediation has been introduced as a pre-condition to commencement of investor-State arbitration. Building on the success of last year's training which was attended by over 50 participants from 18 jurisdictions, the Department of Justice of the Hong Kong SAR Government, the International Centre for Settlement of Investment Disputes (ICSID), and Asian Academy of International Law are jointly organising two rounds of 7-day investment law and investor-State mediator training course in Hong Kong. World-renowned trainers have been invited to share their knowledge and expertise in international investment law and investor-State mediation.

The first part of the training course will focus on building up participants' knowledge in international investment law including the basic principles, topical issues raised in international investment disputes and dispute resolution process. This will be followed by the second part of the training course - a three-day intensive training on international mediation training which cover considerations specific to investor-State mediation, inter-cultural competency, process design and conduct of an effective investor-State mediation, and ethical challenges, among other topics. Participants will also have an opportunity to participate in interactive role-playing sessions.

In respect of each part of the training course, a Certificate of Attendance will be issued to a participant with 80% or above attendance rate of such part of the training course. In addition, a Certificate of Completion will be issued to the participant if he/she has successfully completed the optional assessment of the same part of the training course.

Government officials and mediators who are interested in knowing more about investment law and investor-State mediation are invited to participate. Seats are very limited.

Round I **25 – 31 October**

Course Fee HK\$20,000

Online Registration <https://events.aail.org/en/event/IL-IM-2019-batch-I/>

Round II **28 October – 03 November**

Course Fee HK\$20,000

Online Registration <https://events.aail.org/en/event/IL-IM-2019-batch-II/>

The course will be conducted in English.