



Seminar on Resolving Cross-border Commercial Disputes by Mediation

With the active promotion of the "Belt and Road" initiative by the Mainland, it follows that cross-border trade would increase substantially and commercial disputes are expected to follow. Demands for cross-border mediation would likewise increase. To explore the opportunities and competitiveness of Hong Kong, Macau and the Mainland, the Department of Justice and Hong Kong Mediation Centre will jointly organise a seminar on "Resolving Cross-border Commercial Disputes by Mediation". The seminar will cover development of mediation and future opportunities in Macau, Mainland and Hong Kong.

Details of the	seminar	are as t	below:

Date:	12 May 2016 (Thursday)	
Time:	2:30 pm – 4:50 pm (Registration starts at 2:15 pm)	
Venue:	Department of Justice	
	1/F Function Hall, Justice Place, 18 Lower Albert Road, Central,	
	Hong Kong	
Language:	Cantonese	

The Hon Mr Rimsky Yuen, SC, JP, Secretary for Justice of the Hong Kong SAR Government will deliver a welcome address.

The speakers will include:

- Dr Iau Teng Pio, Associate Professor of Faculty of Law, University of Macau
- Ms Wang Ning, Vice Department Director, China Council for the Promotion of International Trade Guangzhou Council
- Mr Jackson Zhong, Director of China Council for the Promotion of International Trade Shenzhen Council
- Ms Sylvia Siu, Founder of Hong Kong Mediation Centre
- Mr Francis Law, Co-chairman of CCPIT-HKMC Joint Mediation Center

Note: Applications for accreditation to the Hong Kong Mediation Accreditation Association Limited are underway and details will be announced upon confirmation.