

VI BELGRADE ARBITRATION CONFERENCE

13-13.45 Welcome address and introductory remarks by the organizers

13.45-14.15

Dr. Beata GESSEL-KALINOWSKA VEL KALISZ, Arbitral Women,
Gessel law firm, President of the Lewiatan Court of Arbitration, Warsaw
ArbitralWomen, ArbitralMen ... ArbitralPeople

14.15-14.30 Coffee break

I PANEL 14.30-16.45

Arbitrators' Powers

Chair: Dr. Christoph LIEBSCHER, WolfTheiss, Vienna

Introductory Remarks by Christoph Liebscher

Panelists and topics:

◆ **Thierry P. AUGSBURGER, LL.M.**,
Schellenberg Wittmer, Geneva

Between a rock and a hard place: the role and powers of emergency arbitrators

◆ **Alfred SIWY**,
Schoenherr, Vienna

The power of the arbitrator to apply mandatory rules?

◆ **Dr. Tilman NIEDERMAIER, LL.M.**,
CMS Hasche Sigle, Munich

**The role and powers of the arbitral tribunal in respect of misconduct
by parties and counsel**

◆ **Axel Benjamin HERZBERG**,
Herzberg Legal, Berlin

Can an Arbitral Tribunal Freeze the Assets of a Party?

◆ **Milan LAZIĆ**,
Karanović Nikolić, Belgrade

Arbitrators' powers in taking of evidence

Discussion

16.45 – 17.15 Coffee break

II PANEL 17.15- 19.30

Party Autonomy

Chair: Prof. Ronald BRAND, University of Pittsburgh School of Law, Pittsburgh

Introductory Remarks by Ronald Brand

Panelists and topics:

◆ **Dr. Sarah GANZ, M.Jur.**,
WilmerHale, London

Party autonomy and consent to arbitration

◆ **Georg SCHERPF**,
Luther Rechtsanwaelte, Hamburg

Party autonomy and parties' autonomy: two recent decisions of German courts

◆ **Gaëlle FILHOL**,
White & Case, Paris

Limits to party autonomy in arbitration agreements

◆ **Derek SOLLER**,
Baker & McKenzie, New York

Party autonomy in choosing the applicable substantive law

◆ **Simon GREENBERG**,
Clifford Chance, Paris

Limits to party autonomy during the arbitral proceedings

Discussion

19.30-20.00 Key Note address

◆ **Dr. Maxi SCHERER**,
School of International Arbitration, Queen Mary, University of London &
WilmerHale, London

Energy Arbitration Disputes

20.00 Closing remarks followed by cocktail