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# IBA Maritime and Transport Law Committee Mid-Year Conference: The new world of shipping post-Covid



6-8 June 2022, JW Marriott Hotel South Beach, Singapore

#### Topics will cover:

- Hot topics: current themes in maritime transport from around the world;
- Sustainability in shipping;
- Salvage and general average;
- Mediation of maritime disputes;
- Current issues in finance for the shipping industry;
- Warehousing – when transport takes a break;
- Electronic bills of lading – what are they, how do they work and what next?; and
- An SCMA mock arbitration.



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# Programme

## Conference Co-Chairs

Johannes Grove Nielsen *Bech-Bruun, Copenhagen; Co-Chair, IBA Maritime and Transport Law Committee*  
Corina Song *Allen & Gledhill, Singapore; Co-Chair, IBA Maritime and Transport Law Committee*

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## Monday 6 June

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1830 – 1845 **Welcome address**  
Shangri-La Rosa Sentosa

1845 – 1915 **Keynote address**  
Edwin Tong SC *Minister for Culture, Community and Youth and Second Minister for Law, Singapore*

1915 – 2000 **Launch of the IBA Maritime and Transport Law Committee Commemorative Book and video**

2000 – 2130 **Host Committee dinner**

## Tuesday 7 June

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0830 – 1700 **Registration**

0900 – 0910 **Opening remarks by Conference Co-Chairs**

0910 – 0920 **Welcome remark**  
Peter Bartlett *MinterEllison, Melbourne, Victoria; Chair, IBA Legal Practice Division*

0920 – 0940 **Keynote address**

0940 – 1100

### **Hot topics: current themes in maritime transport from around the world**

A variety of current issues will be discussed during this session, including the impact of sanctions against Russia on shipping and trade contracts, direct action against Norwegian liability insurers, clash of the conventions and its impact on limitation of liability, and others.

#### *Moderators*

Johannes Grove Nielsen *Bech-Bruun, Copenhagen; Co-Chair, IBA Maritime and Transport Law Committee*  
Corina Song *Allen & Gledhill, Singapore; Co-Chair, IBA Maritime and Transport Law Committee*

#### *Panellists*

Morten Berggreen *Gorrissen Federspiel, Copenhagen*  
Julian Clark *Ince, London*  
Jen Wei Loh *Dentons Rodyk, Singapore*  
Lilly Kathrin Relling *KVALE, Oslo*  
Joseph Tan *JLex, Singapore*

1100 – 1145 **Refreshment break**

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# Tuesday continued

1145 – 1300

## Sustainability in shipping

In the Paris Agreement of 2016, the signatory states committed to the goal of limiting global warming to well below 2, preferably to 1.5 degrees Celsius, compared to pre-industrial levels. What is the shipping industry doing to meet the Paris Agreement targets?

In this session we will look at both formal regulations and private initiatives to reduce greenhouse gas emissions from maritime transportation, such as the IMO's 'Initial Greenhouse Gas Strategy', setting the targets for reduction in CO2 and greenhouse gas emissions by 2030 and 2050 respectively. We will also examine the EU's 'Fit for 55' package, which aims at reducing greenhouse gas emissions by 55 per cent by 2030 and achieving carbon neutrality by 2050. A number of private initiatives, such as the Poseidon Principles, Getting to Zero Coalition and others will also be discussed. An important part of these discussions is what role new types of fuel, as well as transition to other forms of energy resources, will play in the future.

*Moderator*

**Henrik Hagberg** *Thommessen AS, Oslo; Senior Vice Chair, IBA Maritime and Transport Law Committee*

*Panellists*

**Su Yin Anand** *Head of Shipping, South 32, Singapore*

**Nick Fell** *Executive Vice President, Corporate Services and General Counsel, BW Group, Singapore*

**Dr Sanjay Kuttan** *Chief Technology Officer, Global Centre for Maritime Decarbonisation, Singapore*

**Martin Rosenzweig** *Ahlers & Vogel, Hamburg*

**Srinivas Tati** *Vice President, Green Technologies Division, Yinson, Singapore*

1300 – 1415 **Lunch**

1415 – 1530

## Salvage and general average

The panellists will focus on and discuss important topical legal issues that have arisen in recent salvage incidents and have occurred in different parts of the globe. These include recent casualties, such as the Ever Given incident at the Suez Canal.

*Moderators*

**Maria Borg Barthet** *Campbell Johnston Clark, London*

**Patrick Holloway** *Webber Wentzel, Cape Town; Co-Vice Chair, IBA Maritime and Transport Law Committee*

*Panellists*

**V Bala Rajah & Tann**, Singapore

**James Bercaw** *King & Jurgens, New Orleans, Louisiana; Regional Representative North America, IBA Maritime and Transport Law Committee*

**Rosalind Blazejczyk** *Solis Marine Consultants, Singapore*

**Omar N Omar** *Al Tamimi & Co, Dubai; Regional Representative Middle East, IBA Maritime and Transport Law Committee*

1530 – 1615 **Refreshment break**

1615 – 1730

## Mediation of maritime disputes

We can anticipate an upsurge in claims due to Covid climate change issues/COP 26 and the green pledges made and more recently the hostilities in the Ukraine. What role does mediation have to play and what stance should we take on issues such as compulsory mediation, facilitative versus evaluative mediation and enforcement (Singapore Convention)?

*Moderator*

**Jonathan Lux** *Lux Mediation, London*

*Panellists*

**Jane Andrewartha** *Clyde & Co, London*

**Bazul Ashhab** *Oon & Bazul, Singapore*

**Olympio Carvalho** *Castro Barros Advogados, Rio de Janeiro; Treasurer, IBA Maritime and Transport Law Committee*

**Mark Clough QC** *Dentons, Brussels*

**Henry Li Hai** *Henry & Co, Shenzhen*

**Bruce Paulsen** *Seward & Kissel, New York; Newsletter Officer, IBA Maritime and Transport Law Committee*

1800 – 1900 **Trishaw ride**

One place permitted per registered delegate; please indicate your participation during registration.

Limited space available and is on a first come first serve basis.

1900 – 2100 **Conference dinner**

Price: US\$100

One place permitted per registered delegate.

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0830 – 1700 **Registration**

0900 – 1030

## Current issues in finance for the shipping industry

Covid-19, the Poseidon Principles, ESG with scrubbers and ballast water treatments, alternative fuels, port congestion and the Suez Canal, lack of containers and new buildings. Much is happening, but what are the current issues with financing all of this within the shipping industry?

*Moderator*

**Ulla von Weissenberg** *Procopé & Hornborg, Helsinki; Senior Vice Chair, IBA Maritime and Transport Law Committee*

*Panellists*

**Corrado Lillielund Forcellati** *Director, Paia Consulting, Singapore*

**Chris Lowe** *Watson Farley & Williams, Hong Kong SAR*

**Nilton Matthos** *Mattos Filho, Rio de Janeiro*

**Rolf Johan Ringdal** *BAHR, Oslo*

**Gerbrand Vroegop** *Managing Director, Head of Aviation, Containers & Logistics and Shipping APAC Sector Coverage, ING Bank, Singapore*

1030 – 1115 **Refreshment break**

1115 – 1230

## Warehousing – when transport takes a break

Transport hinges on proper warehousing and storage contracts in a regulatory framework, which are often overlooked by maritime and transport lawyers. Speakers will go into current developments and future challenges for global warehousing and tank storage, set in the new reality of energy transition and a surge of regulatory obstacles.

*Moderator*

**Harmen Hoek** *Hoek Ten Katen, Rotterdam; Chair, Land Transport Subcommittee*

*Panellists*

**Dieter Armbrust** *Lebuhn & Puchta, Hamburg*

**Brian Boahene** *DWF, Dubai*

**Eugene Nai** *Senior Legal Counsel (Asia Pacific), Maersk Singapore, Singapore*

**Willemieke Princée** *Ox & Wolf, Curacao*

1230 – 1345 **Lunch**

1345 – 1500

## Electronic bills of lading – what are they, how do they work and what next?

Electronic bills of lading are increasingly in demand. With several new products being launched over the past two years, the number

in use is rising quickly. Although electronic bills of lading have been available for many years, developments with blockchain technology and its recent uptake in the container industry have created new opportunities, which are perhaps long overdue. This session will look at the legal principles behind electronic bills of lading, how they work in practice and the impact of existing and proposed new legislation on this rapidly developing area of law.

*Moderator*

**Ingolf Kaiser** *MFB, London; Senior Vice Chair, IBA Maritime and Transport Law Committee*

*Panellists*

**Boaz Lessem** *WAVE BL, Kefar Sava*

**Daniel Liang** *Allen & Gledhill, Singapore*

**Shuji Yamaguchi** *Okabe & Yamaguchi, Tokyo; South East Asia Regional Representative, IBA Maritime and Transport Law Committee*

**Loh Sin Yong** *Director of Trade, Infocomm Media Development Authority, Singapore*

1500 – 1545 **Refreshment break**

1545 – 1715

## An SCMA mock arbitration

The Singapore Chamber of Maritime Arbitration (SCMA) mock arbitration aims to showcase an international maritime and trade dispute, conducted under the latest 4th Edition 2022 SCMA Rules, which came into effect on 1 January 2022. Delegates will have the opportunity to gain real insight on how a cross-border arbitration is conducted, based on a dispute between a Chinese and an Indian party, who will be represented by Chinese and Indian counsel of their choice. There will be issues of both law and fact, with a preliminary legal issue to be determined before a tribunal of three experienced arbitrators. The factual witnesses will also be cross-examined during the 90 minute session, and delegates will be able to access the case scenario beforehand.

**Tribunal**

**Kingshuk Banerjee** *Khaitan & Co, Mumbai, Maharashtra*

**Sara Masters QC** *20 Essex, London*

**Counsels for PRC party**

**Xiangyong Chen** *Wang Jing & Co, Shanghai*

**Stephen Du** *7KBW, London*

**Counsels for Indian party**

**Ashwin Shanker** *Chambers of George Rebello, Mumbai, Maharashtra*

**Ian Teo** *Helmsman, Singapore*

1715 – 1725 **Closing remarks**

1830 – 2030 **Closing dinner**

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# Information

## Date

6-8 June 2022

## Venue

JW Marriott Hotel Singapore South Beach  
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Singapore 189763  
Tel: +65 68181888  
Email: [jw.sinjw.reservations@marriott-hotels.com](mailto:jw.sinjw.reservations@marriott-hotels.com)

## Language

All working sessions and Conference materials will be in English.

## How to register

Register online by 30 May at [www.ibanet.org/conference-details/CONF2143](http://www.ibanet.org/conference-details/CONF2143) and make payment by credit card to avail of the ten per cent online registration discount or complete the attached registration form and return it to the Conference Department at the IBA together with your proof of bank transfer payment. You should receive an email confirmation of your registration within five days; if you do not, please contact [maria.chew@int-bar.org](mailto:maria.chew@int-bar.org).

## Conference registration criteria

**For the protection of all delegates, to attend the conference, you will need to provide evidence acceptable to the IBA and if required, to the relevant host country authorities that shows:**

- You have received two vaccinations against the Covid-19 virus with a WHO recognised vaccine, at least three weeks prior to attendance at the conference

**By registering for the conference you agree to the following, the delegate code of conduct and all venue precaution notifications:**

- You will not attend the conference if you are displaying any Covid-19 symptoms
- Should you develop any Covid-19 symptoms during your attendance at the conference you will immediately:
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  - self-isolate
  - comply with all local and national restrictions
- If you receive any notification from any source that you have been exposed to a Covid risk, you will immediately inform a member of IBA staff and comply with local or national restrictions that may be required
- You travel at your own risk and you agree that the IBA cannot be held responsible if you contract Covid during the conference or after returning from the conference
- You agree to the extent permitted by law that you shall not hold IBA responsible for: any travel costs incurred for travelling to and from the conference; any travel costs that may be irrecoverable due to the cancellation or postponement of the conference; any losses or liabilities associated with contracting Covid whether on the way to, during or after the conference.
- You agree that, if asked by the relevant local or national authorities, the IBA has permission to pass on your personal information and contact details to those authorities should contact tracing be required.

If you do not comply with the above criteria you might be refused entry to the conference.

## Fees

*Online registrations received:*

	on or before 29 April	until 30 May
IBA member	US\$950	US\$1085
Non-member	US\$1155	US\$1290
Young lawyers	US\$715	US\$1290
Academics/judges	US\$715	US\$1290
Public lawyers	US\$715	US\$1290
Corporate counsel	US\$850	US\$1290
Conference dinner (Tuesday)	US\$100	US\$100

After 30 May registrations must be received in hard copy at the IBA office.

*Hard copy registration forms and fees received:*

	on or before 29 April	after 29 April
IBA member	US\$1060	US\$1210
Non-member	US\$1285	US\$1435
Young lawyers	US\$790	US\$1435
Academics/judges	US\$790	US\$1435
Public lawyers	US\$790	US\$1435
Corporate counsel	US\$950	US\$1435
Conference dinner (Tuesday)	US\$100	US\$100

\* By paying the non-member fee, we welcome you as a delegate member of the IBA for the year in which this Conference is held, which entitles you to the following benefits:

- Password access to certain parts of the IBA website.
- Receipt of IBA E-news and access to online versions of IBA *Global Insight*.
- Pay the member rate for any subsequent Conference registrations for this calendar year.

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If you would like to become a full or general member of the IBA, which includes membership of one committee or more – and inclusion in and access to our membership directory – we encourage you to do so now in order to register for this Conference at the member rate. You can find full details of how to join at [www.ibanet.org](http://www.ibanet.org).

A reduced rate is offered to lawyers who are over the age of 65, have been an IBA member for more than 20 years and are no longer practising law.

**Full payment must be received in order to obtain your Conference documentation.**

## Fees include:

- Attendance at all working sessions
- Access to the Conference materials from the IBA website ([www.ibanet.org](http://www.ibanet.org)), including any available speakers' papers submitted to the IBA before 30 May.
- Access to live delegate search
- Lunch on Tuesday and Wednesday
- Tea and coffee during breaks
- Host Committee Dinner on Monday
- Invitation to Trishaw ride on Tuesday
- Closing Dinner on Wednesday

**Please note that registrations are not transferable.**

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## List of participants

In order for your name to appear in the list of participants, your registration form must be received by **30 May 2022** at the latest.

## Live delegate search

Delegates are able to use the live delegate search via the IBA website, in order to use this function delegates will need to be logged into their MyIBA. This will allow search access to up-to-date attendance lists.

## Registration confirmation

Upon receipt of your payment for the Conference a confirmation email will be sent to you which contains information regarding your attendance at the Conference. You will also be able to view and download your payment information and manage your registration via your My IBA profile on the IBA website.

## Delegate Code of Conduct

- Only delegates who are either fully vaccinated, ie has received the full regimen of a WHO EUL vaccine, with an additional two weeks for the vaccine to be fully effective, or within the 180-day exemption period after recovery from Covid-19 will be allowed entry.
- All delegates will be subject to temperature screening (under 38 C) and must check-in using their TraceTogether (TT) App or TT Token upon arrival at the Conference venue.
- Face masks must be worn at all times. This is also subject to local or national restrictions (where the most restrictive practices will apply).
- It is recommended that delegates regularly use the hand sanitisers which will be available for use at the conference.
- Delegates are recommended not to share or mix drinking or eating utensils and should dispose of any napkins and other papers or disposable products promptly in waste receptacles.
- No hard copy conference materials will be distributed. Conference programme and lists of participants will only be provided in soft copy by email.
- We request that you do not shake hands with delegates, exchange business cards or any other materials.

## Venue precautions (these are also subject to the host country's local and/or national requirements)

- Socially distanced movement and seating rules will be followed. These will comply with relevant local or national restrictions of the venue location at the time of the conference.

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SWIFT address NWBKGB2L, IBAN GB55NWBK60730101286498

**Please ensure that a copy of the bank transfer details is attached to your registration form.**

**Use the exchange rate prevailing at the time of registration.**

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- Food and drink will be provided according to the relevant local or national Covid precaution requirements of the venue location at the time of the conference.
- Conference venue meeting and catering rooms will be deep cleaned prior to IBA Conferences
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- If you have questions or concerns, please email **maria.chew@int-bar.org**.

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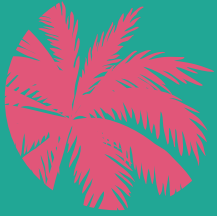
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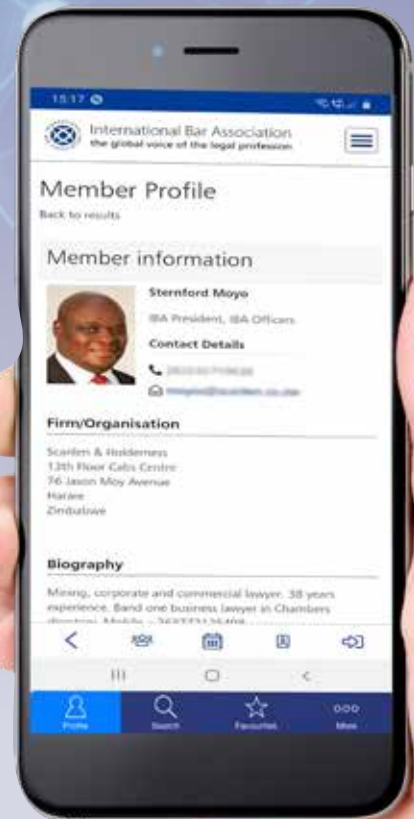
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The Committee works for and supports the unification of maritime and transport law on a worldwide basis.

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