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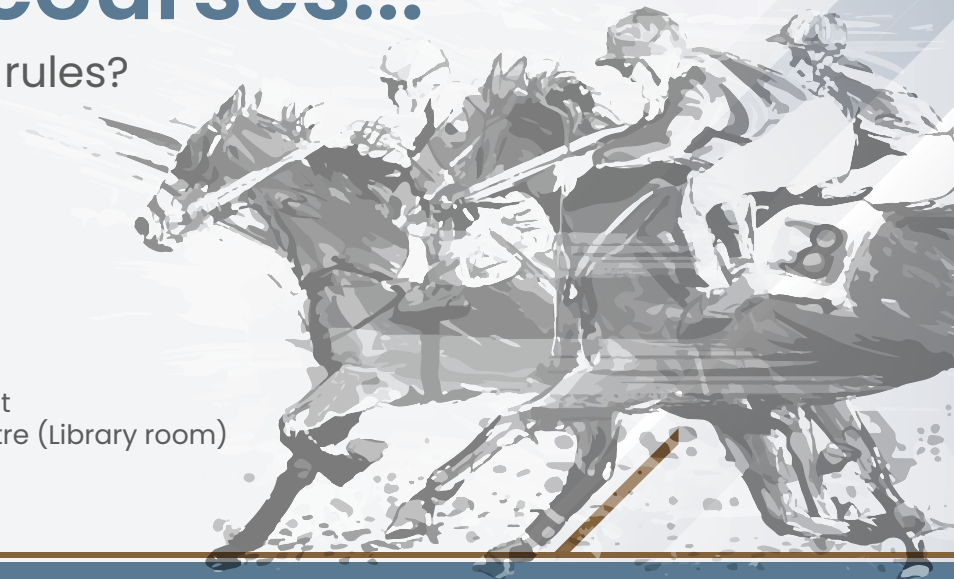
Do we need prescriptive rules?



Thursday 17 November, 2022



Waldorf Astoria Hotel
DIFC Burj Daman, Happiness Street
Dubai International Financial Centre (Library room)





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Programme

9:45 am – 10:00 am

Registration and welcoming Breakfast

10:00 am – 10:05 am

Key Note Speech (Mr. Ahmed Al Echla – Director at TAHKEEM)

10:05 am – 12:00 pm

Panel discussion

12:10 pm – 13:00 pm

Lunch break



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MR. Ahmed AlEchla

Director of Sharjah International Commercial Arbitration Center «TAHKEEM»

Ahmed Saleh Alechla is the director of Sharjah International Commercial Arbitration Center «TAHKEEM» in Sharjah. He practices international and corporate transactional law. He has worked extensively in matters involving international investment and trade specifically in within the field of ADR and Arbitration.

Mr. AlEchla has participated in many international conferences hold by International chamber and Commerce (ICC), International Bar Association (IBA) and LCIA and many others.

He earned his Master's Degree in 2007 from University of Wollongong (Dubai) UOWB in International business, his Bachelors in Law in 2005 from the university of Sharjah. He has admitted to the ICC court of Arbitration as an Intern in 2008-2009.





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Dr. Asma Al Rasheed

Executive Committee Member at Sharjah International Arbitration Centre (TAHKEEM).

Partner at Al Rasheed & Partners law firm.

She is a member of the Advisory Board of the College of Law at the University of Sharjah.

Dr. Al Rasheed received her PhD in Maritime Law from the University of Sharjah in 2017.

Holds an LLM in Commercial and Maritime Law, University of Hertfordshire, UK and a Bachelor of Law from University of Sharjah, UAE.

She is a lawyer licensed to appear before the UAE Courts of all levels. Her practice areas are focused on commercial and maritime matters as well as arbitration.





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Nassif BouMalhab

Nassif is a barrister and solicitor, and a partner in Clyde & Co's Middle East dispute resolution group based in the Dubai office. He is the lead partner of Clyde & Co's Middle East arbitration group. Nassif practises corporate and commercial litigation and arbitration with an emphasis on shareholder, agency, management, distribution, banking, finance and real estate disputes, and financial crimes. Nassif represents a wide range of businesses, including financial institutions and leading multinational companies in the leisure and hospitality, energy, transport and defence logistics sectors. In 2017, Nassif was one of 12 members of the task force that advised the Sharjah International Commercial Arbitration Centre (Tahkeem) on the reform of its arbitration rules. In November 2017, Nassif was named to the executive committee of the Sharjah International Commercial Arbitration Centre (Tahkeem). Nassif has appeared as party counsel in over 50 international arbitration proceedings administered under a wide range of rules, including the AAA, DIAC, DIFC-LCIA, ICC, LCIA and UNCITRAL. He has been appointed as sole arbitrator or chairman of the tribunal in a number of DIAC and DIFC-LCIA proceedings. Who's Who Legal Arbitration: Future Leaders acknowledges Nassif among the future leaders in international arbitration globally. The Legal 500 ranks Nassif one of seven leading individuals for dispute resolution in the United Arab Emirates and reports that he is "excellent in dispute strategy". Nassif was listed among Asian-MENA Counsel's External Counsel of the Year 2013 for the United Arab Emirates as voted by the in-house community, where in-house counsel is reported to have said "[Nassif] is the best arbitration lawyer". Nassif is a Canadian national. He is fluent in English and French, and speaks Arabic.





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Mohieeldin Elbana

Mohieeldin “Mohie” Elbanna is the Founder and CEO of QaF Legal with more than seventeen (17) years of extensive legal experience in the MENA region, with hands-on experience in three different countries namely, Egypt, Libya & U.A.E.

Before QaF Legal, Mohie worked as a private practice practitioner with top law firms in Dubai and as In-house Legal Counsel for major international corporations (including a Big Four Company). With both sides of the coin (inhouse and private practice), Mohie gained extensive business oriented legal experience and deep knowledge in various areas of practice, all of which empowers him to deliver high quality service and premium legal support to clients in the MENA.

Mohie is a member of the Executive Committee of the CIArb UAE since 2016 and an active contributor to the CIArb UAE Branch quarterly newsletter.





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Robert A Sliwinski

Robert is a Barrister, Chartered Arbitrator, Mediator and Dispute Board Member with 35+ years' experience of the construction and engineering industries, having initially qualified as a Chartered Quantity Surveyor, and is able to provide a unique view of the worldwide ADR arena today.

Robert is associated with Alsuwaidi & Company (Advocates and Legal Consultants) based in Dubai, acting as independent legal Counsel representing clients in both domestic and international disputes.

Through ArbDB Chambers in London Robert acts as Arbitrator, Mediator, Adjudicator and Dispute Board Member. He has been involved in wide range of commercial and contractual disputes within the fields of construction, civil engineering, process plant, etc as well as general commercial disputes.

Robert is the current Chair of the UAE branch of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators and works hard to promote all forms of ARD in the region.





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