

**Conference on Aspects of International Arbitration
in the Law and Practice of Arab Countries**

(free entrance upon registration)

Wednesday, 13 June 2007

Cour de cassation

(1, rue de Harlay, place Dauphine, 75001 Paris)

- 9:00 : Registration
- 9:30 : Welcome : Jean-Pierre Ancel, Presiding Justice, First Chamber, Cour de cassation

Session I : “ The Choice of The Arbitrator”

Chair : Ibrahim Fadlallah, Professor Emeritus, University Paris X

- 9:45 : **The Choice of Arbitrators and of the Chairperson of the Arbitral Tribunal :**
- Professor Ahmed El-Kosheri, (Egypt)
- Professor Jacques El-Hakim (Syria)
- 10:15 : **The viewpoint of Arbitration Centres :**
- Dr. Mohamed Abdel Raouf Ali, Lawyer (Egypt)
- Giorgio Schiavoni, Vice-President, Arbitration Council, Milan Arbitration Chamber, Lawyer (Italy)
- Prof. Pierre Tercier, University of Fribourg, Chairman of the International Court of Arbitration, International Chamber of Commerce
- 11:00 : Discussion
- 11:30 : Coffee break

Session II : “ Scrutiny of the Arbitral Award”

Chair : Driss Dahak, First President, Supreme Court of Morocco

- 11:45 : **The Enforcement of Foreign Awards and of National Awards :**
- Borhan Amarallah, Deputy-Minister for International Co-operation, Cultural Affairs and Human Rights Ministry of Justice (Egypt)
- Mouhib Maamari, Presiding Justice, Cour de cassation (Lebanon)
- 12 :30 : Discussion
- 13 :00 : Free Lunch
- Chair : HE Dr Prince Bandar Ben Salman Al-Saoud, Advisor to the King of Saudi Arabia and President of Saudi Arbitration Group
- 14.30 : **Distinctions between Annulment and Other Means of Control of the Award**
- Professor Anwar Al- Fuzai'a (Kuwait)

- Hamed El-Amoudi, Lawyer (Syria)

15:00: Discussion

**Session III : “The Reception of New Legislation and International Standards on Arbitration :
The Role of the Legislator and State Courts”**

Chair : Samir A. Saleh, Lawyer and Former Vice-Chairmann of the International Court of Arbitration of the International Chamber of Commerce (1982-1988), (London)

15:30: - Professor Kaltoum Meziou, University « 7 Novembre » (Tunisia)
- Dr Omar M.H. Aljazi, Lawyer (Jordan)
- Dr Adel Omar Al-Sharif, Deputy-Chief Justice, Supreme Constitutional Court of Egypt (Egypt)

16:15: Discussion

16:45: Concluding Remarks : Professor Charles Jarrosson, University of Paris 2 (France)

The Conference will end at 17:15

Venue : Grand’Chambre de la Cour de cassation

Languages : English and French with simultaneous translation