

JCAA-JIMC Webinar : International Mediation

# Post COVID-19: The New Normal for International Dispute Resolution

**Date & Time : Day 1: September 25, 2020 (Fri)**

**5:00pm ~ 6:30pm**

**Day 2: October 2, 2020 (Fri)**

**5:00pm ~ 6:30pm**



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## Registration :

Click [here](#) to register for Zoom Webinar.

The video recording of Day 1 will be available to Day 2 registrants for limited time.

**Languages :** English, Japanese (with simultaneous interpretation between English and Japanese)

## Overview :

The outbreak of COVID-19 has had a tremendous impact on businesses across the globe and strongly reminded us of the uncertainty associated with cross-border transactions. Nevertheless, globalization will not be reversed. In the days ahead, flexible and efficient resolution of international commercial disputes becomes ever more important. Against this backdrop, JCAA and JIMC-Kyoto are pleased to present two webinars on international mediation which is an optimal dispute resolution mechanism for companies in the post COVID-19 era.

On **DAY 1**, Mr. Danny McFadden, a world-renowned international mediator and the Managing Director of the Centre for Effective Dispute Resolution (CEDR) Asia Pacific as well as the Regional Mediator for the World Bank and United Nations in Asia, will introduce the basics and effectiveness of international mediation based on his own experience and through interesting case studies.

On **DAY 2**, Japanese and foreign experts and practitioners with extensive experience in international mediation will join Mr. McFadden for a panel discussion and share their insights on the potential of international mediation from the perspectives of businesses, mediators, and counsels.

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# DAY 1

September 25, 2020 (Fri) 5:00pm ~ 6:30pm

## Opening Remarks

Hiroko Nihei (Public Relations Officer of JCAA, Attorney-at-Law)

## Lecture

Danny McFadden (Managing Director of CEDR Asia Pacific, International Mediator)

## Main Topics

- Basics of International Mediation
- Utilization of International Mediation outside Japan
- Case Study on International Mediation

## Closing Remarks

Haruo Okada (Chief Director of JIMC-Kyoto, Attorney-at-Law)

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# DAY 2

October 2, 2020 (Fri) 5:00pm ~ 6:30pm

## Opening Remarks

Hiroko Nihei (Public Relations Officer of JCAA, Attorney-at-Law)

## Panel Discussion

Moderators : Haruo Okada, Hiroko Nihei

Panelists :

Danny McFadden

Takashi Ogura (Professor at Doshisha University, formerly in Taisei Corporation)

James Claxton (Professor at Rikkyo University, Independent Mediator and Arbitrator)

Teppei Mogi (Partner at Oh-Ebashi LPC & Partners)

Yoko Maeda (Partner at City-Yuwa Partners)

## Main Topics

- Merits of International Mediation
- Active Use of International Mediation outside Japan
- Differences between Domestic Mediation and International Mediation
- Actual International Mediation Experience by a Japanese Company
- Important Qualities of a Good Mediator
- Points to Keep in Mind when Preparing for International Mediation
- Various Ways to Use International Mediation

## Closing Remarks

Haruo Okada (Chief Director of JIMC-Kyoto, Attorney-at-Law)