



Talk after the AGM

“How Being an Arbitrator Differs from Being a Judge”

Anselmo Reyes, Arbitrator, Hong Kong

Thursday, 12 June 2014

Anselmo Reyes will present his talk at the conclusion of the SCLHK Annual General Meeting at the Hong Kong Club, 3A Chater Road, Central, Hong Kong.

Anselmo summarizes his talk as follows: “When I delivered my HKMLA lectures 'How to Be an Arbitrator: A Personal View,' I was very much influenced by my experiences as a judge implementing CJR. Having left the Judiciary and become more involved in commercial arbitrations, I have had second thoughts about points made in the lectures. There are important differences in the way judges and arbitrators approach the resolution of commercial disputes. The talk will identify and comment on some key differences.”

Anselmo practised as a barrister in Hong Kong from July 1989. He was appointed Senior Counsel in May 2001. As counsel, he had a broad civil practice, specialising in shipping, commercial, company, revenue and telecommunications cases. He became a judge of the Court of First Instance on 15 September 2003. As a judge, he heard numerous applications relating to arbitration, including deciding *FG Hemisphere* at first instance. Anselmo stepped down from the Hong Kong Judiciary on 14 September 2012 to practice as a commercial arbitrator and advocate in arbitrations.

Venue:	The Hong Kong Club, 3A Chater Road, Central, Hong Kong (*Please note that the dress code at the Hong Kong Club is “smart casual”)
Date / Time:	Thursday, 12 June 2014; after the AGM at approximately 6.45 pm
Cost:	Free for members; HK\$200 for non-members (inc. refreshments)

Lawyers please note that an application for CPD accreditation will be made for the event to the Law Society of Hong Kong.

Priority will be given to members of SCLHK, thereafter places will be allocated on a “first come, first served” basis. Please register by returning the registration application slip below and your cheque, to Membership Administration, Society of Construction Law Hong Kong, 38/F, Two Exchange Square, Central, Hong Kong. For enquiries please contact Primrose Law on +852 2525 2381, fax +852 2524 2171.

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