



THE HONOURABLE SOCIETY OF THE
MIDDLE TEMPLE

MIDDLE TEMPLE AMITY VISIT TO SINGAPORE



21 TO 23 SEPTEMBER 2016





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Programme Overview

Wednesday 21 September 2016

Evening

Reception - *British High Commissioner's Residence - Eden Hall*
followed by
Bench Call and Supper - *The Four Seasons Hotel*

Thursday 22 September 2016

Daytime

Conference: Day One - *Singapore Academy of Law*

Evening

Dinner - *Regent Hotel*

Friday 23 September 2016

Daytime

Conference - Day Two - *Singapore Academy of Law*

Evening

Singapore Academy of Law Distinguished Speaker Series - *Singapore Academy of Law*
followed by
Middle Temple Reception - *Venue tbc*



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Wednesday 21 September 2016

Event: **Welcome Reception**
Venue: The British High Commissioner's Residence, Eden Hall
Attendees: UK Amity Visit attendees and partners and Singaporean Guests
Dress code: Lounge suits

17:15 Coach departs Four Seasons Hotel

17.30 Reception hosted by Middle Temple for all

19.30 Coach departs Eden Hall

Event: **Bench Call and Supper**
Venue: The Four Seasons Hotel
Attendees: UK Amity Visit attendees and partners, Callees and Singaporean Guests
Dress code: Lounge suits

20:00 Bench Call

20:15 Buffet Supper

22:00 Ends



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Thursday 22 September 2016

Venue: Singapore Academy of Law, Supreme Court Auditorium
Dress code: Lounge suits
Travel: Coach from the Four Seasons Hotel (leaving 08:30, returning 17:30)

09:00 **Registration**

09.30 Welcome Remarks the Hon Judge of Appeal Justice Chao Hick Tin
09.35 Introductory Remarks by the Rt. Hon Lord Justice Christopher Clarke
09:45 Keynote Address - *The Rt. Hon V K Rajah, Attorney General of Singapore*
The Amity and Comity between the two jurisdictions; The Singapore view of the Middle Temple; Historical connections and Future collaboration

10:30 Coffee/Tea Break

11:00 **Panel 1: Recent Developments in Contractual Terms**
Chair - Singapore: *The Honourable Justice Woo Bih Li*
UK Speakers - *Catherine Newman QC and Paul Darling OBE QC*
Singapore Speakers - *Associate Professor Goh Yi Han and Tan Chuan Thye SC*

12:30 Lunch

14:00 **Panel 2: Recent Development in Vitiating Factors & Remedies in Contract Law**
Chair - Middle Temple: *The Hon Sir Vivian Ramsey*
UK Speakers - *Juliette Levy and Michael Bowshe QC*
Singapore Speakers - *Thio Shen Yi SC and Associate Professor Dora Neo*

15:30 Tea

16:00 **Panel 3 (Roundtable): Do Courts really work and if not what does?**
Chair - Middle Temple: *The Rt. Hon Sir Edward Garnier QC MP*
Speakers - *Christiane Valansot, Sir Paul Jenkins KCB QC, Tan Sri Dato' Cecil Abraham, Professor Jeffrey Pinsler SC and Philip Jeyaretnam SC*

16:00 **Practical Advocacy Training (Running in parallel with Panel 3)**
UK Trainers organised by *Derek Wood CBE QC*
Singapore trainers organised by *Mr Samuel Chacko*

17:30 End of Conference Day One

19:30 **Dinner at the Regent Hotel**, 1 Cuscaden Rd, Singapore 249715
kindly hosted by the Singapore Academy of Law, the Singapore Bar and Judiciary



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Friday 23 September 2016

Venue: Singapore Academy of Law, Supreme Court Level 6, Singapore
Dress code: Lounge suits
Travel: Coach from the Four Seasons Hotel (leaving 08:00, returning 19:15)

08:30 **Registration**

09:00 **Panel 4 (Consecutive Sessions)**

Criminal Law - Joint Enterprise and Criminal Procedure

Chair - Singapore: *The Honourable Justice Tay Yong Kwang*

UK Speakers - *Nicola Padfield* and *His Honour Judge Philip Bartle QC*

Singapore Speakers - *N Sreenivasan SC* and *Mavis Chionh SC*

Developments in Family Law

Chair - Singapore: *The Honourable Judicial Commissioner Debbie Ong*

UK Speaker - *Ann Hussey QC*

Singapore Speakers - *Professor Leong Wai Kum* and *Michelle Woodworth*

11.30 Coffee Break

12.00 **Moot**

UK Participants - *Karen Reid (MTYBA)* and *Ryan Turner (MTSA)*

Singapore Participants - *Koh Swee Yen* and *Jordan Tan*

Judges - *The Rt. Hon Lord Dyson (UK)*, *The Honourable Mr Justice Barma JA (Hong Kong)* and *The Honourable Justice Steven Chong (Singapore)*

13.30 Lunch and networking

15:40 End of Conference Day Two

15:45 Registration for Singapore Academy of Law Distinguished Speaker Series

16:30 **Singapore Academy of Law Distinguished Speaker Series Lecture**
Speaker: *The Rt. Hon Lord Justice Christopher Clarke*

18:15 **Reception**

19:15 End of Singapore Academy of Law Distinguished Speaker Series Lecture

19:30 **Middle Temple Reception at the Cricket Club, Connaught Dr, Singapore 179681**



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Spaces are still available to join this exceptional opportunity to meet members of Middle Temple based in Singapore as well as other members of the Singapore Bar and Judiciary.

Travel arrangements are down to each individual but we recommend the services of Audley Travel who will coordinate all of your requirements. For further information on travel options please contact Craig Johnstone at Audley Travel on craig.johnstone@audleytravel.com or 01993 838 132 .

For further information on the Amity Visit please contact Colin Davidson on c.davidson@middletemple.org.uk or 020 7427 4855

9.5 hours of CPD accreditation have been applied for.

Please note timings, contents and topics are subject to change

