

# Global Law Day

## Business Law



**Date:** September 29, 2016 | 9:00 am to 12 pm

**Location:** Dentons LLP  
77 King St W, #400, Toronto



This program is eligible for up to 3 Substantive Hours

**Program Chair:** Eileen M. Martin, Barclay Damon LLP

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Following the program, Gardiner Roberts LLP will host a cocktail reception in honour of Lauren Rachlin, the driving force behind the development of the OBA-NYSBA (New York State Bar Association) Ontario-New York Legal Summit and former Business Law Executive, International Business Law Sub Committee Chair. Rachlin's vision led to the development of Global Law Day as well.

8:30 am Registration and Coffee

9:00 am Welcome and Opening Remarks by the Program Chair

9:05 am **From Contract Drafting to Enforcement: What You Should Know About International Arbitration**

- Drafting an effective arbitration clause
- Jurisdiction
- Selecting the right arbitrator
- Enforcement

Moderator: **Neil Rabinovitch**, Dentons LLP

**Jay Safer**, Wollmuth Maher Deutsch LLP – New York

**Robert Cohen**, Cassels Brock and Blackwell LLP

10:25 am Networking Break

10:40 am **Minimizing the Risk of Corruption in International Transactions**

- Ensuring compliance with anti-corruption regulations in multiple jurisdictions

Moderator: **Paul Lalonde**, Dentons LLP

**Michelle Shapiro**, Dentons LLP - New York

**Catherine MacInnis**, Senior Legal Counsel, IBI Group Inc.

**Joseph Groia**, Groia & Company

11:50 am Closing Remarks

12:00 pm Program Concludes



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**Date:** September 29, 2016 | 2:00 pm to 5:00 pm Program  
| 5:10 pm to 7:00 pm Reception

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22 Adelaide St W #3600, Toronto

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1:30 pm Registration and Coffee

2:00 pm Welcome and Opening Remarks by the Program Chair

2:05 pm **Crafting Cross-Border Structures**

- Navigating complex multi-jurisdictional tax issues
- Understanding the mechanics of corporate inversion
- Designing business succession plans

Moderator: **Ron Choudhury**, Miller Thomson LLP  
**Catherine Nicholson**, Torkin Manes LLP  
**Marc Weisman**, Torkin Manes LLP

3:20 pm Networking Break

3:30 pm **A Look into the Future – US Trends Coming to Canada**

- Overview of US and Canadian M&A transactions
- Market terms and trends in Canada and the US

Moderator: **Arlene O'Neill**, Gardiner Roberts LLP  
**John F. Clifford**, McMillan LLP  
**Raymond McCabe**, Barclay Damon LLP

4:15 pm **Canada/US - Syndicated Loan Transactions**

- Overview of US and Canadian syndicated loan market
- Market terms and trends in Canadian and US credit agreements
- Canadian specific provisions in US credit agreements

Moderator: **Lydia Salvi**, Former Chair, Business Law Section – OBA and Secretary, Business Law Section – CBA  
**Bridget K. Marsh**, Executive Vice President - Deputy General Counsel, The Loan Syndications and Trading Association  
**Martin Racicot**, Fasken Martineau DuMoulin LLP – Montreal

5:10 pm – 7:00 pm Cocktail Reception – In honour of Lauren Rachlin



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