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Sports Arbitration: a Coach for other Players?

Friday 27 January 2012 | Beau-Rivage Palace Lausanne/Switzerland

**Place du Port 17-19
CH - 1000 Lausanne 6**

9.00 to 17:30

*On the eve of the Conference, on Thursday 27 January 2011, at 18.30,
participants are invited to attend the **cocktail reception** held at the **Beau-Rivage Palace**.
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SPORTS ARBITRATION: A COACH FOR OTHER PLAYERS?

26 January 2012, 18:30

Cocktail reception, Salon Bibliothèque

27 January 2012, 09:00

Conference, Salon Sandoz

09:00 09:10	–	WELCOME ADDRESS AND INTRODUCTION TO THE CONFERENCE TOPIC	Michael E. Schneider, President ASA/Partner Lalive
09:10 09:30	–	INTRODUCTION: WHY SPORTS ARBITRATION? – WHAT WERE THE NEEDS?	Dr. François Carrard, Partner, Carrard&Associés
09:30 10:20	–	PANEL 1 THE IDEAL OF RAPID AND INEXPENSIVE DISPUTE RESOLUTION BY SPECIALISTS Rapid and inexpensive procedures in sports arbitration: what has been achieved? Justice by specialists: advantages and risks (real and perceived)	Moderator: Prof. Henry Peter, Partner, Peterlegal Matthieu Reeb, Secretary- General, CAS Dr. Paolo Michele Patocchi, LL.M., Partner, Lenz & Staehelin
10:20 10:50	–	COFFEE BREAK	
10:50 12:00	–	CONTINUATION OF PANEL 1 Sports arbitration: which features can be “exported” to other fields of arbitration ? Sports arbitration: what are its limits as a model for other fields ? Discussion (Panel and Floor)	Prof. Massimo Coccia, Partner, Coccia de Angelis Dr. Stephan Netzle, LL.M., Partner, Netzle Rechtsanwälte
12:00 12:30	–	ASA PRIZE - Award to laureate - Laudatio	Elliott Geisinger, Vice-President ASA, Partner, Schellenberg Wittmer <i>Laudatio</i> by guest speaker
12:30 14:00	–	LUNCH	

14:00 15:30	–	<p>PANEL 2</p> <p>"CONSENT" AND ARBITRATION</p> <p>"Consent" in sports arbitration: its multiple aspects</p> <p>Sports arbitration: which lessons for</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - arbitration based on clauses in by-laws of associations, corporation, etc.? - trust arbitration? - arbitration by statute? <p>Discussion (Panel and Floor)</p>	<p>Moderator: Johnny Veeder, QC, Essex Court Chambers</p> <p>Dr. Antonio Rigozzi, Partner, Lévy Kaufmann-Kohler</p> <p>Philippe Bärtsch, LL.M., Partner, Schellenberg Wittmer</p> <p>Tina Wüstemann, LL.M., Partner, Bär & Karrer</p> <p>Laurence Shore, Partner, Gibson, Dunn & Crutcher</p>
15:30 16:00	–	COFFEE BREAK	
16:00 17:15	–	<p>PANEL 3</p> <p>PROTECTION OF THE "WEAKER" PARTY AND THE NEED FOR SPECIAL PROTECTION</p> <p>The athlete as the "weaker" party:</p> <p>Sports arbitration: which lessons for:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - employment disputes? - banking disputes? <p>Discussion (Panel and Floor)</p>	<p>Elliott Geisinger, Vice-President ASA, Partner, Schellenberg Wittmer</p> <p>Tilman Niedermaier, LL.M., CMS Haschle Sigle</p> <p>Dr. Sébastien Besson, Partner, Python Peter Prof. Luc Thévenoz</p>
17:15 17:30	–	Closing Address	Dr. François Carrard, Partner, Carrard & Associés

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About the Conference

Conference registration: 26 January 2012, from 17:00 to 18:00
27 January 2012, from 08:00 to 09:00

Conference: 27 January 2012, from 09:00 to 17:30

Conference language: English

Conference Fee: CHF 450.- (members) / 550.- (non members)

The Conference Fee includes:

- Cocktail reception, 26 January 2012, 18:30
- Coffee breaks and lunch on 27 January 2012
- Conference documentation

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