

## Navigating the Maze: Challenges in Concurrent Proceedings

Join us in-person on **30 August 2024** for this panel discussion presented by AFIA and hosted by WongPartnership LLP. Drawing from extensive practice knowledge, our esteemed speakers from South Korea, Singapore and Europe will explore issues arising in concurrent enforcement and setting-aside challenges, provide insights on the approaches of various national courts, and share essential “tips and tricks” relevant for arbitration practitioners.



**Date and Time** 30 August 2024, 12.00pm

**Venue** WongPartnership LLP  
Marina Bay Financial Centre, Tower 3, Level 28  
12 Marina Boulevard, Singapore 018982

**Programme** 11.30am: Registration  
12.00pm: Opening Remarks  
12.05pm: Panel Discussion  
1.00pm: Lunch Reception

**Speakers:**

**Joel Quek** - Partner, WongPartnership LLP  
**Katie Chung** - Partner, Norton Rose Fulbright (Asia) LLP  
**Salim Moollan KC** – Barrister, Brick Court Chambers  
**Seokchun Yun** - Partner, Peter & Kim

**Moderator:**

**Zeslene Mao** - Senior Associate, WilmerHale

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## Speaker Profiles

**Joel Quek**  
Partner, WongPartnership  
LLP

Joel Quek is a Partner in the Commercial & Corporate Disputes and International Arbitration Practices at WongPartnership LLP. Joel has an active investment treaty arbitration practice and has particular expertise in arbitration-related court proceedings. Prior to entering private practice, Joel served as a Justices' Law Clerk at the Singapore Supreme Court. His experience also includes a stint with Fountain Court Chambers in London. Joel is a member of the steering committee of the IBA Arb40 and teaches trial advocacy and a module on SIAC and Institutional Arbitration at the National University of Singapore.

**Katie Chung**  
Partner, Norton Rose  
Fulbright (Asia) LLP

Katie Chung is an international arbitration and dispute resolution partner in Norton Rose Fulbright based in Singapore. With more than 15 years' experience, Katie has advised and represented private and state-owned clients across many sectors in Asia related complex commercial and investor-state arbitrations conducted under all major arbitral rules and under both private law and international law. She has particular expertise in aviation, commodities, digital infrastructure, energy (including oil & gas, power, renewables), fast moving consumer goods, financial institutions, telecoms and technology. Apart from acting as lead counsel, Katie regularly sits as arbitrator and has been appointed as arbitrator in SIAC, HKIAC and ICC arbitrations seated in Singapore and Hong Kong. She is on the reserve panel of arbitrators of the SIAC, the List of Arbitrators of the HKIAC, the Panel of International Arbitrators of the KCAB and the Panel of Arbitrators of the THAC. Katie is a delegate of the ICC Commission on Arbitration and ADR and member of the LCIA Asia Pacific Users' Council. She is the author of the module on confidentiality in international arbitration on Kluwer Practical Insights. Katie is consistently recognized as a "Next Generation Partner" by The Legal 500 Asia Pacific, as an "Up and Coming" partner by Chambers & Partners and by Who's Who Legal as a Most Highly Regarded Future Leader in International Arbitration. She is a member of the executive committee of AFIA.

**Salim Moollan KC**  
Barrister, Brick Court  
Chambers

Salim Moollan KC specialises in international commercial and investment arbitration. He has acted as Counsel in high profile investment arbitration cases (*White Industries v. India*, *Philip Morris v. Australia*, *Cairn Energy v. India*), and currently acts as lead Counsel in a number of prominent investment arbitrations for both States and investors. In the commercial field, he acts in high-value cases in (in particular) the energy and telecoms fields. He frequently sits as arbitrator in investment and commercial arbitrations. He is a past chairman of UNCITRAL, a past Vice-President of the ICC Court, a past member of the LCIA Court, a member of the World Bank's ICSID Panel of Arbitrators and a former editor of the ICSID Law Review. He is also called to the Mauritian Bar and appears from time to time before the Mauritian Courts in complex and high value cases. He frequently appears in the Privy Council on issues ranging from civil law to administrative law and tax matters. He is a Visiting Professor in International Arbitration Law at King's College London.

**Seokchun Yun**  
Partner, Peter & Kim

Seokchun Yun, a partner at Peter & Kim, specialises in international arbitration and cross-border litigation, international investment, international trade, international taxation and shareholder dispute. He has successfully represented government and multinational clients at all stages of international arbitrations under the major arbitration rules as well as in ad-hoc arbitrations. During his secondment at Kobre & Kim in New York, Seokchun was involved in the enforcement of arbitral awards and foreign judgments, asset tracing and recovery, and litigations at both federal and state levels. He currently serves as, inter alia, a member of the YSIAC Council, the chair of the Americas subcommittee of the International Committee under the Seoul Bar Association and directors of several academic organisations. He is admitted to the New York bar and Korean bar.

## Moderator Profile

**Zeslene Mao**  
Senior Associate,  
WilmerHale

Zeslene Mao is a senior associate in WilmerHale's International Arbitration Practice Group. She acts for a range of clients in complex international disputes, and has experience in arbitrations conducted under various institutional rules (including the ICC, LCIA and SIAC rules). She has experience in banking, finance, joint venture, energy, oil and gas, and intellectual property disputes, amongst others. Zeslene previously served in the Supreme Court of Singapore as a Justices' Law Clerk and an Assistant Registrar. Prior to joining WilmerHale, she was a senior associate at a leading Singapore dispute resolution firm.