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Mediation and Expert Determination for Maritime Shipping

Presented in Collaboration with

SINGAPORE MEDIATION CENTRE (SMC)
SINGAPORE MARITIME ACADEMY (SMA)
Supported by 20 ESSEX STREET

29th & 30th Sept 2014 (8.45am to 5pm) and 1st Oct 2014 (9.00am to 12.00pm)
Mediation Chambers 1 & 2 of the Supreme Court of Singapore

Registration Fee: S\$1900 nett(no GST)

“Training grants are available for eligible participants”. (Details will be released soon)

Overview:

In alignment with Government policy to encourage the use of mediation to settle disputes as well as to establish Singapore as an International Mediation Centre, the Institute for Professional Maritime Development and Training (IPMDT), the training arm of Marine Offshore Oil and Gas Association (MOOGAS), presents this unique course in collaboration with the Singapore Mediation Centre (SMC) and Singapore Maritime Academy (SMA) to professionals from all spheres of our economy, especially the maritime industry where disputes are expected to increase following the recovery of the global economy, and in particular the buoyant boom in the oil and gas sector evident by the inexorable trend of using LNG for industrial and domestic purposes. Trained instructors from SMC, and Capt Chatur, senior lecturer of SMA, will deftly demonstrate the operational mechanism and cost effectiveness of mediation with specially structured case studies relating to the maritime trade.

This unprecedented course will also enable participants to gain insightful knowledge that mediation, though at times known as an ADR, that is, Alternative Dispute Resolution tool, should in fact be considered as a PDR, that is Primary Dispute Resolution tool which, when combined with other dispute resolution methods, will become an “ultra effective” process to resolve commercial conflicts. It is in this direction that this course is specially tailored.

For participants who are already accredited arbitrators, they will, after successfully completing this full course, become “Med-Arbiters” wearing two hats, one for mediation and the other for arbitration. Furthermore, this course also incorporates one of the latest methods used in settling commercial disputes called Expert Determination, which, though nascent, is steadily gaining popularity, pairing with mediation. On this aspect, Mr Naresh, an elite lawyer au fait in Expert Determination, will share his experience and expertise with participants.

At the end of the course, participants will be presented Certificate of Attendance jointly issued by SMC and MOOGAS. **Participants will be eligible to join the Panels of Arbitrators and Mediators of MOOGAS.**



CPD Accreditation

Up to 14.5 Public CPD Points
Practice Area: Alternative Dispute Resolution
Training Level: Intermediate

Attendance Policy

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29 SEPT 2014 WORKSHOP PROGRAMME

DAY ONE

8:15 – 8:45	Registration
8:45 – 8:50	Welcoming Address & Introduction
	Mr Leslie Wong - CEO, IPMDT (MOOGAS)
8:50 – 9:00	Opening Remarks
	Mr. Richard Yuen - President MOOGAS
9:00 - 10:40	Introduction "Hextium Pricing" Exercise
10:40 - 10:55	<i>Tea Break</i>
10:55 - 11:00	Housekeeping
11:00 - 11.15	Introduction to Mediation
11:15 - 11:25	Activity
11:25 - 12:00	Four Elements of Interest - Based Mediation
12:00 - 1:15	<i>Lunch</i>
1:15 - 2:00	Case Study
2:00 - 2:20	Three Elements
2:20 - 2:30	Stages of Mediation
2:30 - 3:05	Video
3:05 - 3.20	<i>Tea-Break</i>
3:20 - 4:55	Mediation Exercise I

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DAY TWO

9:00 - 9:15	Revision of Seven Elements
9:15 - 10:15	Stages of Mediation
10:15 - 10:30	<i>Tea-Break</i>
10:30 - 12:00	Mediation Exercise II
12:00 - 1:15	<i>Lunch</i>
1:15 - 1:40	Mediators Communication Tools
1:40 - 2:20	Group Exercise
2:20 - 2:40	Managing Impasse
2:40 - 3:00	<i>Tea-Break</i>
3:00 - 4:30	Mediation Exercise III
4:30 - 4:50	Question & Answer Session Summary & Closing

**EXPERT DETERMINATION
1 OCT 2014 WORKSHOP PROGRAMME**

DAY THREE

9:00 - 10:30	<p>Naresh Mahtani will speak on 'Using Expert Determination to resolve Maritime and Oil & Gas disputes quickly and economically.' In addition to the traditional and usual alternative forms of dispute resolution (such as arbitration, litigation, mediation, adjudication and negotiation), there has been a timely emergence of new methods in recent years in Singapore and around the world.</p> <p>'Expert Determination' is an avenue and a tool which is often appropriate for disputes involving technical, industry and associated financial issues, which are often encountered in the maritime, oil & gas, construction and engineering industries. Contracts nowadays often incorporate this in their dispute resolution clauses.</p>
10:30 - 10:45	<i>Tea Break</i>
10:45 - 11:30	<p>Capt Chatur Wahyu will speak on the benefits of using mediation vis-à-vis arbitration to resolve maritime disputes. He will also be discussing on the two principal forms of mediation in Singapore: private mediation as practiced by the Singapore Mediation Centre (SMC) and court-based mediation found in the Subordinate Courts.</p>
11:30 - 12.00	Q & A Moderated by Capt Chatur P Wahyu

ABOUT WORKSHOP INSTRUCTORS



ALVIN CHONG (MR)

Alvin Chong is a Principle Partner at Chris Chong & CT Ho Partnership. His main area of practice is in civil and commercial litigation, including Alternative Dispute Resolution. Alvin graduated with Honours from the University of London in 1992 and he was called to the Bar of England and Wales as a Barrister-at-Law in 1993. He was admitted to the Singapore Bar as an Advocate and Solicitor in 1995. Alvin also holds a Master's degree in Corporate and Commercial Law from the University of London.

Alvin is an Associate Mediator with the Subordinate Courts of Singapore and the Singapore Mediation Centre. He mediates cases at the Primary Dispute Resolution Centre in the Subordinate Courts. He is also a Teaching Fellow of the Singapore Institute of Legal Education, where he is a tutor and trainer for advocacy, drafting and mediation skills.

Alvin is a member of the Law Society of Singapore, the Singapore Academy of Law and the Honourable Society of Lincoln's Inn.

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MEILINA ONG (MS)

Meilina has worked with various organizations in supporting their change efforts through trainings in conflict resolution, diversity, communication, team building, performance management systems and leadership development. Besides providing consulting services to organizations and individuals, Meilina is also a certified trainer in Conflict Resolution and an Associate Mediator and instructor at Singapore Mediation Centre. She is well sought both as a facilitator and speaker on Negotiation and Conflict Resolution at the Singapore Management University, Temasek Polytechnic and various government agencies. Meilina holds a M.A. in Social-Organizational Psychology from Columbia University in New York, and a B.A in Economics and Psychology from University of Michigan, Ann Arbor. Being an MBTI® practitioner certified by the CPP, Inc. Meilina uses MBTI to help individuals to communicate more effectively, build effective relationships, work better in teams, resolve conflicts and have a more open mind to the viewpoints of people around them. She is also a FIRO-B® practitioner certified by the CPP, Inc.

ABOUT THE SPEAKERS



CAPT CHATUR P WAHYU

Capt Chatur Wahyu is a Senior Lecturer and Programme Manager with the Singapore Maritime Academy. He embarked on a sea career with NSSPL in 1987. He joined Singapore Maritime Academy as a Lecturer in 2000. He received an Excellence in Teaching Award from Singapore Polytechnic in 2005. He is currently serving as an Elected Member of the Board of Studies of Singapore Polytechnic. In 2003, he served as a Council Member of the Singapore Nautical Institute (SNI). He obtained his LLM (Maritime Law) from the University of Southampton, England, in 2007. Besides teaching Maritime law at SMA, he also lectures in both undergraduate and post graduate degree programme conducted by the Australian Maritime College (University of Tasmania) and Maritime Institute Willem Barentsz (NHL University of Netherlands). He was accredited as an Associate Mediator for the Singapore Mediation Centre (SMC) and had mediated several disputes at the Small Claim Tribunal in the Subordinate Courts on a pro bono basis.

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NARESH MAHTANI (MR)

Naresh Mahtani, FCI Arb, FSI Arb, has been in active legal practice for 30 years, in dispute resolution and in regional and international construction and oil and gas projects as counsel as well as arbitrator and adjudicator in various cases in Singapore and the region.

He was Chairman of the Society of Construction Law, Singapore (2006-2008) and is currently the Hon. Secretary of the Singapore Institute of Arbitrators. Amongst his other past appointments, he was a founding partner of ATMD Bird & Bird LLP. He is currently a Partner with Eldan Law LLP, with an active practice in dispute resolution and construction projects. He has been appointed as arbitrator in SIAC, ICC and various ad-hoc cases; is an accredited Adjudicator with the Singapore Mediation Centre and is on various industry and international arbitration panels.

He was the key draftsman of the new S.I.A Rules for Expert Determination which were launched in March 2011 and has a keen interest in "New ADR" for more efficient and progressive means of resolving disputes to be used in conjunction with more established procedures such as arbitration and adjudication.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND: shipowners & operators, ship management, ship financing, ship brokering/chartering, maritime law/arbitration, bill of lading holders, marine insurance, P & I Clubs, port terminal & shipyard management, government agencies, legal community.

REGISTRATION: LIMITED PLACES ARE AVAILABLE. For enquiries, please contact enquiries@moogas.org Postal address: Marine Offshore Oil and Gas Association, 21 Ubi Road 1, #06-01, Singapore 408724 or call + 65 65007331 or send us a fax +65 65425090 website: www.moogas.org



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REGISTRATION FORM

To register for the Programme, please submit this form together with full payment by cheque and mail to:
Marine Offshore Oil and Gas Association (MOOGAS), No. 21 UBI Road 1, #06-01 Singapore 408724 or fax us a copy of the registration details with your cheque payment. For enquiries, please call us at: 65 6500 7331 or send us a fax at +65 6542 5090 or email: enquiries@moogas.org

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Monday 29 Sept, Tuesday 30 Sept 8.45am – 5:00pm & 1 Oct 2014 9.00am to 12.00pm

Venue: Level 2 Supreme Court Chambers 1 & 2 Singapore

REGISTRATION CLOSING DATE: 23 rd Sept 2014	FEES (nett, without GST) (includes lunch, refreshments & materials)
MOOGAS Members	\$1800
SSA, SI Arb, SCL	1850
Others	1900

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Booking Terms: **1.** Registration will be confirmed and a seat will be reserved upon receipt of the registration form together with full payment subject to placement availability on a first-come-first-served basis. **2.** In the event that you are unable to attend the Programme, a substitute delegate is welcomed with at least 7 days written notice given prior to the commencement of the course. Cancellation must be received in writing at least 14 days before the start of the event for a refund less 50% processing fee per delegate. MOOGAS regrets that no refund will be made available for cancellation notification received less than 14 days before the event. **3.** All Speakers, programme and venue are correct at the time of printing. MOOGAS reserves the right to substitute Speakers, cancel or alter the content and timing or change the venue for reasons beyond its control. Website link for Courses: <http://moogas.org/ce/> website: www.moogas.org