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IV INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS EURO LATAM LEX

**“INTERNATIONAL ARBITRATION AND THE NEW INDUSTRIAL REVOLUTION:
A LOOK TOWARDS THE FUTURE”**

**MADRID, 26-27 OCTOBER
2018**



IV INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS EURO LATAM LEX PROGRAM

09:00H RECEPTION AND REGISTRATION (6TH FLOOR). Offices of Cremades & Calvo-Sotelo (Calle Jorge Juan 30).

09:20H WELCOME TO THE CONFERENCE (7TH FLOOR).

“Opening Speech I Membership and cooperation between Euro-Latam Lex members.”

Javier Cremades, Co-Chairman of Euro Latam Lex (ELLEEX) and President of Cremades & Calvo Sotelo (Madrid, Spain).

“Present Relations European Union/Latin America: Opportunities and challenges”.

Benita Ferrero-Waldner, Co-Chair of Euro Latam Lex (ELLEEX), former European Commissioner for External Relations, former Minister of Foreign Affairs and Partner at Cremades & Calvo Sotelo (Madrid, Spain).

INAUGURATION OF THE IV EURO LATAM LEX CONGRESS

Luís Martí Mingarro, Former Dean of the Ilustre Colegio de Abogados de Madrid and President of the Corte Iberoamericana de Arbitraje (CIAR) (Madrid, Spain).

Jose María Alvarez del Manzano, Former Mayor of Madrid and Partner at Cremades & Calvo-Sotelo (Madrid, Spain).

Vicente Conde, Judge Emeritus of the Constitutional Court and Judge Emeritus of the Supreme Court and Partner at Cremades & Calvo-Sotelo, (Madrid, Spain).

Rafael Fernández Montalvo, Former Judge of Spain Supreme Court and Partner at Cremades & Calvo Sotelo (Madrid, Spain).

José María Beneyto, International ICC - LCIA Arbitrator and Professor of Public International Law at San Pablo CEU University; Partner at Cremades & Calvo Sotelo (Madrid, Spain).

10:00H I WORKING SESSION: “The Future of Investment Arbitration”.

“Investment Arbitration in the European Union. The future of intra EU arbitrations after Achmea case”.

Speaker

Javier Torres Gella, State attorney of the Kingdom of Spain and expert in International Arbitration (Madrid, Spain).

10:30H II WORKING SESSION: “How to improve efficiency in International Commercial Arbitration”

Objective: Euro Latam Lex members from Europe / Ibero-America will expose some key issues in International Arbitration with the aims of improving legal certainty and client satisfaction.

Speakers **Elisa Junqueira Figueiredo**, Partner at FF Advogados (Recife, Brazil). *“Commercial dispute resolution mechanisms in Brazil. A current overview regarding efficiency and legal certainty”*.

Luis Monteverde Mancera, Equity Partner at Torres Plaz & Araujo (Caracas Venezuela). *“Arbitration as a means to rebuild the legal order on Business Disputes in Venezuela”*.

Luigi Isolabella and Matteo Pozzi, Partners at Studio Isolabella (Italy). *“Corruption in Public Concession Contracts and its effect on Arbitration.”*

Claudio Damoli and Mirco Broggiato, Partners at Studio Legale Menichetti (Italy). *“Arbitral clauses in Commercial Agency”*.

Moderator **José Martínez Peña**, Arbitrator and Partner at Cremades & Calvo Sotelo (Madrid, Spain).

11:30H NETWORKING AND COFFEE BREAK (5TH FLOOR).

12.00H III WORKING SESSION: “International Arbitration Institutions; Future prospects”

Objective: Representatives of the Arbitration courts will present their institutions, services, new prospects and the opportunities in the International Arbitration arena.

Speakers **Jordi Sellarés**, International Chamber of Commerce (ICC, Spain).

Juan Serrada, President of Corte Civil y Mercantil de Arbitraje (CIMA).

Javier Iscar, Secretary General of the Corte Ibero-Americana de Arbitraje (CIAR).

Mauricio Salas, Partner at BLP Legal (San José, Costa Rica).

Moderator **José Maria Beneyto**, International ICC - LCIA Arbitrator and Professor of Public International Law at San Pablo CEU University; Partner at Cremades & Calvo Sotelo (Madrid, Spain).

13:30H III WORKING SESSION: “ALSA/National Express Group. Case Study”.

Objective: Opportunities & Challenges of internationalization.

Enrique Blanco Souto, International Business Development Director ALSA.

14:00H COCKTAIL & BUFFET LUNCH. HOSTED BY JAVIER CREMADES AT HIS RESIDENCE (ALCALÁ 101. 6TH FLOOR)

**16:30H INSTITUTIONAL VISIT. PALACIO REAL DE MADRID.
TRANSFER 16:00H.**

17:30H TRANSFER BACK TO THE OFFICES OF CREMADES & CALVO-SOTELO.

18:00H IV WORKING SESSION: “Latest Class Action litigation trends in the U.S. and the European Union”.

Speakers **Juan Monteverde**, President of Monteverde & Associates PC (New York, US).
Javier Torres Gella, State attorney of the Kingdom of Spain and Spanish Justice Ministry representative in the ongoing negotiations of the EU Collective redress Directive (Madrid, Spain).

19:00H FREE TIME.

21:00H GALA DINNER AT ARAHY RESTAURANT (ALCALÁ 58).

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Javier Cremades, Co- Chairman of Euro Latam Lex.

Alexander Löw, European President World Jurist Association.

09:30H **WELCOME. Offices of Cremades & Calvo Sotelo (Calle Jorge Juan 30). “Introductory Remarks”.**

Benita Ferrero-Waldner, Partner of Cremades&Calvo-Sotelo, President of the Advisory Council and former EU Commissioner for External Relations and Neighbourhood Policy (Madrid, Spain).

09:40H **I WORKING SESSION: “Artificial Intelligence, Legal and Ethical Challenges”.**

Objective: Introductory remarks on the legal world of A.I. by special guests followed by a Q&A session.

Speakers **Abraham de Wolf**, (Frankfurt, Germany). **“A.I., Big Data and EU Law”.**
Jeffrey Singer, (Founding member of Segal Mc Cambridge, (Chicago, U.S.)). **“Liability issues arising from A.I. relating to Autonomous Automotive Vehicles”.**

10:20H **II WORKING SESSION: “The future of Block-chain and Crypto currencies: The necessary regulatory framework”**

Objective: The Working Session is aimed at developing an approach to the power of Block Chain technology and its relation with the new economy and digital society. The future regulation based on its potential for financial uses and payment form.

Speakers **Miguel Caballero**, CEO of Tutellus Technologies S.L. (Madrid Spain).
Antonio Selas, Partner at Cremades & Calvo–Sotelo. (Madrid, Spain).
Salvador Carrillo, Founder of 2gether Bank. (Madrid, Spain).
Diego Solana, Partner at Cremades & Calvo–Sotelo. (Madrid, Spain).

11:30H **III WORKING SESSION. “The Big Data impact and the new personal data protection regulation”**

Objective: Speakers will address the relevance of Big Data in the global economy and its effect on the European Data Protection Regulation (GDPR).

Speakers **James Black**, Partner at Silverman Acampora LLP (Jericho-New York, U.S.). **“New Data Protection Regulations impact on U.S. companies doing business in the European Union”.**
Rodrigo Colares, Partner at Da Fonte Advogados (Recife, Brazil). **“Influence of GDPR in Brazilian companies and the new bills regarding EU Regulations”.**

Moderator **Alfredo Gómez-Acebo**, Partner at Cremades & Calvo–Sotelo (Madrid, Spain).

12:30H IV WORKING SESSION: *“The complexity of digital evidence in cyber-crime”*.

Objective: The aim is to address the legal risks and challenges derived from the new industrial revolution: (Grooming, Hacking, Phishing, and Pharming).

Speaker **José María Sánchez**, General Manager Prodware Spain and Corporate VP Enterprise and Strategic Accounts Prodware Group (Madrid, Spain).

13:00H V WORKING SESSION. *“Forex Scandal”*.

Speakers **Daniel Hume**, Kirby McInerney LLP (USA).
David Kovel, Kirby McInerney LLP (USA).

14:00H COCKTAIL & BUFFET LUNCH. OFFICES OF CREMADES & CALVO SOTELO (JORGE JUAN 30).

15:00H VI WORKING SESSION. Round table of: *“Business Development”*

Objective: To address an exclusive panel for business development in which Euro Latam Lex full members will discuss their projects, interests and strategic areas to be developed within the scope of their firms and jurisdictions.

16:30H CLOSING CEREMONY AND DEAL TALK SESSION.



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