Global Professional Ethics Symposium -
challenges and opportunities of the new normal for ethics in the legal professions

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## Sponsorship opportunities

**Non-law firms only**

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Assignment of sponsorships
All sponsorships are non-exclusive and non-negotiable.

Interpretation and definitions
In this agreement, unless the context otherwise requires, the following definitions shall apply:

1. ‘sponsorship’ includes Headline Conference sponsor, Associate Conference sponsor, Headline social event sponsor, Exhibitor display table or any other category named by the IBA.
2. ‘sponsor’ means an organisation that is named as one of the Headline Conference sponsors, Headline social event sponsors, Exhibitor display or any other category named by the IBA.
3. ‘IBA’ means International Bar Association
4. ‘GDPR’ means the General Data Protection Regulation (Regulation (EU) 2016/679), as amended or replaced from time to time.
5. ‘Data Protection Law’ means the GDPR and all other national, international or other law or regulation related to data protection and privacy that are applicable to any territory where IBA or Sponsor processes personal data or is established.

Application/cancellation of sponsorship
Applications to sponsor a social event or exhibit at an IBA specialist conference must be made by clicking on the appropriate link in this pack and completing the relevant online booking form.

Exhibitor/sponsorship packages, including benefits and costs cannot be shared between firms or companies. No discount or refund will be given for non-use of benefits by the sponsor associated with a sponsorship package.

Should the sponsor wish to withdraw from being a sponsor of the chosen IBA specialist conference after placing an order, the sponsor will be liable to pay the following amounts:

- Cancellation after Sponsor logo is placed on the relevant IBA specialist conference webpage, up to 60 days prior to the conference commencement date, 50% of any agreed value of invoice.
- Cancellation 60 days prior to the conference commencement date as shown on the relevant conference webpage, 90% of the agreed value of invoice.
- Cancellation 30 days or less prior to the conference commencement date as shown on the relevant conference webpage, 100% of the agreed value of invoice.

Cancellation of sponsorship must be directed in writing to:
Andrew Webster-Dunn, Head of Sponsorship, International Bar Association,
5 Chancery Lane, London, WC2A 1LG United Kingdom or andrew.webster-dunn@int-bar.org

Invoicing
We are now issuing pro-forma invoices rather than final invoices as we recognise income on a cash receipts basis, as such we cannot issue an invoice until the pro-forma invoice is paid. This is a recognised practice by HMRC as per guidelines published in 1970 (see below) and allows us to comply with the VAT regulations imposed on us by the UK authorities. Pro-forma invoices will be sent within 48 hours of the booking being placed. The invoice and receipt will be issued as soon as payment is received, the pro-forma invoice contains all the details that would be included on an invoice, including the VAT rate charged it just has the words pro-forma instead of invoice.

HMRC Published Guidelines (since 1970)
If you need to issue a sales document for goods or services you have not supplied yet you issue a pro-forma invoice. A pro-forma invoice IS a valid invoice requiring your payment. A pro-forma invoice IS NOT a VAT invoice (you will receive one of those automatically on payment).

All invoices must be paid within 30 days of the date on the invoice or no later than 30 days prior to the conference start date. Invoices remaining unpaid at the commencement of the conference must be paid in full at the conference before delegate and or exhibitor passes are released. For the avoidance of doubt, you shall not be permitted to attend the Conference unless full payment has been received by us.

No deductions or withholdings
All fees payable to us by you in accordance with the terms contained in this ‘Information’ section shall be paid free and clear of all deductions or withholdings whatsoever. If any deductions or withholdings are required by law to be made from any fees payable to us by you under the terms contained in this ‘Information’ section you shall pay such sum as will, after the deduction or withholding has been made, leave us in no worse position than we would have been had no such deductions or withholdings been required.

If we obtain the benefit of any tax credit or other relief by reference to any such sponsorship whatsoever. If any deductions or withholdings are required by law to be made from any fees payable to us by you under the terms contained in this ‘Information’ section you shall pay such sum as will, after the deduction or withholding has been made, leave us in no worse position than we would have been had no such deductions or withholdings been required.

Contract acceptance
The acceptance of this booking shall be at the discretion of the IBA, and upon acceptance, becomes a contract. By completing the online booking form, the sponsor agrees to comply with, and be subject to, the terms and conditions contained in this document. The IBA reserves the right to refuse or deny sponsorships to prospective companies, with no explanation.

Mailing lists
The IBA does not provide mailing list for any of its conferences.

Sponsorship and speaking at an IBA conference
Under IBA Policy, speaking opportunities at an IBA conference or event CANNOT be linked to exhibiting or sponsorship discussions. Neither Officers, nor representatives of the IBA Sponsorship Department are authorised to agree, discuss or confirm speaking opportunities at an IBA conference as part of a sponsorship agreement. It is not within our remit to speak at an IBA event on behalf of the IBA unless the condition of this invitation is that you MUST also pay to exhibit or be a sponsor at the conference, please email Andrew Webster-Dunn, Head of Advertising and Sponsorships, International Bar Association on andrew.webster-dunn@int-bar.org sending proof of the agreement. If it is proven in writing that being exhibitor or sponsor is a condition of your speaker invitation, the necessary steps will be taken to reimburse your sponsorship funds and provide you with the sponsorship benefits.

Conference Chair and Co-Chairs
Conference Chair and Co-Chairs are not authorised to agree sponsorship programmes, costs or benefit, or any sponsorship arrangements made by a Conference Chair and Co-Chairs of the said conference will be subject to amendments to comply with IBA policy.

Complimentary sponsor delegate badges
Sponsor delegate badges, given as part of a sponsorship agreement, cannot be assigned to speakers, press, public relations, Conference Chair or Co-Chairs, press, press contacts or anyone listed in the programme as speaking in any capacity. A sponsor delegate badge can only be used by a representative of the sponsoring company in their capacity as a delegate. Sponsor delegate badges cannot be used by consultancy companies linked to a law firm. Delegate badges cannot be shared by multiple people. Delegate badges must be worn and visible at all times and cannot be altered. Sponsor delegate badges entitle the delegate to the same benefits as a paying delegate. Sponsor delegate badge holders may attend any non-ticketed social events, sessions and purchase tickets to any other IBA ticketed social events. The delegate badge is valid for the duration of the conference, for the nominated delegate. A Sponsor delegate online registration pack may be purchased by the sponsor in order to obtain the Sponsor delegate badge. Notification of changes to free delegate passes must be sent via e-mail, to the appropriate member of the IBA sponsorship team at least five working days prior to the commencement of the conference. No amendments will be made at the event, only the people on the registration form may attend the conference. No discount or refund will be given for non-use of complimentary delegate passes.

IBA best practices policy for attendees, exhibitors and sponsors
IBA provides opportunities for sponsors to have direct exposure to conference attendees during the speaking program or conference defined in this document. All conference sponsors are expected to abide by the following policy: (1) conference sponsors will not distribute from any other company’s investment by competing with the sponsored event, e.g., the hosting of an event at the same time as an IBA sponsored event. (2) conference sponsors will not interfere with another sponsor’s or exhibitor’s communication with an attendee communication, either directly or indirectly, e.g., the distribution of brochures or other collateral material outside of a designated sponsor booth. These and other similar actions will be considered unacceptable, and will be prohibited except with the explicit written permission of IBA. All attendees, regardless of whether they sponsor, exhibit or network at an event, are subject to the terms of this policy. Attendance at a conference signifies an agreement to this policy and subsequent consequences if violated.

Exhibitors and the exhibition hall
Law firms cannot exhibit or distribute literature promoting their firm at an IBA specialist conference. Exhibitors are not permitted to sublet, promote or distribute books, magazines, journals or printed literature promoting products or services, which are not owned, produced or published by the paying exhibitor. Exhibiting companies are not permitted to distribute promotional literature on behalf of law firms, trademark associations or consultancy companies. Exhibitors found to be in breach of the above clauses will be instructed to stop or risk expulsion from the exhibition hall.

Exhibitor attendance and badges
The maximum number of exhibitor passes allocated per booth is two, no exceptions will be given. Exhibitor badges cannot be used by lawyers of any description. Exhibitor badge holders must be employed by the exhibiting company. Each exhibitor must wear an exhibitor badge in order to obtain the Sponsor delegate badge. Notification of changes to free badge passes must be sent via e-mail, to the appropriate member of the IBA sponsorship team at least five working days prior to the commencement of the conference. No amendments will be made at the event, only the people on the registration form may attend the conference. No additional badges will be issued at the event.

Exhibitor use of space/promotional materials
When exhibiting all solicitation, demonstration or other promotional activities must be confined to the limits of the area assigned. No sponsor can distribute promotional material that may break our rules of session. Literature distributed to a sponsor is restricted to reasonable quantities. A company’s promotional materials should not interfere with any other company’s sponsorship or exhibition. A sponsor is prohibited from distributing copyrighted material to which they do not own, produced or published. Literature distributed by consultancy companies linked to a law firm. Exhibitors found to be in breach of the above clauses will be instructed to stop or risk expulsion from the exhibition hall.

SCHEDULED EXHIBITION DATES AND HOURS
Exhibitors are permitted to exhibit on the opening day, Sunday 26 April 2020, and may not leave before 17:00 on that day. Exhibitors may not enter the exhibition hall prior to 09:00 on the opening day of the conference. Exhibitors will be liable for the full rental amount.
Installation of exhibits
Exhibitors must have display materials unpacked and ready for display, with all packaging cleared away before 08.00hrs on the commencement date of the conference. No work will be permitted once the conference registration desk has opened and the first delegate has arrived. Installation can be completed once delegates have begun the first session.

Booth construction and arrangement
IBA arranges for the erection of necessary draped tables of uniform style. All exhibits must be confined to the special limits of the booth as indicated on the floor plan or by the IBA conference organisers. The exhibition booth rental fee includes a table, two chairs and two side chairs specified by the exhibitor. The IBA will not be held responsible for the loss of any freight materials, especially those incorrectly labeled. Information on shipping can be obtained by contacting Andrew Webster-Dunn at andrew.webster-dunn@int-bar.org and +44 (0)20 7842 0090.

Removal of exhibits
No exhibitor shall commence dismantling or packing product before the end of the final coffee break on the last day of the conference. It is the responsibility of each exhibitor to arrange with the conference venue for the storage of materials until collection by courier or other transport company. The exhibitor shall make payment to the conference venue for the collection of any freight. All materials remaining after the conference closes or at a time specified by an IBA representative, will be removed and destroyed by the conference venue staff, if arrangements have not been made for storage or collection. The IBA will not be held responsible for any items left behind.

Sales, samples and souveniers
No goods are to be sold for delivery on the floor. Orders may be taken for future delivery. Free samples and souveniers may be given away at your designated booth only. The placing of unauthorised promotional literature or gifts at an IBA conference or at any meeting arranged by the IBA is strictly prohibited. All unauthorised items will be removed and in the first instance returned to the representative of the relevant company. All subsequent; items will be removed and disposed of without notification.

Insurance
All exhibitors MUST obtain insurance coverage against damage or loss and public liability insurance agreements to the person or property of others. The exhibitor should be covered from the time they are shipped, through move-in, exhibit dates, move-out and until all materials have been received at the point of origin. The exhibitor assumes the entire responsibility and liability for losses, damages and claims arising out of injury or damage to exhibitor’s display, equipment and other property brought upon the premises of the venue and shall indemnify and hold harmless the IBA from any and all such abuses, damages and claims.

Liability
Exhibiting companies assume entire responsibility and hereby agree to protect, indemnify, defend and hold the IBA and its employees and agents harmless against all claims, losses and damages to persons or property, government charges or fines and attorney fees arising from or caused by the exhibitor’s installation, removal, maintenance, occupancy or use of conference premises or a part thereof, excluding, but not limited to: damage caused by fire, act of God, public enemy, war or insurrections, strikes, the authority of the law, or for any cause beyond IBA’s control. IBA will not be liable for fulfillment of this contract as to the delivery of exhibition space if non-delivery is due to any of the following causes including, but not limited to: damage caused by fire, act of God, public enemy, war or insurrections, strikes, the authority of the law, or for any cause beyond IBA’s control. The exhibitor shall, in the event of it not being able to hold a conference for any of the above named reasons reimburse the sponsor for the amount already paid for the sponsorship.

Data Protection
For the purposes of this agreement and either party’s processing of personal data in connection with this agreement, the parties agree that each party acts as an independent data controller. Each party shall (i) only process personal data in compliance with, and shall not cause itself or the other party to be in breach of, Data Protection Law, (ii) only process the other party’s personal data as reasonably necessary to perform its obligations and exercise its rights under this agreement; (iii) ensure that is has obtained all necessary rights, permission and/or consents required for the disclosure of personal data to the other party as specified in the agreement, and (iv) act reasonably in providing such information and assistance as the other party may reasonably request to enable the other party to comply with its obligations under Data Protection Law.

Amendments
Any and all matters and questions not specifically covered by the preceding regulations shall be subject to the decision of the IBA. Sponsorships shall be notified in writing of any amendments to these regulations.

Questions
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Governing law and jurisdiction
This Agreement shall be exclusively governed and construed in accordance with the laws of England and Wales without regard to Headlines of conflicts of law.

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