

# 25th Annual Competition Conference

10–11 September 2021, The St Regis Florence, Florence

The IBA Antitrust Section's 25th Annual Competition Conference will feature debates on the hottest topics and most pressing issues facing the antitrust community today, with contributions from many of the world's leading enforcers, judges and practitioners.

Current antitrust issues to be discussed in panels and roundtables include:

- Antitrust reinforced: new tools to control platforms and data use
- Sustainability looks to antitrust the environment and beyond
- Getting the international deal through: merger control and much more
- The future of supply and distribution chains in a digital world
- Enforcers roundtable

Keynote speakers include: Margrethe Vestager Executive Vice President, European Commission Olivier Guersent Director General, DG Comp, European Commission Marc van der Woude President, General Court of the Court of Justice of the European Union Jacques Steenbergen President, Belgian Competition Authority Cani Fernandez President, Spanish Competition Authority, Madrid

Andreas Mundt President, German Federal Cartel Office, Bonn





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# Programme

# **Conference Co-Chairs**

Thomas Janssens Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer, Brussels; Co-Chair, IBA Antitrust Section Daniel Swanson Gibson, Dunn & Crutcher, Los Angeles, California; Co-Chair, IBA Antitrust Section

# Friday 10 September

# 0800 - 1800 Registration

# 0845 – 0850 **Opening remarks**

Michael Reynolds Allen & Overy, Brussels; Honorary Life Member of IBA Council and Association

# 0850 - 0900 Introduction

Thomas Janssens Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer, Brussels; Co-Chair, IBA Antitrust Section Daniel Swanson Gibson, Dunn & Crutcher, Los Angeles, California; Co-Chair, IBA Antitrust Section

# 0900 - 0945 Keynote address

Margrethe Vestager Executive Vice President, European Commission, Brussels

# 0945 – 1100

# New tools to control platforms – has the cavalry arrived?

New laws, new guidance, and new regulators around the world; proposed EU DMA; (inconsistent) national initiatives; role of regulation versus investigations; ex post and ex ante intervention; more lenient standard of proof; concentration of power; accumulation and use of data; data as essential facility; consumer harm and 'fairness'; preserving innovation and investment incentives; the right remedies and how they can be effectively monitored.

# Co-moderators

Andrea Appella Head of Global Competition, Netflix, London Rein Wesseling Stibbe, Amsterdam; Working Group Officer, IBA Antitrust Section

Panellists

**Kyle Andeer** Chief Compliance Officer and Vice President of Corporate Law, Apple, San Francisco, California **Inge Bernaerts** Director, Policy and Strategy, DG Comp, European Commission, Brussels

# **Beatriz de Guindos** Competition Director, Spanish Competition Authority, Madrid

**Randal Hughes** Bennett Jones, Toronto, Ontario; Competition Agency Liaison Officer, IBA Antitrust Section

1100 - 1130 Coffee/tea break

# 1130 – 1150

# Key questions in EU competition law: reflections from the Director General

Speaker Olivier Guersent Director General, DG Comp, European Commission, Brussels

# 1150 – 1300 Enforcers' roundtable

Co-moderators **Thomas Janssens** Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer, Brussels; Co-Chair, IBA Antitrust Section **Daniel Swanson** Gibson, Dunn & Crutcher, Los Angeles, California; Co-Chair, IBA Antitrust Section

# Panellists

Cani Fernandez President, Spanish Competition Authority, Madrid Olivier Guersent Director General, DG Comp, European Commission, Brussels Andreas Mundt President, German Federal Cartel Office, Bonn Henri Piffaut Vice President, French Competition Authority, Paris Martijn Snoep Chairman, Netherlands Authority for Consumers and Markets, The Hague

1300 – 1445 Lunch

#### Conference luncheon sponsors





# 1445 - 1600

# Sustainability looks to antitrust for help – the environment and beyond

What and how much can be asked of competition policy; environment/climate crisis; broader sustainability goals: healthcare, fair wages, equality, democracy; public policy issues in Covidrelated collaboration; enforcement versus regulation; consumer (un)willingness to pay; quantitative measurement methods; environmental costs as part of merger control price analysis; exemption of horizontal cooperation agreements under Article 101(3) and revision of EU guidance; and national initiatives and need for harmonisation.

### Co-moderators

Samantha Mobley Baker McKenzie, London; Senior Vice Chair, IBA Antitrust Section

Kristina Nordlander Sidley Austin, Brussels; Newsletter Editor, IBA Antitrust Section

### Panellists

Simon Holmes UK Competition Appeals Tribunal, London Adrian Majumdar RBB Economics, London Dirk Middelschulte Unilever Global Competition Lead, Brussels (Invited)

Julian Nowag Lund University, Lund

**Ella Van den Brink** Senior Competition Counsel, Google, Amsterdam

Anna Wolf-Posch Cerha Hempel, Vienna; Member, IBA Antitrust Sustainability Working Group

1600 - 1630 Coffee/tea break

# 1630 – 1730

# Vertical restraints: supply and distribution chains in a digital world

Regulating supply and distribution chains in a world of e-commerce and platforms: draft new EU block exemption and guidelines; treatment of platforms; restrictions on online advertising; restrictions on use of marketplaces and price comparison sites; selective distribution; protection for brands; future of brick-and-mortar shops; parity clauses; RPM; agency; national divergence.

### Co-moderators

Catriona Hatton Baker Botts, Brussels; Secretary, IBA Antitrust Section

Andrew Ward Cuatrecasas, Madrid; Newsletter Editor, IBA Antitrust Section

### Panellists

Inge Bernaerts Director, Policy and Strategy, DG Comp, European Commission, Brussels Christel Delberghe Executive Director, Competitiveness & Communication, EuroCommerce, Brussels Matthias Eisenbarth Legal & Corporate Affairs Director Central Europe, AB InBev, Stockholm Joanna Goyder Freshfields, Brussels

# 1730 - 1800

Lina Khan Chair, US Federal Trade Commission, Washington, DC (Invited)

# 1800 – 2000 Drinks reception

SE-STO on Arno Rooftop Bar, The Westin Excelsior

The drinks reception is open to all registered delegates. The Westin Excelsior is located just opposite the St Regis.

# 0830 - 1300 Registration

# 0930 - 1000 Keynote address

# Introduction

**Thomas Janssens** Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer, Brussels; Co-Chair, IBA Antitrust Section

**Daniel Swanson** Gibson, Dunn & Crutcher, Los Angeles, California; Co-Chair, IBA Antitrust Section

### Speaker

Marc van der Woude President, General Court of the Court of Justice of the European Union, Luxembourg

# 1000 - 1115

# Getting the international deal through: merger control and much more

Merger control developments around the globe; stricter rules/ presumptions for digital/data mergers; killer acquisitions; deal disputes/litigation; nascent competition; interaction with FIR and proposed foreign subsidy rules.

# Co-moderators

**Kyriakos Fountoukakos** Herbert Smith Freehills, Brussels; Vice Chair, IBA Antitrust Section

**Zoltan Marosi** Oppenheim Ügyvédi Iroda, Budapest; Newsletter Editor, IBA Antitrust Section

# Speakers

Fernando Carreño Von Wobeser y Sierra, Mexico City; Latin American Regional Forum Liaison Officer, IBA Antitrust Section Youngjin Jung Kim & Chang, Korea; Asia Pacific Regional Forum Liaison Officer, IBA Antitrust Section Katrin Schallenberg Clifford Chance, Paris; European Regional Forum Liaison Officer, IBA Antitrust Section Angeline Woods Director of Competition, Uber, Brussels

Gary Zanfagna Paul Hastings, Washington, DC

1115 - 1145 Coffee/tea break

# 1145 - 1230 Interview

# Moderator

Michael Reynolds Allen & Overy, Brussels; Honorary Life Member of IBA Council and Association

# Interviewee

**Dr Jacques Steenbergen** President, Belgian Competition Authority, Brussels

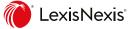
# 1230 Closing remarks

Thomas Janssens Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer, Brussels; Co-Chair, IBA Antitrust Section Daniel Swanson Gibson, Dunn & Crutcher, Los Angeles, California; Co-Chair, IBA Antitrust Section





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We are excited to announce the launch of the IBA Global Showcase, which will take place online 25-29 October 2021 with FREE registration.

Through a series of high-profile expert sessions, some of the biggest issues and challenges facing the global legal profession will be discussed, with speakers sharing ideas and solutions and give you the opportunity to hear from a great line up of high-profile speakers.





# WHY ATTEND?

The IBA Global Showcase will highlight the diverse work and achievements of the IBA's membership in many key areas of policy and practice. There will also be sessions specifically designed for key groupings within the membership. All this will be enlivened by a mix of interviews and discussions with leading commentators as well as plenty of opportunities for networking amongst your peers.

**Participate** – take part in real time in discussion with leading global figures in the legal community

Share knowledge – contribute to the debate and share your experience

**Community** – be part of the global legal community joining together to share this experience

**Business development** – meet your peers from around the world at networking events

Learn – an opportunity to hear from the world's leading experts on issues facing the global legal community

**Great speakers** – hear from a great line up of internationally renowned speakers

Live or on-demand – unable to join live? View the recordings of each session available 24 hours after the session.

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# Information

### Date

10 - 11 September 2021

#### Venue

The St Regis Florence Piazza Ognissanti 1 Florence 50123 Italy Tel: +39 (055) 271 61 Fax: +39 (055) 217 400 Email: stregisflorence@stregis.com

### **Conference registration criteria**

For the protection of all delegates, to attend the conference, you will need to provide evidence acceptable to the IBA and if required, to the relevant host country authorities that shows:

- You have received two vaccinations against the COVID 19 virus with a WHO recognised vaccine, at least three weeks prior to attendance at the conference; or
- you have a negative PCR (polymerase chain reaction) test result not more than 72 hours before the conference begins [NOT a rapid lateral flow negative test]. Any costs incurred for this are the responsibility of the delegate.

#### By registering for the conference, you agree to the following:

- You will not attend the conference if you are displaying any COVID symptoms
- Should you develop any COVID symptoms during your attendance at the conference you will immediately:
  - inform a member of IBA staff by email (confs@int-bar.org)
  - self-isolate
- comply with all local and national restrictions
- If you receive any notification from any source that you have been exposed to a COVID risk, you will immediately inform a member of IBA staff and comply with local or national restrictions that may be required
- You travel at your own risk, and you agree that the IBA cannot be held responsible if you contract COVID during the conference or after returning from the conference
- You agree that, if asked by the relevant local or national authorities, the IBA has permission to pass on your personal information and contact details to those authorities should contact tracing be required.

If you do not comply with the above criteria, you might be refused entry to the conference.

### Language

All working sessions and Conference materials will be in English.

#### How to register

#### Register online by Monday 6 September at www.ibanet.org/

**conference-details/CONF1051** and make payment by credit card to avail of the ten per cent online registration discount or complete the attached registration form and return it to the Conference Department at the IBA together with your proof of bank transfer payment. You should receive an email confirmation of your registration within five days; if you do not, please contact confs@int-bar.org.

#### Fees

Online registrations received:

	on or before 27 August	until 6 September
IBA member	€980	€1,100
Non-member*	€1,160	€1,280
Young lawyers (under 30 years)	€740	€1,280
Academics/judges (full-time)	€740	€1,280
Public lawyers	€740	€1,280
Corporate counsel**	€880	€1,280

After **6 September** registrations must be received in hard copy at the IBA office.

Hard copy registration forms and fees received:

	on or before 27 August	after 27 August
IBA member	€1,090	€1,220
Non-member*	€1,290	€1,420
Young lawyers (under 30 years)	€820	€1,420
Academics/judges (full-time)	€820	€1,420
Public lawyers	€820	€1,420
Corporate counsel**	€980	€1,420

 By paying the non-member fee, we welcome you as a delegate member of the IBA for the year in which this conference is held, which entitles you to the following benefits:

- 1) Password access to certain parts of the IBA website.
- 2) Receipt of IBA E-news and access to online versions of IBA Global Insight.
- 3) Pay the member rate for any subsequent conference registrations for this calendar year.
- \*\* A reduced rate is offered to IBA Corporate Group Members. Please register online to obtain a 25 per cent discount on the IBA member fee.

#### Fees include:

- Attendance at all working sessions
- Conference materials, including any available speakers' papers submitted to the IBA before 26 August.
- Access to the above Conference working materials from the IBA website (www.ibanet.org) approximately seven days prior to the Conference
- Lunch on Friday 10 September
- Tea and coffee during breaks
- Invitation to the drinks reception on Friday 10 September
- VAT currently at 22%

#### Please note that registrations are not transferable.

### List of participants

In order for your name to appear in the list of participants, your registration form must be received by Monday 6 September at the latest.

#### **Registration confirmation**

Upon receipt of your payment for the Conference a confirmation email will be sent to you which contains information regarding your attendance at the Conference. You will also be able to view and download your payment information and manage your registration via your My IBA profile on the IBA website.

#### Delegate code of conduct

- Temperature (under 38 C) and vaccination / PCR test result checks will be operational upon arrival at the Conference venue.
- Face masks should be worn when moving around the venue. We also
  recommend that face masks are worn in the conference room where
  delegates will be located for longer periods. This is also subject to local
  or national restrictions (where the most restrictive practices will apply).
- It is recommended that delegates regularly use the hand sanitisers which will be available for use at the conference.
- Delegates are recommended not to share or mix drinking or eating utensils and should dispose of any napkins and other papers or disposable products promptly in waste receptacles.
- No hard copy conference materials will be distributed. Conference programme and lists of participants will only be provided in soft copy by email.
- We request that you do not shake hands with delegates, exchange business cards or any other materials.

# Venue precautions (these are also subject to the host country's local and/or national requirements)

• Socially distanced movement and seating rules will be followed. These will comply with relevant local or national restrictions of the venue location at the time of the conference.

#### Photography and filming

Certain sessions and/or social functions may be photographed and/or filmed and some of this content may be used for future IBA marketing materials, member communications, products or services. Should you have any concerns with regard to this, or do not wish to be featured in any of these materials please contact the IBA Marketing Department at **ibamarketing@int-bar.org**.

- Food and drink will be provided according to the relevant local or national Covid precaution requirements of the venue location at the time of the conference.
- Conference venue meeting and catering rooms will be deep cleaned prior to IBA Conferences
- Conference venue staff and IBA staff will wear face masks when moving around the venue
- AV equipment/microphones will be disinfected or have covers changed between use by different speakers

#### Book with confidence

- The IBA will offer a full refund if you are required to cancel your registration due to Covid related reasons; we will require written confirmation of your cancellation by the end of business on the first day of the conference.
- If the IBA needs to reschedule the event, your registration will be automatically transferred to the new date and no additional fees will be charged. If this date is not convenient for a delegate, a refund of the cost of the conference place will be available on request to the IBA.
- If the IBA is unable to reschedule the conference within 12 months of the original scheduled date, a full refund of the cost of the conference place will automatically be made to all delegates.
- Please note that the IBA will not provide refunds for any other costs incurred including any travel costs.
- If you have questions or concerns, please email confs@int-bar.org

Please note, these terms are subject to any more restrictive or different local requirements and may be altered and amended from time to time to reflect any changes to restrictions or government requirements.

#### **Promotional literature**

Please note that no individual or organisation may display or distribute publicity material or other printed matter during the Conference, unless by prior arrangement with the IBA. Organisations and companies wishing to discuss promotional opportunities should contact the IBA Sponsorship Department at **sponsorship@int-bar.org**.

# Payment

Payment of registration fees by bank transfer or BACS payment Registration forms received without proof of payment will NOT be processed until proof of payment has been received.

**Euro:** by bank transfer to the IBA account at the National Westminster Bank, St James's & Piccadilly Branch, 208 Piccadilly, London W1A 2DG, United Kingdom.

SWIFT address NWBKGB2L, IBAN GB58NWBK60721106570631 Please ensure that a copy of the bank transfer details is attached to your registration form.

**Online credit card payments:** by Visa, MasterCard or American Express. No other cards are accepted.

# PLEASE ENSURE THAT YOUR NAME AND 'CON1051FLORENCE' APPEAR ON ANY TRANSFER OR DRAFT.

# 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 with the same amount as we would have been entitled to receive in the absence of any such requirement to make a deduction or withholding.

If we obtain the benefit of any tax credit or other relief by reference to any such deductions or withholdings, then we shall repay to you such amount as, after such repayment has been made, will leave us in no worse position than we would have been had no such deductions or withholdings been required.

# **Conference sell-outs**

The IBA places its conferences in venues of a suitable size for each event; however, there are times when our conferences may sell out. Should this happen, prospective delegates will be informed and a waiting list will operate. The waiting list will function on a 'first come, first served' basis, subject to receiving registered delegate cancellations. The waiting list for a conference will close once it has reached ten per cent of the conference venue capacity, as it is very unlikely a place will become available. The IBA will not be liable for any travel or accommodation expenses incurred by an individual who travels to a conference without a confirmed place at the event.

#### Cancellation of registration or social functions

If cancellation is received in writing at the IBA office by **Wednesday 1 September**, fees will be refunded less a 25 per cent administration charge. Refunds will be made minus any monies owed to the IBA. We regret that no refunds can be made after this date. Registrations or social function bookings received after Wednesday 1 September will not be eligible for any refund of fees. Please note that the IBA will however offer a full refund if you are required to cancel your registration due to Covid related reasons; we will require written confirmation of your cancellation by the end of business on the first day of the conference.

Should you have difficulties in obtaining your visa and are not able to attend the Conference this cancellation policy will still apply.

Upon submission of your completed Conference registration form to the IBA you are considered 'registered' pending payment. Please note that the cancellation terms and conditions as indicated will apply as soon as your registration is received.

**Hotel accommodation** 

The IBA has reserved a limited number of guestrooms for the nights of 9 – 10 September inclusive at the St Regis Florence at the following rates:

€540
€590
€110 on request
€90 on request

Subject to availability, the rates quoted apply if booked by 28 August via the official accommodation agent, Judy Lane ICS. This is a limited block of rooms so please book early as rates and availability cannot be guaranteed. To make a reservation please use the following link: https://icsevents.eventsair.com/iba-25th-annual-competition-conference/accombtn2021

Judy Lane ICS Tel: +44 (0) 1293 888 352 Email: barbara@judylaneics.com

All reservations will be acknowledged, by email, within 48 hours of receipt. Bookings cannot be made without a credit card number. Any subsequent amendment to your reservation must be made in writing to Judy Lane ICS. If you do not receive an email confirmation of your reservation or amendment/cancellation, please contact Judy Lane ICS by telephone. Subject to availability, Judy Lane ICS can accept reservations until Provided you have cancelled your registration to attend an IBA Conference in accordance with the terms of the 'cancellation of registration' clause included in the 'Information' section of the relevant Conference programme, you must then confirm to us in writing at the IBA office as soon as possible, but in no event later than one year (12 calendar months) from the date of any such Conference, all necessary details to enable any reimbursement owed to you to be paid. We regret that no refunds will be made after the date that is one year (12 calendar months) after the date of the relevant Conference.

#### Travel arrangements and visas

Participants are responsible for making their own travel arrangements. It is recommended that you check your visa requirements with your local embassy or consulate. We are unable to dispatch visa invitation letters to support your visa application prior to receipt of your registration form and full payment of registration fees.

#### Please apply for your visa in good time.

28 August. Thereafter, all reservations should be made directly with the hotel, quoting 'IBA Conference' as the reference.

#### Cancellations

Cancellations (partial nights or full cancellation) received on or after 28 August 2021 will result in a penalty charge of the total cost of the booking. In the event of no shows, the same penalty will be applicable to the credit card number provided as the guarantee.

By completing the online 'Accommodation form', you enter into an agreement with the hotel regarding credit card guarantees, cancellation/ no-show terms and conditions and room rates. Neither the IBA nor Judy Lane ICS can accept responsibility for hotel accommodation disputes between a delegate and the hotel.

#### Unauthorised accommodation agents

It has been brought to our attention that there are multiple companies contacting past attendees, claiming to represent the IBA, offering 'assistance' with registration and hotel bookings. They are operating by cold-calling and spamming companies whose names have appeared on previous List of Participants, Programmes and Sponsorship recognition. The only Accommodation Agent the IBA works with is Judy Lane ICS. Judy Lane ICS do not contact delegates on behalf of the IBA without delegates making initial contact. Please ignore any communication that does not come directly from the IBA or Judy Lane ICS.

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The St Regis is wheelchair accessible. Please notify us if you require special assistance.

### **Continuing Professional Development /Continuing Legal Education**

For Conference delegates from jurisdictions where CPD/CLE is mandatory, the IBA will provide a Certificate of Attendance for the Conference. Subject to CPD/ CLE requirements, Conference delegates can use this to obtain the relevant number of hours' accreditation. The number of CPD/CLE hours available may vary depending on the rules applied by the members' bar association/law society on time recording criteria. A Certificate of Attendance is available to Conference delegates on request. Please ask at the IBA conference registration desk for information on how to obtain the certificate.

The organisers may at any time, with or without giving notice, in their absolute discretion and without giving any reason, cancel or postpone the conference, change its venue or any of the other published particulars, or withdraw any invitation to attend. In any case, neither the organisers nor any of their officers, employees, agents, members or representatives shall be liable for any loss, liability, damage or expense suffered or incurred by any person, nor will they return any money paid to them in connection with the conference unless they are satisfied not only that the money in question remains under their control but also that the person who paid it has been unfairly prejudiced (as to which, decision shall be in their sole and unfettered discretion and, when announced, final and conclusive).

#### **IBA Harassment Policy**

IBA conferences provide unrivalled professional development and network-building opportunities for international legal practitioners and their professional associates. The IBA values the participation of every delegate and member of the IBA and wants all attendees to have an enjoyable and fulfilling experience. Accordingly, all conference attendees are expected to show respect and courtesy to other attendees, IBA staff and those involved with hosting the events throughout the conference and at all conference events, receptions, and parties, whether officially organised by the IBA or others. All delegates, guests, attendees, speakers, exhibitors, staff and volunteers at any IBA event are required to conform to the IBA Harassment Policy.

# **Registration form**



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Please read the 'Information' section before completing this form and return it together with your bank transfer or cheque to the Conference Department at the address overleaf.

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HARD COPY REGISTRATION FORMS AND FEES RECEIVED:	on or before 27 August	after 27 August	amount payable
IBA Member *	€1,090	€ 1,220	€
Non-Member	€ 1,290	€ 1,420	€
Young Lawyer	€ 820	€ 1,420	€
Academics/judge	€ 820	€ 1,420	€
Public lawyers	€ 820	€ 1,420	€
Corporate counsel **	€ 980	€ 1,420	€

### SOCIAL FUNCTION

### 1800 – 2000 Friday 10 September Drinks reception, SE-STO on Arno Rooftop Bar, The Westin Excelsior

WIII	attend

NIL

One drinks reception ticket for each delegate is permitted.

TOTAL AMOUNT PAYABLE €

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FULL PAYMENT MUST BE RECEIVED IN ORDER TO PROCESS YOUR REGISTRATION. PLEASE NOTE THAT REGISTRATIONS ARE NOT TRANSFERABLE.

#### VAT (IVA)

The following will be applicable to conference registration fees and social functions purchased for the conference:

- Delegates are required to pay the total price including Italian Value Added Tax (VAT) Currently at 22%.
- Delegates tax resident in an EU member state are able to recover VAT in accordance with the EU 8th Directive on VAT refund claims.
- Non-EU residents delegates are able to recover Italian VAT incurred under the EU 13th VAT Directive where their country agrees to take reciprocal measures.
- Italian VAT refund procedures require that the application is submitted electronically through the portal of the tax authorities of the country in which the claimant is registered for tax purposes.

Please consult your tax advisor for further information.

#### METHODS OF PAYMENT

#### By credit card

Register online at **www.ibanet.org/conferences/conf1051.aspx** and make immediate and secure payment by credit card **Note:** please do not send your credit card details on the registration form or within an email or fax.

#### By bank transfer and cheque/draft

Please send me an invoice.

I enclose a cheque/draft for the total amount payable.

I have transferred to the IBA bank account the total amount payable and have attached a copy of the bank transfer details.

**Euro:** by cheque or bank draft, drawn on a euro zone bank and converted at the current rate of exchange and in favour of the International Bar Association.

**OR** by bank transfer to the IBA bank account number 550/00/06570631 (Sort Code 56-00-03) at the National Westminster Bank, St James's & Piccadilly Branch, 208 Piccadilly, London W1A 2DG, United Kingdom or SWIFT address NWBKGB2L, IBAN GB58NWBK60721106570631. **Please ensure that a copy of the bank transfer details is attached to your registration form.** 

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