

# DIS@Bucharest:

## DIScover Settlement Facilitation in Arbitration – German and CEE Perspectives

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The German Arbitration Institute (DIS) is Germany's leading arbitration institution since 1920. Settlements have shaped both our long-standing practice and our current Arbitration Rules. We invite you to join us in Bucharest for an engaging event focused on the DIS's experience and approach to settlement facilitation in arbitration.

Imagine a commercial dispute arising from a long-term distribution contract. The conflict threatens to irreparably damage a valuable business relationship, even though a final award could resolve the legal issues. A settlement-oriented approach offers the chance to preserve the commercial partnership and gives the parties greater control over the outcome. Procedurally, settlement facilitation can significantly reduce time and costs, for instance by avoiding hearings or taking of evidence, including document production. That said, it is essential that parties feel no pressure to settle and remain confident that the arbitral tribunal will resolve the dispute independently and impartially, should a settlement not be reached.

If you like to explore the practical side of settlement facilitation as developed in the DIS practice, join us for an afternoon of learning and networking with professionals from Romania, the region and Germany.

The event is organized by the DIS, the DIS40, YRAP (Young Romanian Arbitration Practitioners) and kindly hosted by Muşat & Asociații.

## Registration

Please register via the link below **on or before 2 June 2025**. By registering you accept the [DIS General Terms and Conditions](#) for Conferences and Workshops.

**Registration →**

Participation in the event is free of charge. Please address any questions to: [events@disarb.org](mailto:events@disarb.org)

4.00 pm	<b>Welcome</b> <b>Paul Buta</b> , Muşat & Asociații, Bucharest
4.05 pm	<b>Doing Business in Romania</b> <b>Sebastian Metz</b> , AHK Romania, Bucharest
4.10 pm	<b>DIS: Who We Are and What We Do?</b> <b>Stefan Kröll</b> , President of the German Arbitration Institute (DIS), Bonn/Berlin
4.20 pm	<b>The DIS Arbitration Rules and the Alternative Dispute Resolution Toolbox</b> <b>Ivan Petrov</b> , German Arbitration Institute (DIS), Berlin
4.40 pm	<b>Q&amp;A with the Secretariat</b>
4.50 pm	<b>Reaching an Amicable Settlement in Arbitration: German, Romanian and Regional Perspectives</b> <b>Cristina Alexe</b> , ACEADVISOR, Bucharest <b>Rumen Cholakov</b> , Three Verulam Buildings, London <b>Iuliana Iacob</b> , Muşat & Asociații, Bucharest <b>Stefan Kröll</b> , President of the German Arbitration Institute (DIS), Bonn/Berlin <b>Malgorzata Surdek-Janicka</b> , SURDEK Arbitration, Warsaw  Moderator: <b>Evgenia Peiffer</b> , CMS, Munich
6.00 – 6.30 pm	<b>Networking &amp; Cocktail</b>

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