

8 May 2025, 9<sup>00</sup> am – 5<sup>00</sup> pm  
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## Blockchain, Space, and Beyond? The Future Disputes in Arbitration

**Watch out:** The Early-disputes-birds-scenic-running starts on 8 May, 7.00 am at Planetarium Stuttgart, Willy-Brandt-Str. 25; plan for a 5 km run at relaxed pace; please send a short mail to [Christian.Steger@ebnerstolz.de](mailto:Christian.Steger@ebnerstolz.de), if you wish to participate so that we have enough power bars ready.

### Programme

8<sup>30</sup> am **Registration**

9<sup>00</sup> am **Opening Remarks**  
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9<sup>05</sup> am **Greeting and Welcome by the DIS**  
Reinmar Wolff, German Arbitration Institute, Bonn

9<sup>15</sup> am **The Future Unveiled: What's Next in the World of Innovation**  
Speaker: Abir Haddad, Institute for Legal Transformation, Bonn

9<sup>45</sup> am **Blockchain Disputes: From Smart Contracts to Smart Resolutions**  
Panelists: Kevin Li, rothorn legal, Frankfurt/Main  
Joanna Rindell, Trilitech, London  
Nino Sievi, Nater Dallafior, Zurich  
Moderator: Christian Steger, RSM Ebner Stolz, Hamburg  
Polina Lehmann, Clifford Chance, Frankfurt/Main

11<sup>00</sup> am **Coffee Break**

11<sup>30</sup> am **Space Affairs: Legal Battles Beyond Our Planet**  
Panelists: Jan Frohloff, SRP Partners, Munich  
Isabelle Mierau, Space Debris DAO, Berlin  
Julian Scheu, International Investment Law Centre, Cologne  
Allison Torline, Busse Disputes, Frankfurt/Main  
Moderator: Nadja Harraschain, A&O Shearman, Frankfurt/Main

12<sup>45</sup> pm **Lunch**

2<sup>00</sup> pm **Navigating New Frontiers: Dispute Resolution in ESG, the Metaverse, and eSports**  
Speakers: Laurence Doering, Mishcon de Reya, London  
Ekaterina Oger Grivnova, Squire Patton Boggs, Paris  
Leonid Shmatenko, 5GambitDisputes, Zurich

3<sup>30</sup> pm **Coffee Break**

4<sup>15</sup> pm **The New Geopolitical Reality for Legal Disputes**  
Speaker: Aled Griffiths, Co-Founder/former Chief Editor JUVE, Cologne  
Interviewer: Christian Steger, RSM Ebner Stolz, Hamburg

4<sup>45</sup> pm **Closing Remarks**  
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5<sup>00</sup> pm **End**

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### Registration

By booking you accept the [General Terms and Conditions](#) for Conferences and Workshops. The registration fee for the DIS40 Conference is EUR 180 plus VAT. The registration fee for In-house counsel is EUR 90 plus VAT.

We kindly ask for timely registration on or before 27 April 2025.

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Your DIS40 Co-Chairs  
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