

**SCIA&SCIAHK Dual Qualification Advanced Practical Training  
Program In International Commercial Arbitration**  
双城两院双认证国际商事仲裁高阶实务培训

**PROGRAM**

**3<sup>rd</sup> - 5<sup>th</sup> July 2024**

**Day 1: July 3 2024 Wednesday (Shenzhen)**

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09:00-09:10 Welcome Remarks

- **Dr. Xiaochun LIU, President of SCIA, Executive Chairman of SCIAHK**

09:10-09:30 Introduction of Participants

- **Mylene CHAN, Visiting Professor of Peking University School of Transnational Law**

09:30-10:00 Latest Development of International Arbitration in China:  
From the Perspective of SCIA

- **Guoyong HUANG, Director of International Cooperation and Development Dept of SCIA, Chairman of Jiangmen Arbitration Centre of SCIA**

- 10:00-10:10 Morning Coffee Break
- 10:10-10:40 Substantive Overview of the Program
- **Mylene CHAN**
- 12:00-13:00 How to Conduct Opening Statements and Closing Statements
- **O c t e w u ' S W P V C P K N N C . ' C t d k t c v q t ' q h C C C ' K E F T . " E q w p u g n l c p f ' O g f k c v q t ' h q t ' I m d c n l F k u r w w g ' T g u q n w k q p "**
  - **O { r g p g ' E J C P**
- 11:00-13:00 As an arbitrator, what are effective in opening statements and closing arguments?
- **Kim ROONEY, SCIA Arbitrator, Mediator, Barrister of Rede Chambers**
- 13:00-14:00 Lunch
- 14:00-15:00 Practice Pointers
- **Kim ROONEY**
- 15:00-15:40 SCIA Tower Tour
- 15:40-18:40 Workshops on Opening and Closing Statements
- **Coaches: Marcus QUINTANILLA & Mylene CHAN**
- 18:00-20:00 Welcome Reception

## Day 2: July 4 2024 Thursday (Hong Kong)

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- 10:00-10:30      Introduction of the International Arbitration Practice and Development in Hong Kong from the Perspective of SCIAHK
- **Xiongfeng LI, Deputy Secretary General of SCIAHK, Deputy Director of International Cooperation and Development Dept of SCIA**
- 10:30-10:40      Morning Coffee Break
- 10:40-12:40      Introduction to Cross Examination and Redirect Examination
- **Marcus QUINTANILLA & Mylene CHAN**
- 12:40-14:00      Lunch
- 14:00-17:00      Workshops on Cross Examination and Redirect Examination
- **Coaches: Marcus QUINTANILLA & Mylene CHAN**

### **Day 3: July 5 2024 Friday (Shenzhen)**

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09:00-09:30     Keynote Speech

- **Prof. Anselmo REYES, International Judge of the Singapore International Commercial Court, Judge of the Hong Kong High Court (2003-2012)**

09:30-12:50     Mock Arbitration

12:50-14:00     Lunch

14:00-15:30     Mock Arbitration Continue

15:30-16:00     Tribunal Feedback

16:00-16:45     Master Practitioner's Observation of Best Practices in Witness Examinations and Closing Arguments

- **Prof. Anselmo REYES**

16:45-17:15     Certificate Presentation Ceremony

*End of 3-Day Intensive International Arbitration Training*

## **Speakers' Profiles**

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### **Anselmo Reyes**



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Anselmo Reyes practises as an arbitrator and is currently an International Judge at the Singapore International Commercial Court. He was Professor of Legal Practice at Hong Kong University from 2012 to 2018. Before that, he was a judge of the Hong Kong High Court from 2003 to 2012, when he oversaw the Construction and Arbitration List and the Commercial and Admiralty Lists. He was Representative of the Hague Conference on Private International Law's Regional Office for the Asia Pacific from 2013 to 2017. He is an Overseas Bencher of the Inner Temple. He obtained a BA (Law), LLM and PhD in Law from Cambridge University in 1982, 1983 and 1987 respectively. He was appointed Senior Counsel in Hong Kong in 2001.

## Marcus Quintanilla



Marcus Quintanilla serves as arbitrator, mediator, and counsel in domestic and international disputes. A Fellow of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators, he works primarily on complex commercial matters and cases in the construction, energy, and technology sectors. He handles cases in English and Spanish and is comfortable working on matters governed either by Common Law or Civil Law. He maintains arbitration chambers in San Francisco, Houston, and Miami.

Marcus comes to neutral work after a 20-year career as an advocate focused on international arbitration and cross-border litigation. As a partner in a leading international disputes firm, his clients ranged from multinational energy companies, closely-held family businesses, and global leaders in mining, infrastructure, semiconductors, and consumer brands.

Marcus is on the arbitrator rosters of the ICDR, the AAA's Commercial and Construction divisions, and the Energy Disputes Arbitration Center in Ankara, Turkey. He teaches international arbitration at UC Davis Law School and serves in a range of professional groups including the ABA's Forum on Construction Law, California Arbitration (CalArb), the Houston International Arbitration Club (HIAC), the Miami International Arbitration Society (MIAS), and the Club Español e Iberoamericano del Arbitraje (CEIA).

Alongside his work as a neutral, Marcus is Of Counsel at Umberg Zipser LLP, where he represents clients in arbitration and cross-border litigation matters.

## Kim Rooney



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Kim Rooney is an international arbitrator of aviation, commercial, finance, infrastructure, investment and ITC disputes, a Hong Kong barrister and mediator. She is a member of the ICC's International Court of Arbitration. Kim chaired the Hong Kong Law Reform Commission's Subcommittee on Third Party Funding for Arbitration, co-drafting Part 10A of the Arbitration Ordinance Cap 609 and the Code of Conduct for Third Party Funding for Arbitration (Hong Kong). She is the editor of the IBA's "Dispute Resolution International", co-author of "ICCA's Guide to the Interpretation of the 1958 New York Convention: A Handbook for Judges" 1st Edition (2012) and an ADR Contributing Editor for "Hong Kong Civil Procedure". Kim was previously a partner of White & Case LLP, heading its Asian dispute resolution practice. She is also admitted as a Western Australia Barrister and Solicitor and a Solicitor in England and Wales.

Kim is on the panels of arbitrators of many international and Mainland arbitral institutions including the SCIA. She is the Chair of the Hong Kong Bar Association's Arbitration Committee and a member of the Bar's Council. Kim lectures on international dispute resolution and advocacy including at Peking University School of Law and is listed in various international directories.

## **Mylene Chan**



Mylene Chan is a Visiting Faculty of Peking University School of Transactional Law. Previously she was a Founders' Fellow at Mediators Beyond Borders International and an a Fellow and appointed delegate for the International Institute of Conflict of Prevention and Resolution to the United Nations Commission on International Law's annual meetings and colloquiums. She has mediated in a variety of conflicts of all scales, from small-scale disputes to mid and large scale conflicts, including commercial, social, economic, political, and environmental disputes. She has worked as a transactional lawyer for nearly two decades in Washington D.C., Beijing, Shanghai, and Hong Kong in Freshfields, Lovells, Simmons and Simmons, and in a legal consultancy capacity for Hong Kong and U.K. listed companies. She has written widely on ADR topics individually and as a contributor with professors at the Harvard Program on Negotiation. She is a regular writer for the opinion pages at Hong Kong's South China Morning Post on topics of mediation. Ms. Chan is a graduate of the Juilliard School of Music, Yale University (B.S. in Economics and Philosophy), and George Washington University Law School (J.D.).

Mylene is on the arbitrator roster of the Beijing Arbitration Commission/Beijing International Arbitration Center. Mylene is also in collaboration with Hon & Co, where she represents clients in litigation, arbitration, and cross-border litigation matters.