

ASIAN INSTITUTE OF INTERNATIONAL FINANCIAL LAW (AIIFL)  
FACULTY OF LAW, UNIVERSITY OF HONG KONG

**SENIOR EXECUTIVE PROGRAMME COURSE**  
**RECENT DEVELOPMENTS IN SHIPPING LAW**

The Law Faculty is pleased to announce the launch of its Senior Executive Programme (SEP).

The SEP will comprise a series of intensive weekend courses on cutting-edge topics in civil, commercial, arbitration, environmental, securities, and financial law. The courses will update practitioners on developments in specified areas of the law. Each course will consist of an intensive series of interactive seminars (held over one weekend and running for a total of 10 hours) led by prominent judges, lawyers, academics and other experts on the subject matter of the course.

Attendees will receive a certificate and CPD points upon completion of a weekend course.

The first SEP course will be on Shipping Law. It will take place on **16 (Saturday) and 17 (Sunday) January 2016** at the Faculty of Law, The University of Hong Kong, Cheng Yu Tung Tower, Centennial Campus, Pokfulam Road, Hong Kong. The course will be led by:-

- **Sir Bernard Eder**, Essex Court Chambers, London; International Judge of the Singapore International Commercial Court; formerly Judge of the High Court of England and Wales; Senior Editor of *Scrutton on Charterparties and Bills of Lading*.
- **Professor Francis Reynolds QC**, Emeritus Professor of Law (Oxford); Visiting Professor (Hong Kong); contributing editor to *Bowstead and Reynolds on Agency*, *Carver on Bills of Lading*, and *Benjamin's Sale of Goods*.
- **Mr. Toh Kian Sing SC**, Senior Partner and Head, Shipping & International Trade Practice Group, Rajah & Tann Singapore LLP; author of *Admiralty Law and Practice* (2<sup>nd</sup> ed.).

**Fees:**

- (1) The fee for the SEP course is HK\$10,000 per person. The fee is payable upon registration. Persons registering on or before **8 January 2016** will enjoy a discounted fee of HK\$8,000 per person.
- (2) Members of the Hong Kong Maritime Law Association (HKMLA) will enjoy a discounted fee of HK\$8,000 per person. HKMLA members registering on or before **8 January 2016** will enjoy a further discounted fee of HK\$7,000 per person.
- (3) Members of the Institute of Chartered Shipbrokers, Hong Kong Branch (ICSHK) will enjoy a discounted fee of HK\$8,000 per person. ICSHK members registering on or before **8 January 2016** will enjoy a further discounted fee of HK\$7,000 per person.
- (4) Members of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators (East Asia Branch) (CIArb) will enjoy a discounted fee of HK\$8,000 per person. CIArb members registering on or before **8 January 2016** will enjoy a further discounted fee of HK\$7,000 per person.
- (5) Members of the Hong Kong Institute of Arbitrators (HKIArb) will enjoy a discounted fee of HK\$8,000 per person. HKIArb members registering on or before **8 January 2016** will enjoy a further discounted fee of HK\$7,000 per person.
- (6) Law firms registering 5 or more persons on or before **8 January 2016** will enjoy a discounted fee of HK\$7,000 per person registered.
- (7) Cheques should be payable to **"The University of Hong Kong"** and sent to **Flora Leung, Faculty of Law, The University of Hong Kong, 10/F Cheng Yu Tung Tower, Centennial Campus, Pokfulam Road, Hong Kong**.

Due to space considerations and to ensure that discussions are as interactive as possible, the course will be limited to 50 persons on a first come, first served basis.

Persons wishing to attend the SEP course should **register online** via [www.AIIFL.com](http://www.AIIFL.com) or [https://hkuems1.hku.hk/hkuems/ec\\_hdetail.aspx?guest=Y&ueid=40502](https://hkuems1.hku.hk/hkuems/ec_hdetail.aspx?guest=Y&ueid=40502).

### PROVISIONAL PROGRAMME

**Venue: Cheng Yu Tung Tower, Faculty of Law, HKU (exact classroom will be confirmed later)**

#### **Saturday 16 January 2016**

**5.5 CPD points have been approved by The Law Society of Hong Kong**

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| 10.00 – 11.00 | Introduction and Overview of Recent Trends in Shipping Law:<br><i>Lead discussant: Sir Bernard Eder</i>   |
| 11.00 – 11.30 | Coffee break  |
| 11.30 – 13.00 | Developments in Admiralty Practice<br><i>Lead discussant: Toh Kian Sing SC</i>  |
| 13.00 – 14.00 | Lunch (Sandwiches and soft drinks will be provided at the venue.)   |
| 14.00 – 15.30 | Marine Insurance (with focus on recent developments in London)<br><i>Lead discussant: Sir Bernard Eder</i>  |
| 15.30 – 16.00 | Coffee break  |
| 16.00 – 17.00 | Recent Developments in Maritime Arbitration: London, Singapore and Hong Kong<br><i>Lead discussant: Sir Bernard Eder</i>  |
| 17.00 – 17.30 | Q & A Session (1)<br>Attendees are to provide 2 questions in advance on matters of interest to them. Topics for Q&A Sessions (1) and (2) will be drawn from the questions supplied. |

#### **Sunday 17 January 2016**

**4.5 CPD points have been approved by The Law Society of Hong Kong**

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| 10.00 – 11.00 | A Guide to the OW Litigation<br><i>Lead discussants: Sir Bernard Eder &amp; Professor Francis Reynolds QC</i>  |
| 11.00 – 11.30 | Coffee break   |
| 11.30 – 12.00 | The Lamma Ferry Inquiry and Its Aftermath<br><i>Lead discussant: Professor Anselmo Reyes</i>                   |
| 12.00 – 13.00 | Shipbuilding Contracts<br><i>Lead discussant: Sir Bernard Eder</i>   |
| 13.00 – 14.00 | Lunch (Sandwiches and soft drinks will be provided at the venue.)  |
| 14.00 – 15.30 | Bills of Lading & Charterparties: Recent Developments<br><i>Lead discussant: Professor Francis Reynolds QC</i> |
| 15.30 – 16.00 | Q & A Session (2)  |

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