Conference on “Dispute Resolution in Asia and Beyond: Progress and Trends”  
(17-18 May 2018)

The School of Law is marking its 30th anniversary as a path-breaking provider of legal education in Hong Kong and in the Asia Pacific region. To celebrate this remarkable occasion, its Centre for Chinese and Comparative Law (RCCL) will organize the Conference on “Dispute Resolution in Asia and Beyond: Progress and Trends” on 17 and 18 May 2018 in Hong Kong.

The objective of this Conference is to provide a platform for leading scholars and arbitrators worldwide to share and exchange their opinions concerning the status quo and the future of international dispute resolution (commercial arbitration, investment arbitration and international commercial courts) and for the Asian region in particular.

The Conference will be divided into the following themes:

1) International Commercial Arbitration;
2) Investment Treaty Arbitration;
3) International Commercial Courts; and
4) Progress and Trends in Dispute Resolution Worldwide.

Topics covered in this Conference include:

• to what extent party autonomy can be limited in international arbitrations;
• the use of experts in international arbitration;
• the proliferation of international commercial courts;
• strategies for enforcement of arbitral awards;
• interacting with local courts: interim measures and local procedural laws; and
• how to rebalance the current investment arbitration system.

The details of the Conference are as follows:

Date: 17-18 May 2018 (Thursday & Friday)  
Time: 10:00am-6:00pm  
Venue: Connie Fan Multi-media Conference Room, 4/F Cheng Yick-chi Building, City University of Hong Kong  
Language: English

Admission is free. Limited seats are available on a first-come-first serve basis.  
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