International Mediation during and after Covid-19 (Prospects of Online Mediation and Its Effectiveness)

Date and time: November 20, 2020 (Friday)

18:00 to 20:00 (Japan), 17:00 to 19:00 (Singapore)

10:00 to 12:00 (CST), 14:30 to 16:30 (IST), 1:00 to 3:00 (PST), 4:00 to 6:00 (EST)

Location: Zoom Webinar

(Pre-registration: https://zoom.us/webinar/register/WN TfZtSMLkTPeGvp-bT3L1hA)

Co-Organizers: Japan International Mediation Center in Kyoto (JIMC), Japan Association of Arbitrators (JAA), Singapore International Mediation Centre (SIMC), Doshisha University Center for International Transactions and International Legal Research, Kyoto Bar Association

17:40-18:00	Reception
18:00-18:05	Opening Remarks
	By Akira Kawamura (President of JAA)
	Opening Video Messages
18:05-18:13	By Yoko Kamikawa, Minister of Justice in Japan
	By K. Shanmugam SC, Minister for Home Affairs and Minister for Law
	in Singapore
	Lectures
18:13-18:25	International mediation with and after Covid-19 ~Roles of the Japan
	International Mediation Centre in Kyoto
	By Naoshi Takasugi (Deputy Chief Director of JIMC-Kyoto, Vice
	President of Doshisha University)
18:25-18:50	Singapore International Mediation Centre and JIMC-SIMC Joint Covid-
	19 Protocol
	By Lok Vi Ming SC (Vice Chairman, SIMC)
	By Chuan Wee Meng (CEO, SIMC)
18:50-19:20	Online International Mediation
	By James Claxton (Steering Committee member of JIMC-Kyoto,
	Professor of Rikkyo University)
19:20-19:50	Issues Surrounding Online Mediation and the Enforceability of
	International Settlement Agreements Resulting from Mediation
	By Yoshimasa Furuta (Steering Committee member of JIMC-Kyoto,
	Attorney at law)
19:50-20:00	Closing Remarks
	By George Lim SC (Chairman, SIMC)
	By Haruo Okada (Chief Director, JIMC-Kyoto)

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^{*} Language: Japanese and English (with simultaneous interpretation)

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