



ANNEX A

Programme of UNCITRAL Academy

**Conference
30 August 2022, Tuesday**

9.30am	Conference Opening
9.40am	Welcome Address by Minister for Home Affairs and Minister for Law, Mr K Shanmugam SC
9.50am	Remarks by UNCITRAL Secretary, Ms Anna Joubin-Bret
10.00am	Fireside Chat: Evolution of the Legal Industry — Challenges and Opportunities <u>Speaker</u> Minister for Culture, Community and Youth and Second Minister for Law, Mr Edwin Tong SC
10.40am	Panel Discussion: Reforms in Investor-State Dispute Settlement — Perspectives from the Asia-Pacific Region
11.50am	Launch of Second Edition of Singapore Convention on Mediation Commentary book by the Singapore International Dispute Resolution Academy (SIDRA) Officiated by Senior Parliamentary Secretary, Ministry of Health and Ministry of Law, Mdm Rahayu Mahzam
12.05pm	Networking Lunch
1.45pm	Panel Discussion: Mediation, Adjudication and Arbitration in Specialised Fields
2.55pm	Panel Discussion: Dispute Settlement and Climate Change
4.05pm	Panel Discussion: Dispute Resolution in the Digital Economy
5.15pm	End of Conference

Workshops
31 August 2022, Wednesday

7.00pm – 9.30pm	<p>UNCITRAL Academy Government Capacity-Building Workshop</p> <p><i>*This event is by invitation for government officials only</i></p>
7.30pm – 9.00pm	<p>UNCITRAL Academy Industry Capacity-Building Workshop – Midnight Clauses and “SMART” Settlement Agreements: Tackling Delay, Confidentiality and Enforceability</p> <p><i>*This event is open to the public</i></p>

1 September 2022, Thursday

7.00pm – 9.30pm	<p>UNCITRAL Academy Investor-State Dispute Settlement Capacity-Building Workshop</p> <p><i>*This event is by invitation for government officials only</i></p>
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All timings are reflected in GMT +8.

For more information, please view the full programme [here](#).