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# 4th Annual Corporate Governance Conference

**7–8 December 2017, Jumeirah Frankfurt,  
Frankfurt, Germany**

This essential conference will provide you with the opportunity to discuss issues and challenges facing the sector with other leading lawyers, academics and organisations in the fields of corporate governance and regulation.

**Topics include:**

- Recent trends and hot topics
- Lessons learned from Volkswagen
- Corporate governance for financial institutions
- ESG environmental, social and governance responsibility
- Executive compensation
- Current disclosure issues in annual reports



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# Programme

## Conference Co-Chairs

**Peter Castellon** *Proskauer, London; Co-Chair, IBA Capital Markets Forum*

**Damien Zoubek** *Cravath Swaine & Moore, New York; Chair, Corporate Governance Subcommittee, IBA Corporate and M&A Law Committee*

## Organising Committee

**Alexei Bonamin** *TozziniFreire Advogados, São Paulo; Website Officer, IBA Capital Markets Forum*

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## Host Committee

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## Thursday 7 December

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0830 – 1800 **Registration**

0930 – 0945 **Opening address by the Conference Co-Chairs**

0945 – 1115

### Recent trends and hot topics

This panel will discuss current developments and trends in corporate governance, with a focus on the increasing shareholder activism, communication between investors and non-executive and supervisory board members, shareholders' engagement against the background of the recently adopted amendments to the European Shareholders Rights Directive and the protection of minority shareholders in view of dual-class shareholder structures and controlling shareholders.

*Session Co-Chairs*

**Heleen Kersten** *Stibbe, Amsterdam*

**Simon Link** *Hengeler Mueller, Munich*

*Speakers*

**Bertrand Cardi** *Darois Villey Maillot Brochier, Paris; Newsletter Editor, IBA Corporate and M&A Law Committee*

**Ellisa Habbart** *The Delaware Counsel Group, Wilmington*

**Christof Schwab** *Computershare, Munich*

**Dr Claudia Junker** *General Counsel, Deutsche Telekom, Bonn*

**Richard Smith** *Slaughter and May, London*

1115 – 1145 **Coffee/tea break**

1145 – 1315

### Corporate governance issues in executive compensation

This session will explore corporate governance issues in the field of executive compensation with a focus on issues of concern to various constituencies, including boards of directors, executive management, shareholders and proxy advisors. The session will also cover evolving regulatory issues, such as 'say on pay' and clawback regulations in various jurisdictions.

*Session Co-Chairs*

**Jonathan Katz** *Cravath Swaine & Moore, New York*

**Andrea S Rattner** *Proskauer, New York*

*Speakers*

**Juan Bonilla** *Cuatrecasas Gonçalves Pereira, Madrid; Vice Chair, IBA Employment and Industrial Relations Law Committee*

**Michael H Kramarsch** *HKP Group, Frankfurt*

1315 – 1430 **Lunch**

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1430 – 1600

## Corporate governance for financial institutions

Effective corporate governance is critical to the proper functioning of the financial markets. Risk governance as part of a financial institution's overall corporate governance framework, strong boards and board committees together with effective control functions are of paramount importance. This panel will discuss:

- Board's overall responsibilities, qualifications and composition and own structure and practices
- Senior management
- Governance of group structures
- Risk management function
- Risk identification, monitoring and controlling
- Risk communication
- Compliance and internal audit
- Compensation
- Disclosure and transparency

### Session Co-Chairs

**Alexei Bonamin** *TozziniFreire Advogados, São Paulo; Website Officer, IBA Capital Markets Forum*

**Guy Harles** *Arendt & Medernach, Luxembourg; Senior Vice Chair, IBA Corporate and M&A Law Committee*

### Speakers

**René Bösch** *Homburger, Zurich*

**Dorian Drew** *Clifford Chance, London*

**Bernd Mayer** *Skadden Arps Slate Meagher & Flom, Munich*

**Marta Viegas** *Corporate Governance Lead Officer of the Inter-American Investment Corporation (IIC), Inter-American Development Bank Group, Washington DC*

1600 – 1630 **Coffee/tea break**

1630 – 1800

## Environmental, social and governance responsibility

Environmental, Societal and Governance (ESG) criteria are a set of standards for a company's operations. Environmental criteria looks at how a company performs as a steward of the natural environment. Social criteria examines how a company manages relationships with its employees, suppliers, customers and the communities where it operates. Governance deals with a company's leadership, executive pay, audits and internal controls, and shareholder rights.

The sessions will consider the perspectives of the Stock Exchange, an issuer, an institutional investor and external counsel on the following questions:

- What does ESG mean?
- How do legislators and regulators address ESG in regulations?
- How is ESG embedded within the structure and culture of a company?
- What is the approach to ESG responsibility from an investor's perspective?
- How can a legal counsel add value to the ESG approach of a client?

### Session Co-Chairs

**Urs P Gnos** *Walder Wyss, Zurich*

**Jose Luis Rodriguez** *Cuatrecasas Gonçalves Pereira, Madrid*

### Speakers

**Sara Lovisolo** *London Stock Exchange Group, Milan*

**Esteban Mezzano** *Nestlé, Vevey, Switzerland*

**Steve Monnier** *BlackRock, London*

**Ann Beth Stebbins** *Skadden Arps Slate Meagher & Flom, New York*

1930 – 2230 **Conference dinner**

*Villa Merton*

*Am Leonhardsbrunn 12, 60487 Frankfurt am Main*

Located in Frankfurt's diplomatic quarter, Villa Merton is home to the Union International Club. Built in 1927, this neo-baroque town house now hosts Michelin-starred chef André Großfeld and his team. Enjoy an evening of networking with your fellow delegates in this elegant setting.

Ticket price: €110

Entry is by ticket only. Transport will not be provided.



## Continuing Professional Development/Continuing Legal Education

\*The number of CPD/CLE hours available may vary depending on the rules applied by the members' bar association/law society on time recording criteria.

For conference delegates from jurisdictions where CPD/CLE is mandatory, the IBA will provide a Certificate of Attendance for the conference. Subject to CPD/CLE requirements, this can be used by conference delegates to obtain the relevant number of hours' accreditation.

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0830 – 1230 **Registration**

0900 – 1030

## Lessons learned from Volkswagen

This session will discuss problems related to one of the largest German corporate scandals of recent times and examine issues and risks facing multinational companies. The session will be of interest to lawyers in private practice as well as to in-house counsel, directors and senior management of international businesses. Learn from experts who know how to deal with these issues, to understand and manage risks your business or your clients may face.

*Session Chair*

**Prof Tobias H Troeger** *Goethe University, Frankfurt*

*Speakers*

**Dr Theodor Baums** *Member, European Council for Corporate Governance and Company Law, Frankfurt*

**Emily Christiansen** *Kessler Topaz Meltzer Check, Radnor, Pennsylvania*

**Nadine Hermann** *Quinn Emanuel Urquhart & Sullivan, Hamburg*

**Christoph Nolden** *SZA Schilling Zutt & Anshütz, Frankfurt*

**Marnix Somsen** *De Brauw Blackstone Westbroek, Amsterdam*

1030 – 1100 **Coffee/tea break**

1100 – 1230

## Current disclosure issues in annual reports

There is constant dialogue among directors and investors about governance issues and the scope of disclosure in annual reports. Regulators step in and shift that balance one way or another, still leaving a lot of discretion and responsibility to directors. Even though investors mainly focus on financial data, the content of annual reports has recently grown significantly and contains much non-financial information and boiler plate provisions that are not easy to read or understand. Directors are often willing to take a 'safe' approach and provide creditors and investors with all information formally required under applicable rules and codes, but not the information the serious investors and creditors are really looking for. This sometimes creates unintended incentives for 'greenmailing' activism.

The session will address the various global and regional current issues related to disclosure and will aim to provide useful guidance on management of risks related to that, including the following:

- Better alignment to reporting issues in different reports. Harmonisation of procedures and implementing common standards for execution of shareholders' right to information
- Pros and cons of the consequences that make disclosure meaningful. Directors' professional judgement in determining what is material and must be disclosed. Responsibility for such decisions
- Materiality requirements and scope of information to be disclosed. The approach of regulators. EU law (new Shareholders' Right Directive)
- How does shareholder activism depend on the scope of disclosure? What unintended incentives do disclosure obligations create?
- Corporate governance codes: is the 'comply or explain approach' still effective? Unified corporate governance code versus national (stock market) corporate governance codes
- Other communication platforms: is there a more effective channel for management to communicate with investors and creditors?
- The role of auditors: is the auditing more focused on compliance or a professional judgement? Should this be changed?

*Session Co-Chairs*

**Dovile Burgiene** *Ellex Valiunas, Vilnius; Website Officer, IBA Corporate and M&A Law Committee*

**Andreas Meyer** *Deutsche Bank, Frankfurt am Main*

*Speakers*

**Sergio González Galán** *Garrigues, Madrid*

**Myron T Steele** *Potter Anderson & Corroon, Dover, Delaware; Judges' Forum Liaison Officer, IBA Professional Ethics Committee*

**Takashi Toichi** *TMI Associates, Tokyo*

1230 – 1245 **Closing remarks**

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# Information

## Date

7–8 December 2017

## Venue

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60313 Frankfurt, Germany  
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Email: [JFinfo@jumeirah.com](mailto:JFinfo@jumeirah.com)

## Fees

*Online registrations received:*

	on or before 27 October	until 1 December
IBA member	€835	€940
Non-member*	€995	€1,100
Young lawyers (under 30 years)	€630	€1,100
Academics/judges (full-time)	€630	€1,100
Public lawyers	€630	€1,100
Corporate counsel**	€750	€1,100
Conference dinner	€110	€110

After **1 December** registrations must be received in hard copy at the IBA office.

*Hard copy registration forms and fees received:*

	on or before 27 October	after 27 October
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- 1) Password access to certain parts of the IBA website.
- 2) Receipt of *IBA E-news* and access to online versions of *IBA Global Insight*.
- 3) Pay the member rate for any subsequent conference registrations for this calendar year.

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A reduced rate is offered to lawyers who are over the age of 65, have been an IBA member for more than 20 years and are no longer practising law.

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## How to register

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## Fees include:

- Attendance at all working sessions
- Conference materials, including any available speakers' papers submitted to the IBA before 24 November.
- Access to the above conference working materials from the IBA website ([www.ibanet.org](http://www.ibanet.org)) approximately seven days prior to the conference
- Access to mobile delegate search application
- Lunch on Thursday 7 December
- Tea and coffee during breaks

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## List of participants

In order for your name to appear in the list of participants, which will be distributed at the conference, your registration form must be received by **1 December** at the latest.

## Mobile delegate search application

All registered delegates will receive a printed list of participants at the conference, however delegates are now also able to use the mobile delegate search. This application has been developed to aid networking by giving delegates instant access to an up-to-date list of their fellow attendees, and comes with the added benefit of a built-in messaging service. All registered delegates with an internet or Wi-Fi-enabled device will have access, using their IBA username and password. Simply visit: [m.ibanet.org/conf827](http://m.ibanet.org/conf827)

## Registration confirmation

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If cancellation is received in writing at the IBA office by **10 November**, fees will be refunded less a 25 per cent administration charge. Refunds will be made minus any monies owed to the IBA.

We regret that no refunds can be made after this date. Registrations received after 10 November will not be eligible for any refund of registration fees. Please note that **NO** exception will be made to this policy. Should you have difficulties in obtaining your visa and are not able to attend the conference this cancellation policy will still apply.

Provided you have cancelled your registration to attend an IBA conference in accordance with the terms of the 'cancellation of registration' clause included in the 'Information' section of the relevant conference programme,

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A limited number of rooms have been reserved at the Jumeirah Frankfurt for the nights of 6–7 December inclusive at the following rates:

Deluxe room: €219

The above rates are per room, per night and inclusive of all taxes, but exclusive of breakfast.

Please use the following hotel website link [www.jumeirah.com/Frankfurt](http://www.jumeirah.com/Frankfurt) and include the **Group Code INT061217** to make your reservation. The hotel requires a credit card number to secure your reservation.

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**Please apply for your visa in good time.**

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**As a limited number of rooms have been blocked at the hotel, availability cannot be guaranteed once the room block is full.**

Delegates are responsible for making accommodation reservations directly with the hotel and entering into an agreement with the hotel regarding credit card guarantees, cancellation terms and conditions, and room rates (should these differ from the special IBA rate). The IBA cannot accept responsibility for hotel accommodation disputes between a delegate and the hotel.

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It has been brought to our attention that there are multiple companies contacting past attendees, claiming to represent the IBA, offering 'assistance' with registration and hotel bookings.

They are operating by cold-calling and spamming companies whose names have appeared on previous List of Participants, Programmes and Sponsorship recognition. The only Accommodation Agent the IBA works with is JLC ICS. JLC ICS do not contact delegates on behalf of the IBA without delegates making initial contact. Please ignore any communication that does not come directly from the IBA or JLC ICS.

### Disabled access

The Jumeirah Frankfurt is wheelchair accessible. Please notify us if you require special assistance.

### Social programme

#### Thursday 7 December

1930 – 2230 **Conference dinner**

Villa Merton

Am Leonhardsbrunn 12, 60487 Frankfurt am Main

Ticket price: €110

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- Acquire a greater knowledge of the role of law in society
- Be part of the debate on the future of the law



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# Registration form



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Please tick box if you have allergen intolerances and specify \_\_\_\_\_

Please state all other dietary requirements clearly, i.e. I am a vegetarian; I do not eat red meat.

*Disclosure of dietary information denotes you have agreed to the IBA sharing this information with relevant third parties who are providing catering on our behalf.*

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### SOCIAL FUNCTION

Conference dinner Number of tickets \_\_\_\_\_ @ €110 €

One dinner ticket for each delegate is permitted.

Social function ticket reservations are subject to availability and cannot be guaranteed unless payment has been received before **1 December**.

**TOTAL AMOUNT PAYABLE €**



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