



The Society of Construction Law Australia

invite you to an interactive panel discussion on

“Standard Form Construction Contracts – Key Issues and Developments in Australia and Overseas”

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Standard form contracts remain popular in the construction industry in Australia and overseas. In particular, the Australian Standard forms of contract are commonly used for construction projects in Australia and New Zealand, and the FIDIC and NEC forms of contract are often used for international construction projects. It is important for industry participants and advisers to be aware of recent developments in relation to these standard form contracts, as well as key tips and traps.

The Society is pleased to present an interactive panel discussion on ‘Standard Form Construction Contracts – Key Issues and Developments in Australia and Overseas.’ The Society has arranged for a number of prominent speakers to contribute to this event (in person at their location and via video conference for all other venues) - it promises to be an informative and interesting evening. Confirmed speakers and topics are as follows:

Speaker	Topic
Dr Donald Charrett (Melbourne) Barrister, Arbitrator & Mediator FIDIC President’s List of Approved Adjudicators	FIDIC – Recent Developments and Key Tips and Traps
Steven Evans (Brisbane) Director, CMC Asia Pacific BSc(Hons) LLB(Hons) FCIArb FAMINZ(Arb) FFAVE(Master) FRICS FCIInstCES FCIQB FICE PRI	NEC Suite of Contracts – Recent Developments and Key Tips and Traps
Professor Ian Bailey AM SC (Sydney) Senior Counsel, Grade 1 Arbitrator, Fellow of IAMA and ACICA, Arbitration panel member of HKIAC, CIETAC and KLRCA, Professorial fellow of Melbourne Law School	AS11000 – Status update
Donna Charlesworth (Perth) Special Counsel, Clayton Utz LLB (UWA), LLM (Edinburgh)	Australian Standard forms of contracting – key trends in Western Australia

For further details in relation to the venue, start times and order of proceedings and how to RSVP, please see below.

1. Start times / venues

Location	Event start time	Venue
Adelaide	Arrivals from 5.15pm Formal start time – 5.30pm	Piper Alderman Level 16 70 Franklin Street Adelaide SA 5000
Brisbane	Arrivals from 5.45pm Formal start time - 6pm	Piper Alderman Riparian Plaza Level 26 71 Eagle Street Brisbane QLD 4000
Melbourne	Arrivals from 5.45pm Formal start time - 6pm	Clayton Utz Level 18 333 Collins Street Melbourne
Perth	Arrivals from 3.45pm Formal start time - 4pm	Clayton Utz Level 27 QV1 Building 250 St Georges Terrace Perth
Sydney	Arrivals from 5.45pm Formal start time - 6pm	King & Wood Mallesons Level 61 Governor Phillip Tower 1 Farrer Place Sydney

2. Order of proceedings / event schedule (there will be a simultaneous broadcast in all cities and times given below are AEST. Please adjust for your city)

Time	Event schedule
5:45 pm	Arrivals and dial up
5:55 pm	Introduction and welcome by Chair
6:00 pm	Formal presentations commence
7:00 pm	End of formal presentations; refreshments / networking commences

3. RSVP

Please RSVP for the venue you will be attending

Adelaide	CSwanson@piperalderman.com.au
Brisbane	Click here to RSVP for Brisbane
Melbourne	skelly@claytonutz.com
Perth	ehopkinson@claytonutz.com
Sydney	Click here to RSVP for Sydney

Charge: No charge (however please let your RSVP contact know at least 24 hours prior to the event if you are no longer able to attend)

Following the presentation there will be an opportunity to network with your colleagues over refreshments. We look forward to seeing you there.