BEING A BANKER IN A POST-CRISIS WORLD: RISKS AND LIABILITIES

The Banking, Finance and Capital Markets Law Commission, the International Business Law Commission, the Litigation Commission, the Corporate Counsel Commission and the Commercial Fraud Commission of AIJA would like to invite you to participate to the seminar “Being a banker in a post-crisis world: risks and liabilities” which will take place in Luxembourg, the second largest investment fund centre in the world after the United States, the premier captive reinsurance market in the European Union and the premier private banking centre in the Eurozone.

It is now more than three years that, in July 2007, the first signs of a major financial crisis appeared and caused what is now called the “Great Recession”. Since then, we have been through the collapse of large financial institutions, the bailout of banks by national governments, the disclosure of major financial frauds, many downturns in stock markets around the world and a sovereign debt crisis. It is now time to ask ourselves: what have we learned from all of this?

This seminar aims to present and share the experiences of expert lawyers, managers and in-house lawyers of banks on the lessons to be derived from these past events and from the new rules and regulations imposed by governments further to them. It will also focus on recent developments of case-law in these fields and draw on experience of lawyers who have been involved in the key matters of these last three years.

This seminar will give you the opportunity to discover the well-known and less-well-known treasures of the Grand-Duchy of Luxembourg, including Luxembourg-City, which offer a surprising contrast between the old city, with its thousand-year-old fortifications, winding alleyways and picturesque homes, and the upper city, a true cosmopolitan centre perched on a rocky plateau, and its surroundings such as the Moselle Valley, a charming place, with traditional villages and sun-drenched hillsides covered with grape vines. You will certainly enjoy the art of living “à la luxembourgeoise”!

We will do our best to surprise you and your new and old AIJA colleagues and friends!

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