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A Full Day Dedicated to Construction Law, Arbitration & Dispute Resolution

5 November 2026 | InterContinental Athénée Palace, Bucharest



CONFERENCE

10th International Conference of the Society of Construction Law Romania

Perspectives of Construction Law: The Present & Future of Best Practices in Construction & Arbitration

Organised by the Society of Construction Law Romania, in partnership with the Faculty of Law of the Bucharest University of Economic Studies and the CIArb European Branch

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CIARB EVENT

CIArb and Professional Pathways in Dispute Resolution

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Join the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators (CIArb) European Branch for an afternoon exploring CIArb's international role, internationally recognised qualifications and professional pathways in arbitration and alternative dispute resolution for legal and non-legal professionals.

ATTEND EITHER EVENT – OR JOIN US FOR BOTH

Two complementary events bringing together the construction law, arbitration and dispute resolution communities for a full day of insights, professional exchange and networking.

Separate registration applies for each event. Registration for the conference includes participation in the CIArb event. Participation in the CIArb event is free of charge. Places are limited and advance registration is required.

Programme

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08:30 – 09:00	Registration & Welcome Coffee
09:00 – 09:20	**Welcome Remarks**
09:20 – 09:35	KEYNOTE **Dr. Cosmin Tobolcea** President of the Romanian Association of Consulting Engineers (ARIC), FIDIC Board Member
09:35 – 10:45	SESSION 1 **Building Under New Rules – Legislative and Regulatory Change in Construction and Infrastructure**
10:45 – 11:00	Coffee Break
11:00 – 12:10	SESSION 2 **Quantifying Delay and Disruption – International Perspectives on Current and Future Protocols**
12:10 – 12:25	Coffee Break
12:25 – 12:40	KEYNOTE **Dr. Petru Nicolae** CEO & Director General, Geostud
12:40 – 13:50	SESSION 3 **Getting the Contract Right – Procurement Strategy, Risk Allocation and Contract Management in Public Projects**
13:50 – 14:50	Lunch
14:50 – 15:05	KEYNOTE **Dr. Sergiu Petrea** President of the Romanian Order of Architects (Bucharest Chapter)
15:05 – 16:15	SESSION 4 **Arbitration in Construction Disputes – What Works, What's Changing, What's Next**
16:15 – 16:30	Coffee Break

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16:30 – 17:30	**CIArb Event** – An introduction to CIArb and its global role in dispute resolution – CIArb qualifications and professional pathways – Opportunities for legal and non-legal professionals – Building the CIArb community in Romania – Q&A and open discussion
17:30 – 19:00	**Cocktails & Networking**

Speakers

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WELCOME REMARKS

Dr. Răzvan Ruginǎ · President of the Society of Construction Law Romania
Dr. Ovidiu Ioan Dumitru · Dean of the Faculty of Law, Bucharest University of Economic Studies
Andreea N. Simulescu FCIArb · Member of the CIArb European Branch Committee

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SESSION 1

Building Under New Rules

Moderator **Dr. Silviu Munteanu**

- Dr. Serin Geambazu
- Daniel Boca
- Dr. Roberto Panetta
- Dr. Daniel Moreanu

SESSION 2

Quantifying Delay and Disruption

Moderator **Andrei Soltan**

- Cătălin Birtea
- Dr. Bence Rajkai
- Dr. Anamaria Popescu
- Michael Tonkin

SESSION 3

Getting the Contract Right

Moderator **Magdalena Ghioca**

- Giovanni Di Folco
- Dragan Psodorov
- Florin Niculescu
- Dr. Roxana Vornicu

SESSION 4

Arbitration in Construction Disputes

Moderator **Cristina Olariu**

- Angelica Boca
- Luminița Popa
- Yasemin Çetinel
- Matei Purice

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