



ADJUDICATION SOCIETY IRELAND REGION CONFERENCE

Adjudication in Ireland: Fact or Fiction?

Tuesday 21st April 2015: 8:15 — 14:30
Croke Park

The Adjudication Society Ireland is hosting its second conference on 21st April 2015. As the Country slowly sees the benefits of post-recession Ireland the industry needs to prepare for charges to come.

The Conference provides an opportunity for those interested in the Construction Contracts Act and its implications for the industry to meet and learn from experts and others working in the field of construction and dispute resolution, and enable attendees to gain insights into some practicalities that will follow implementation of the Act including:

- An update and overview of the Construction Contract Act 2013;
- The operation of the payment provisions under the Act;
- The Contractor's perspective: lessons from the coalface on adjudication in Ireland and the UK; and
- Constitutional issues and fair procedure.

There will also be an interactive workshop with problems and discussions led by leading Irish and international experts.

Speakers include:

- **Rashda Rana**
Barrister, Arbitrator, Mediator, Senior Counsel; 39 Essex Chambers
- **Michael Stephens**
Barrister, Adjudicator, Arbitrator & Mediator; King's Chambers Manchester
- **Paul Brady**
Barrister, Law Library, Dublin
- **Gerard Monaghan**
Chartered Engineer & Adjudicator, Technical Director, Nicholas O Dwyer Ltd. Consulting Engineers
- **John Dennehy**
Commercial Director, John Sisk & Son UK
- **Hank Fogarty**
ex SIAC, currently conciliator / arbitrator and member of the Dispute Resolution Board of Engineers Ireland

Networking lunch with after lunch speaker: **Max Abrahamson** (renowned construction lawyer, author, advocate, arbitrator, Honorary Fellow of Engineers Ireland)

With a structured plenary being held with:

- Siobhan Fahey (Chair), experienced conciliator and member of the FIDIC sub-contracts committee
- Peter Aeberli, barrister, adjudicator and mediator
- Matt Molloy, leading UK adjudicator
- Hamish Lal, head of construction, Jones Day
- James O'Donoghue, architect and experienced dispute resolver

Price for the full-half day is **€95 for non-members** and **€55 for members of the Adjudication Society**.

This price includes breakfast snacks and a two-course lunch at Croke Park.





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Conference 21 April 2015

Adjudication Society Ireland Timetable

| Start Time | Topic | Speaker |
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| 8:15 am | Tea, Coffee and Registration | |
| 9:00 am | Chair's Address & Welcome | Niav O'Higgins |
| 9:05 am | Update on the Construction Contracts Act 2013 | Siobhan Fahey, Engineers Ireland (Chair for 1st session) |
| 09:20-9:45 am | Payment regime under the Act—a quick guide | Gerard Monaghan |
| 9:45-10:45 | The Contractor's Perspective—UK and Ireland <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Experiences from the coalface: the contractor's experience of adjudication and management of payment provisions under the HGCR Act• Approach of Irish contractors and sub-contractors here to the CCA and potential difficulties. | John Dennehy, Commercial Director John Sisk & Son UK |
| | Q&A discussion | Hank Fogarty, ex SIAC currently conciliator/ arbitrator and member of the Dispute Resolution Board of Engineers |





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| 10:45 | Tea, Coffee | Niav O'Higgins (Chair for second session) |
| 11:00am-12:20pm | Panel discussion on adjudication and constitutional issues and natural justice | Paul Brady BL Rashda Rana QC Michael Stephens |
| 11:40am-12:20pm | Workshop | The delegates will be given some practical issues to consider, particularly focused on adjudication process |
| 12:20am-13:00pm | Panel discussion, including brief viewpoints on key issues arising from workshop | Peter Aeberli Matt Molloy Dr. Hamish Lal Siobhan Fahey James O'Donohue |
| 13:00-13:05 | Chair's Concluding Remarks | Niav O'Higgins |
| 13:05pm-13:45pm | Networking Lunch (2 course table lunch) | |
| 13:45pm | After lunch speaker | Max Abrahamson |





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www.adjudication.org

Price of Membership is STG£50 — so it makes sense to join now!

