

English Law in International Disputes: Risks and Rewards

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Course Description

This comprehensive 5-day course explores the application of English law in international commercial disputes. Participants will gain in-depth knowledge of contract drafting, risk assessment, and various dispute resolution strategies under the English legal system. The course combines theoretical foundations with practical case studies to provide a well-rounded understanding of how English law operates in global business contexts.

Learning Objectives

- Understand the principles and application of English law in international commercial contracts
- Develop skills in drafting effective contracts under English law
- Learn to assess and allocate risks in cross-border transactions
- Explore various dispute resolution mechanisms, including litigation and arbitration
- Analyze recent case law and its implications for international business practices

Course Modules

Day 1: Introduction to English Law in International Commerce

- Overview of English legal system and its global influence
- Key principles of English contract law
- Choice of law and jurisdiction clauses
- Recent developments and trends in international commercial law

Day 2: Contract Drafting and Interpretation

- Essentials of effective contract drafting under English law
- Common pitfalls and how to avoid them
- Interpretation of contractual terms by English courts
- Practical drafting exercises

Day 3: Risk Assessment and Allocation

- Identifying and evaluating risks in international transactions
- Contractual risk allocation strategies
- Force majeure and frustration under English law
- Case studies on risk management in cross-border deals

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Day 4: Dispute Resolution Mechanisms

- Litigation in English courts: procedures and strategies
- International arbitration under English law
- Mediation and alternative dispute resolution methods
- Enforcing judgments and awards internationally

Day 5: Recent Case Law and Practical Applications

- Analysis of landmark cases in international commercial disputes
- Implications for drafting and negotiation strategies
- Emerging issues in cross-border transactions
- Practical workshop: applying course concepts to real-world scenarios

Practical Wins for Participants

- Enhanced ability to draft robust international contracts under English law
- Improved risk assessment and management skills for cross-border transactions
- Strategic understanding of dispute resolution options in international commerce
- Up-to-date knowledge of recent case law and its practical implications

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A graphic illustration of a chessboard with several chess pieces. A large gold king piece is prominent in the foreground, with a silver pawn and a gold pawn nearby. The board is checkered, and there are concentric circles in the background.