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# FIDIC Claims

Managing, Defending and Making Claims under FIDIC 1999 Contracts

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of the FIDIC conditions and in managing, defending  
and making Claims under the FIDIC 1999 Conditions

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# About this workshop



This special two-day event has been designed to provide a detailed insight into the presentation and analysis of claims under the FIDIC 1999 Contracts. The programme has been designed to be highly practical and includes active participation in 'hands-on' workshops and discussion sessions.

The workshop leaders are highly experienced in the use of the FIDIC Contracts and Claims.

**The International Federation of Consulting Engineers (FIDIC)** has, over the years, issued a number of standard documents for use on construction projects. The contracts which are currently in most common use around the world are: The Conditions of Contract for Construction (The 1999 Red Book); The Conditions of Contract for Plant and Design-Build (The 1999 Yellow Book); The Conditions of Contract for EPC Turnkey Projects (The 1999 Silver Book).

For more information about Cornerstone Seminars, please go to: [www.cornerstone-seminars.com](http://www.cornerstone-seminars.com)

**Cornerstone** also provide in-house FIDIC seminars which can be tailored to your company's needs. Email: [info@cornerstone-seminars.com](mailto:info@cornerstone-seminars.com)

## Who should attend?

This event will be of great interest to all those actively involved in international projects, including representatives from Consulting Engineers, Contractors, Funding Agencies, Employers, Insurers, Manufacturing Organisations as well as representatives from Legal & Construction Professions.

## Certificates and documentation

Participants will receive an official FIDIC course completion certificate, plus full Cornerstone documentation. Copies of the main FIDIC Red, Yellow & Silver 1999 contracts books, referred to during the event, may be purchased separately, see booking form.

## Venues and date

Please check our website [www.cornerstone-seminars.com](http://www.cornerstone-seminars.com) for our current schedule. Cornerstone venue details are confirmed to delegates following registration. Workshops are held at outstanding venues.

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FIDIC Cornerstone workshops are organized wherever possible in cooperation with either a national FIDIC Member Association or a local association, to allow members of the association to enjoy certain benefits such as a reduced registration fee. If a reduced fee is available this will be indicated when a participant registers.

## About the speakers

**Edward Corbett** is the managing director of Corbett & Co International Construction Lawyers Ltd, a practice specialising in international construction law. His experience includes ICC arbitration, litigation and dispute adjudication as well as contract drafting and procurement strategy. He has worked for contractors as well as for employers, funders and consultants. He regularly advises some of Europe's major construction players and his usual caseload involves projects in Europe, Africa, South-East Asia, the Indian Sub-continent and the Middle East. He is a Fellow of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators, an accredited adjudicator and mediator and a Panellist of the American Arbitration Association. He is the author of 'FIDIC 4th – A Practical Legal Guide'. He has lectured extensively on construction law and in particular on FIDIC's standard forms of contract.

He is previous co-chair of the International Construction Projects committee of the International Bar Association and is a member of the Working Group of FIDIC which drafted the Short Form of Contract and the Dredging Contract. Corbett & Co is an affiliate member of FIDIC.

**David Richards** is a highly experienced expert in FIDIC claim and dispute resolution. He has been appointed as Arbitrator on over seventy and Adjudicator on thirty five occasions. He has given expert opinion evidence in delay analysis and complex disruption assessment & valuation. He is member of a Dispute Resolution Board and undertakes expert determinations. He is responsible for the provision of dispute related services to employers, contractors and subcontractors and has been involved in a number of high profile cases featured in the construction press and law reports.

He has a BSc in Quantity Surveying, over 30 years' experience as a Chartered Quantity Surveyor and is a Fellow of the Royal Institution of Chartered Surveyors and the Institution of Civil Engineering Surveyors.

He has over 20 years' experience as a Chartered Arbitrator, is a Fellow of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators, the Association of Arbitrators Southern Africa and chairman of the Southern Branch of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators, the RICS Contracts Panel, as well as a member of the Council of the Society of Construction Law and its committee for the development of the Protocol on Delay and Disruption.

## About the sponsor

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is recognised as one of the principal law practices dealing with international arbitration and the FIDIC forms of contract. The company works all over the world advising on procurement, drafting and negotiating FIDIC

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# FIDIC Claims Workshop Programme

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## Day one

0830 Registration & coffee

0900 Start of Seminar

### 1 Introduction to the FIDIC 1999 Contracts

- Risk allocation and philosophy
- Role of Engineer
- Distinctive features

### 2 Notices and Claims Procedure

- Employer's claims – clause 2.5
- Contractor's claims – clause 20.1
- Failure to notify

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### 3 Claims for delay

- Extension of time - clauses 8.4, 8.5
- Force majeure delays – clause 19
- Delay damages

### 4 Workshop 1 Claims notices and Extension of Time claim

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### 5 Critical Path Analysis

- Alternative means of demonstrating or disproving entitlement
- Forensic delay analysis in action

### 6 Delay problem areas

- Concurrency
- Acceleration
- Time at large

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### 7 Payment and Claims for additional payment I

- Payment Certification and procedure
- Ground conditions – clause 4.12
- Late possession – clause 2.1
- Breaches of contract

### 8 Workshop 2 Critical path analysis and ground conditions

17.30 End of Day One



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## Day two

0900 Start of Day Two

### 1 Claims for additional payment II

- Variations and design errors
- Prolongation
- Disruption and global claims

### 2 Quantifying and analysing claims for payment

- "Cost" or "Value"
- Profit
- Disruption
- Global claims

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### 3 Employer's financial claims

- Delay damages
- Defects in work and design
- Retention and Bonds

### 4 Workshop 3 Contractor's delay and disruption claim and Employer's defects claim

Networking Lunch

### 5 Termination and suspension

- Employer's default
- Contractor's default
- Force majeure
- Financial consequences

### 6 DAB Procedure & Arbitration

- Standing and ad hoc
- Dispute prevention
- ICC Arbitration

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### 7 What's New in FIDIC 2017 Contracts?

- Key Features of the New 2017 FIDIC Red, Yellow and Silver Book Contracts
- Understanding The Dispute Avoidance / Adjudication Board in FIDIC 2017 Contracts

### 8 Workshop 4 DAB hearing on Termination

1730 End Day Two

**Construction Law International** comes out 4 times a year and is full of updates and articles that anyone involved in international construction should know about. Edited by Edward Corbett and others. Nael Bunni is on the editorial board. [www.constructionlawinternational.com](http://www.constructionlawinternational.com).



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# Booking form

## FIDIC Workshop : The FIDIC Claims

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**Seminar Cost for 1st delegate:**

£995 GBP plus 20% UK VAT

**Seminar Cost for 2nd & subsequent delegates:** £895 GBP each plus 20% UK VAT

In addition, each delegate will need to order 1 copy of each of the 3 Main FIDIC 1999 Contracts books to follow the seminar. If you order them now, you will receive them at the seminar.

Yes I wish to order 1 copy per delegate of each of the Main FIDIC 1999 Contracts books needed for this seminar. (Insert Quantity Required in the Check Box) No VAT is charged on Books

FIDIC Red Book at £30     FIDIC Yellow Book at £30     FIDIC Silver Book at £30.

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- 2 By Email:** Please email full registration information or booking form to: [register@cornerstone-seminars.com](mailto:register@cornerstone-seminars.com)
- 3 By Fax:** Please complete this Booking Form and fax it to + 44 20 8614 6222
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## Workshop fee

**£995 GBP per delegate** (+ 20% UK VAT). For multiple delegates, the fee for the 2nd and subsequent delegates is £895 GBP per delegate (+ 20% UK VAT ).

The full fee is payable in advance and includes the cost of all lunches, refreshments, tuition, course certificate and Cornerstone documentation, but excludes copies of the FIDIC 1999 Contracts Books to be discussed during the workshop. FIDIC Contracts Books may be purchased separately from Cornerstone Seminars at £30 each. The language of the workshop is English.

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Payment of the fee is due in advance as follows:

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**Travel & hotel accommodation** Participants are responsible for arranging their own travel, visas and overnight hotel accommodation and these are not included in the fee. Venue details will be sent following confirmation of registration.

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