



An outstanding two-day FIDIC Contracts Workshop

# The FIDIC Contracts

A Practical Guide to Understanding and Using the FIDIC Conditions of Contract 1999



## About this workshop

This special two-day event has been designed to offer a complete up-to-date review of the effective understanding and use of the FIDIC Contracts currently in use.

> The FIDIC Contracts Module 1 Workshop programme has been designed to be highly practical and includes active participation in 'hands-on' workshops and

discussion sessions.

The two workshop leaders are highly qualified in their experience of the FIDIC Contracts and are both authors of publications on the Contract Conditions.

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 EPCTurnkey Projects (The 1999 Silver Book).

For more information about FIDIC, please go to www.fidic.org

#### 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 the Legal and other Construction Professions.

#### Certificates and documentation

Participants will receive a FIDIC course completion certificate. copies of the FIDIC Red, Yellow & Silver 1999 contracts referred to during the event, plus full documentation.

#### Venues and date

Please check our website 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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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

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## 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.

Prof. Dr. Nael G. Bunni is a Chartered Engineer, Registered Chartered Arbitrator and

Conciliator. He is currently Visiting Professor at Trinity College, Dublin University. He is Past President of the Chartered Institute & Arbitrators Worldwide and of the Association of Consulting Engineers of Ireland. At present, he is a Special Advisor of FIDIC's Contracts Committee; and a member of various groups of the Commission on International Arbitration of the International Chamber of Commerce, Paris and its for aincluding the Forum on ADR; the Construction Arbitration Working Group and the Governing Board of the International Council for Commercial Arbitration.

In 1999, Dr Bunni was elected a Fellow of the Irish Academy of Engineering and in March 2000 he was elected a member of the International Council for Commercial Arbitration, 'ICCA'. He is past Chairman of FIDIC's

Standing Committee on Professional Liability and FIDIC's Task Committee on Construction, Insurance and Law. At present he is a member or chairman of a number of technical committees in Dubai, USA, ireland, Switzerland, Austria and Beijing.

He has acted as arbitrator, conciliator/mediator or DAB in fifty jurisdictions, having been appointed arbitrator in numerous cases of dispute with values exceeding £450 million, either as sole arbitrator or as a member of a tribunal or as a chairman of an arbitral tribunal.

## About the sponsor

Corbett & Co **International Construction** Lawyers work exclusively in the Construction Law sector.



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

contracts, on dispute avoidance and dispute resolution. Areas of practice include large projects in the energy, infrastructure, transport, building and civil engineering sectors. The practice was founded in 1993 by Edward Corbett.

You can find more information at www.corbett.co.uk phone +44 (0)20 8614 6200 email: info@corbett.co.uk

## **FIDIC Contracts Workshop Programme**

## Day one

0830 Registration & coffee

0900 Start of seminar

#### 1 Overview of the FIDIC Contracts

- · Conditions of Contract for Construction
- · Conditions of Contract for Plant and Design-Build
- Conditions of Contract for EPC Turnkey Projects
- The Short Form of Contract and The Dredging Contract

#### 2 Which form to use?

- · Allocation of functions, particularly design
- Allocation of risks
- Methods of payment
- Measurement

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#### 3 Workshop 1

Choosing the right procurement method

# 4 The roles of the Employer and the Engineer

- · Employer's financial arrangements
- Duties and authority of the Employer and the Engineer
- The changed role of the Engineer
- Determinations

Networking lunch

#### 5 The risk of delay

- The contractor's obligation
- Extensions of time for completion
- Acceleration
- Penalties for delay

#### 6 Risk, responsibility, liability, insurance

- Principles of risk and risk allocation
- · Responsibility
- · Liability: scope, extent and period
- · Indemnity and insurance

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#### 7 Claims for money

- Contractor's claims: clause 20 procedure
- Employer's claims
- · Unforeseeable physical conditions
- Prolongation and disruption

#### 8 Workshop 2

• The FIDIC 1999 Red Book

#### 1730 End of Day One

1800



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## Day two

0900 Start of Day Two

#### 1 Ending the project

- Taking over and commissioning
- Defect notification period
- Suspension and termination

#### 2 Procedure for payment, Variations

- · Payment and non payment
- Value engineering
- Variation procedure
- Evaluation

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#### 3 Design-Build Contracting

- Design responsibility
- · Fitness for purpose
- The Employer's requirements

#### 4 Workshop 3

• The FIDIC 1999 Yellow Book

Networking lunch

#### 5 Disputes and their resolution (1)

- The Disputes Adjudication Board "DAB"
- The Terms of Appointment: A Tri-Partite Contract
- The Procedural Rules

#### 6 EPC Turnkey Contracting

- Features of the Silver Book
- Risk of the unforeseen
- · Instructions and variations in the EPC contract

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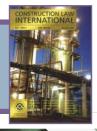
#### 7 Disputes and their resolution (2)

- Amicable settlement
- · Arbitration under the ICC Rules
- Key points to successful arbitration

#### 8 Workshop 4

The 1999 Silver Book

**1730** End of Day Two





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£1100 GBP per delegate. For multiple delegates, the fee for the 2nd and subsequent delegates is £990 GBP per delegate.

The full fee is payable in advance and includes the cost of all lunches, refreshments, tuition, course certificate and documentation, including a copy of the FIDIC contracts to be discussed during the workshop. The language of the workshop is English.

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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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