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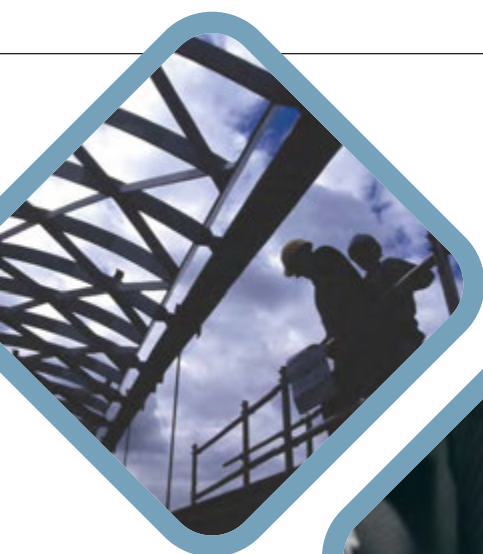
An outstanding two-day FIDIC Contracts Workshop

# The FIDIC Contracts

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

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**Amsterdam 21-22 November 2019**



The expert workshop leader, **Edward Corbett**,  
will present together with FIDIC Expert **Prof. Dr, Nael Bunni**.  
They are highly qualified and experienced in the use  
of the FIDIC Contracts. They are authors of publications on  
the FIDIC Contract Conditions

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# 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 workshop leaders are highly qualified in their experience of the FIDIC Contracts and are 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 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)

## 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 an official FIDIC course completion certificate, plus full Cornerstone documentation. Copies of the main FIDIC Red, Yellow & Silver 1999 contracts referred to during the event may be purchased separately.

## 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.

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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.

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# 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

Refreshments

### 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

Refreshments


### 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  Drinks sponsored by: [www.corbett.co.uk](http://www.corbett.co.uk)  
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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)

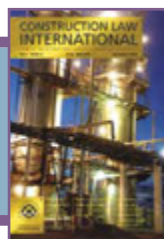
- Amicable settlement
- Arbitration under the ICC Rules
- Key points to successful arbitration

### 8 Workshop 4

- The 1999 Silver Book

1730 End of Day Two

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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# About the speakers

Edward Corbett is our expert workshop leader. He presents this FIDIC master-class together with another FIDIC expert speaker such as Prof. Dr. Nael Bunni or Aisha Nadar.

**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 fora including 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.

**Aisha Nadar** is a renowned and highly respected FIDIC Contracts Expert and contract and dispute resolution consultant.

Aisha serves as the Special FIDIC Procurement Advisor on Multilateral Development Bank matters and has served as a member and principal drafter of FIDIC's Update Task Group responsible for updating the FIDIC 1999 Red, Yellow and Silver Conditions of Contract since 2009. She carries out construction contract dispute resolution for organizations such as the World Bank, USAID and US DoD. and is a regularly invited top-level expert speaker at universities and FIDIC International Conferences.

Aisha advises on strategic procurement planning, FIDIC contract drafting, FIDIC contract management and FIDIC dispute prevention and resolution. She acts as arbitrator, mediator and adjudicator and is retained regularly in matters involving FIDIC Contracts, international arbitration, mediation and dispute boards.

For 30 years she has been actively involved in all phases of negotiation and implementation of large-scale cross-border infrastructure & defence contracts. Her procurement and international contract management experience includes holding senior level positions in the US, Middle East and Europe.

She is an officer of the International Construction Projects Committee of the International Bar Association and has served as a member of the Standing Committee of ICC International Centre for ADR.

Aisha holds an LL.M. in International Commercial Dispute Resolution from Queen Mary, University of London, and is an accredited mediator in both the UK & USA. She is also an Electrical Engineer with an MBA from the University of Texas-Austin.

# Booking form

## FIDIC Contracts Workshop: **The FIDIC Contracts**

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**Seminar Cost for 1st delegate:** £995 GBP plus VAT

**Seminar Cost for 2nd & subsequent delegates:** £895 GBP each plus 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. (Quantity Required in the Check Box)

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FIDIC Red Book at £30

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FIDIC Yellow Book at £30

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FIDIC Silver Book at £30.

**TOTAL =** £

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## Workshop fee

£995 GBP per delegate (+European VAT where applicable). For multiple delegates, the fee for the 2nd and subsequent delegates is £895 GBP per delegate (+VAT where applicable).

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 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.

## Payment methods

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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