

31st Annual International Law Institute | March 28-29, 2019 10 Hours of MCLE Credit including 1 Hour Ethics – Approval Pending

Thursday, March 28	
8:00 a.m.	Registration and Breakfast
8:45 a.m.	Welcome Remarks Tom Wilson, Chair, International Law Section of the Texas State Bar Tony Payan, Director, Baker Institute Mexico Center
9:00 a.m.	International Arbitration and Foreign Investment (view of foreign investment in Mexico under Obrador administration; impact on hydrocarbon sector; enforcement of arbitration awards) Moderator: Robert Landicho, Senior Associate, Vinson & Elkins LLP, Houston Panelists: Silvia Marchili, Partner, White & Case LLP, Houston and Miami Gabriel Salinas, General Counsel, Avant Energy Montserrat Manzano, Partner, Von Wobeser y Sierra, Mexico City
9:45 a.m.	Break
10:00 a.m.	International Human Rights Minal Davis, Houston Mayor Sylvester Turner's Special Advisor on Human Trafficking
10:45 a.m.	Practicing Law and Doing Business in Emerging Markets Jonathan Noble, Senior Associate, Amereller Legal Consultants James W. Skelton, Jr., Attorney at Law and International Legal Consultant
11:30 a.m.	Anti-Corruption/Anti-Bribery: 2018 Year in Review and Current Developments Moderator: Vidal G. Martinez, Managing Partner, Martinez Partners LLP Panelists: Johnny Sutton, Former U.S. Attorney for Western District of Texas
12:15 p.m.	Break
12:30 p.m.	Luncheon Program General Counsel Panel: Michael Sukenik, General Counsel & Corporate Secretary, Smoothie King Franchises, Inc.
1:15 p.m.	Break



1:30 p.m.	USMCA Update: Immigration Issues – Canada, Mexico, U.S.
•	Moderator: Jim Prappas, Partner, Kane Russell Coleman Logan PC
	Panelists: Jose Luis Gutierrez-Azpe, Partner, Ramírez, Gutiérrez-Azpe,
	Rodríguez- Rivero y Hurtado, S.C.
	Sergio Karas, Karas Immigration Law Firm, Toronto, Canada
2:30 p.m.	Doing Business in Mexico
	Moderator: Jim Prappas, Partner, Kane Russell Coleman Logan PC
	Panelists: Bryan Ellwod, U.S. Chair of the U.S. Mexico Bar Association
	Luis Martinez, Partner, Abogados Martinez Serna S.C., and Mexico
	Chair of the U.S. Mexico Bar Association
3:30 p.m.	Break
3:45 p.m.	Trade Wars and U.S. National Security: New Developments and Issues Every
	Practitioner Should Know
	Moderator: George Humphrey, Partner, Orrick
	Panelists: Harry Clark, Partner and Chair of International Trade and Compliance,
	Orrick
	Jingxia Wu, Director, Legal Department, PetroChina
	Mingyu Tang, Vice President-Commercial, Shanghai Bi Ke Clean Energy
	Technology Company Ltd.
4:30 p.m.	Building Effective Teams
	Presenter: Rosa Maria Villagomez, Legal Industry Consultant, Mountaintop Consulting
5:00 p.m.	Ethical Issues in International Supply Chains
	John Sullivan, Partner, K&L Gates
5:50 p.m.	Reception - Cancelled
	Friday, March 29
8:30 a.m.	Registration and Breakfast
9:00 a.m.	Welcome Remarks
	Tony Payan, Director, Baker Institute Mexico Center
9:10 a.m.	Introduction of Keynote Speaker
	Tom Wilson, Chair, International Law Section of the Texas State Bar
9:15 a.m.	Keynote Remarks – Security and Justice in Mexico: A View from the Bench
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9:45 a.m.	Q&A
10:00 a.m.	Introduction of Panel
10:05 a.m.	Panel Discussion Moderator: Tony Payan, Director, Baker Institute Mexico Center Panelists: Carlos Bravo Regidor, Coordinator of the Journalism Program, CIDE Eduardo Bohórquez, Director, Transparencia Mexicana David Garcia Sarubbi, Law Clerk, Supreme Court of Justice Catalina Pérez Correa, Law Professor, CIDE
11:30	Q&A
11:45 a.m.	Adjournment