PLMJ and MLGTS to lead arbitration conference

Lawyers from PLMJ and Morais Leitão, Galvão Teles, Soares da Silva & Associados (MLGTS) will lead an international arbitration conference at the University of Coimbra in Portugal later this month.

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The fourth Coimbra International Arbitration Meeting will take place from 9-11 October at the Faculty of Law of the University of Coimbra.

The conference will be coordinated by José Miguel Júdice, the partner who heads PLMJ Arbitration, and António Pinto Leite, litigation and arbitration partner at MLGTS.

Speakers at the event will include lawyers and academics from São Paulo, Rio de Janeiro, Paris, Washington, Belo Horizonte, Lisbon, Oporto and Coimbra.

Topics that will be discussed by various panels at the event include: assumptions of civil liability and arbitration; quantification of losses in arbitration; arbitration in corporate law; and arbitration and criminality.

The line-up of speakers includes:

- José Manuel Sérvulo Correia (partner at Sérvulo and professor at the Faculty of Law of the University of Lisbon)
- Judith Martins-Costa (partner at Martins-Costa and professor at the University of S. Paulo)
- António Pinto Monteiro (professor at the Faculty of Law of the University of Coimbra)
- Paulo Mota Pinto (professor at the Faculty of Law of the University of Coimbra)
- Maurício Almeida Prado (partner at L.O. Baptista, SVMFA professor at the Faculty of Law of Fundação Getúlio Vargas
- Carlos Alberto Carmona (partner at MRTC professor at the Faculty of Law of the University of S. Paulo)
- Eduardo Sampaio (senior managing director of FTI-Consulting, S. Paulo)
- Jean-Luc Guitera (partner and coordinator at KPMG Forensic, Paris)
- Manuel Conthe (of counsel at Bird & Bird, Madrid)
- Juan Fernández-Armesto (partner at Armesto & Asociados, Madrid)
- Pedro Siza Vieira (partner at Linklaters and president of the Portuguese Arbitration Association, Lisbon)
- **Pedro Batista Martins** (partner at Batista Martins Advogados and head professor of the postgraduate course in arbitration at Fundação Getúlio Vargas, Rio de Janeiro)
- Hermes Marcelo Huck (partner at LHOC and professor at the Faculty of Law of the University of S. Paulo)
- **Pedro Maia** (professor at the Faculty of Law of the University of Coimbra)

- José Alexandre Tavares Guerreiro (professor at the Faculty of Law of the University of S. Paulo)
- Eduardo Grebler (partner at Grebler Advogados and professor at the Faculty of Law of PUC in Minas Gerais)
- José Ricardo Feris (deputy secretary general of the ICC, Paris)
- Pedro Metello de Nápoles (partner at PLMJ, Lisbon)
- Rui Patrício (partner at MLGTS, Lisbon)