
ROUNDTABLE SEMINAR ON THE INDEPENDENCE OF THE BAR IN CENTRAL ASIA

AGENDA

THURSDAY

28 MARCH

DAY 1:

9.30 – 10.15 Welcome and introduction

10.15 – 10.30 *General overview of the situations in Central Asian countries*

INSTITUTIONAL INDEPENDENCE

10.30 – 11.15 *Self-governance of the Bar Associations*

11.15 – 11.45 *Coffee*

11.45 – 1.00 *Self-regulation*

1.00 – 2.00 *Lunch*

2.00 – 2.45 Credibility of Bar Associations

LAWYERS VIS-À-VIS BAR ASSOCIATIONS

2.45 – 3.45 *Entrance to the legal profession*

3.45 – 4.15 *Coffee*

4.15 – 4.45 *Codes of Ethics*

4.45 – 6.00 *Disciplinary proceedings against lawyers*

7.00-8.30 *Dinner*

FRIDAY

29 MARCH

DAY 2

LAWYERS IN AND OUTSIDE OF COURT

9.30- 11.00 *Access to clients in detention*

11.00 – 11.30 *Coffee*

11.30 – 1.00 *Equality of Arms in law and in practice*

1.00- 2.00 *Lunch*

2.00 – 3.30 *Harassment of lawyers*

3.30- 4.30 *Security of lawyers*

4.30 – 4.45 *Coffee*

4.45 – 5.30 *Strategy Discussion*

5.30 – 6.00 *Concluding observations, evaluation.*