



Bucharest 2025 Business Meeting Hosted by



Meeting Hotel: Radisson Blu

Calea Victoriei Street, No. 63-81, 010065 Bucharest, Romania

Draft Schedule

Delegates only

Accompanying Guests only

Everybody

Thursday, 3 April

Attire: Business Casual

18:30-19:30 Apéritif at Restaurant *Salon Golescu (Strada Nicolae Golescu 17, 010285 Bucharest)*

Introduction of New Faces  Daniel Alexie, Cristina Cretu, Jian Huang, Alexander Ospelt, Dana Rădulescu, Felix Tapai

19:30-22:00 Opening Dinner at *Salon Golescu*

Friday, 4 April

General Attire: Business Casual **Attire Guest Program:** Casual

Meeting Room: Merope 1+2 **Coffee Breaks:** Foyer Merope

6:30-9:00 Breakfast @ Dacia Felix Restaurant

9:00-9:15 **Welcome and Opening Remarks**

- Paul Hopkins, Chair IBLC
- Gelu Maravela, Host - MPR Partners

9:15-10:30 **Using Compliance, KYC, AML to Build a Deeper Client-Counsel Relationship**

Moderated by Mike Radin, Tarlow, Breed, Hart & Rodgers, PC

- Christian Pelaghias, Pelaghias LLC
- Renaud Le Squeren, DSM Avocats à la Cour
- Jim Zipursky, Corporate Finance Associates Worldwide

10:30-14:30 Bohemian Tour for Accompanying Guests

10:30-11:00 Coffee Break

11:00-11:50 **AI & Life Science – Challenges and Legal Requirements in the US and Europe**

- Frank Fazio, Porzio, Bromberg & Newman PC
- Hendrik Thies, Friedrich Graf von Westphalen & Partner mbB

12:00-12:25 **Deforestation: Where are we and What can we really do to help?**

- Orieta Hulea, CEO, WWF Romania
- interviewed by Dana Rădulescu, MPR Partners

12:30-13:25 **Current Political Context and Turmoil – Romania**

- Margareta Mucibabici, Public Affairs and Government Relations Leader (ex UiPath)

13:00-14:30 Lunch @ Dacia Felix Restaurant

14:30-14:55 **Keynote on Sales for Legal Professionals**

- Bogdan Putinica, GM, Microsoft Central and Eastern Europe

15:00-15:25 **AI Solutions for Legal Professionals – MS Copilot**

- Gabriela Popescu, Corporate, External and Legal Affairs Head, Central Europe, Microsoft

15:30-15:55 **Digital Tools in Legal Practice: Insights from our internal survey**

- Héloïse Cuche, DSM Avocats à la Cour

16:00-16:30 Coffee Break

16:30-17:45 **Cybersecurity: Best Practices for Law Firms**

Moderated by Cristina Crețu, MPR Partners

- Sergiu Zaharia, Founder, Expand Cyber
- André Brunschweiler, LALIVE SA
- Vladimir Ghiță, CEO FORT

19:00 Dinner at *Caru cu Bere (Strada Stavropoleos 5, 030081 Bucharest)*

Saturday, 5 April

General Attire: Business Casual or Casual
Meeting Room: Merope 1+2 **Coffee Break:** Foyer Merope

7:00-9:00 Breakfast

9:00-10:30 **Developments in ADR**

Moderated by Paul Hopkins, Geldards LLP

- Ruzbeh Hosseini, Cambridge LLP
- Merce Ribatallada, Jausas (Fieldfisher)
- Roick Feng, Zhong Yin Law Firm

10:30-11:00 Coffee Break

11:00-12:15 **Global Issues**

Moderated by John van Loo, LaFayette Advocaten

- Peter Pang, IPO Pang Shenjun
- Fernando Rivadeneyra, Rivadeneyra Treviño
- Steen Jørgensen, Trolle Advokatfirma

12:15-12:30 **Shanghai Preview**

- Peter Pang, IPO Pang Shenjun
- Jian Huang, IPO Pang Shenjun

13:00-17:00 A Three-Stop Street Food and Beer Tour

19:00 Closing dinner @ Dacia Felix Restaurant

Sunday, 6 April

Individual Departure

For the optional Castle Tour meet in the lobby

8:00 Departure for Peleş Castle

10:30-12:30 Visit of Peleş Castle

12:30-13:00 Lunch break

13:00 Continue Drive to Bran Castle

14:30-16:30 Visit of Bran Castle

18:00 Dinner at a local taverna

20:00 Return to Radisson Hotel