

International Trade in Wartime

Thursday 23 June h 15:00 – 17:00 (CET)

Webinar

The enduring war against Ukraine and the sanctions adopted by EU on Russia are having a significant impact on economies and international trade, reverberating through multiple channels: restrictive measures on imports and exports of goods – in particular on energy and luxury products -, tax, contracts and arbitration, pushing CEOs to implement new strategies, relocating their international activities, workers and suppliers. Moreover, the martial law in effect in Ukraine since the start of the war is affecting business activity.

After a general overview of the various areas hit by the crisis, it will be given an insight of the recent changes introduced by the martial law and their major implications on commercial agreements and supply chains.

Programme

3.00pm – 3.05pm *Welcome speech*

Ettore Pietrabissa | Chairman of ICC Italia

Barbara De Donno | Secretary General at ICC Italia

3.05pm – 3.30pm *Institutional remarks*

Manlio Di Stefano | Undersecretary of State MAECI

Francesco Zazo | Ambassador of Italy in Ukraine **(TBC)**

Tetyana Denysenko | Third Secretary (economic issues) of the Embassy of Ukraine in Italy

Mykhalo Vovchyk | Representative ICC Ukraine

3.30pm – 4.15pm *Conducting business in Ukraine at wartime*

– Sketching out major martial law-induced changes **Hennadiy Voytsitskyi** | Baker McKenzie Kyiv

– Navigating wartime tax/customs landscape: looking into incentives and addressing bottlenecks **Roman Koren** | Baker McKenzie Kyiv

– Martial law: implications for commercial agreements and supply chains **Hanna Smyrnova** | Baker McKenzie Kyiv

4.15pm – 4.25pm *The short and long term impact of the war on international trade tax issues for companies restructuring their businesses and individuals relocating elsewhere*

Paolo de' Capitani di Vimercate | Studio Uckmar Ass.ne Prof.le | Chair of the
Taxation Commission at ICC Italia

4.25pm – 4.35pm *The sanctions imposed on Russia by the EU – general overview*

Nicolò Sartore | Studio Armella e Associati

**4.35pm – 4.45pm *Contractual issues triggered by the war and by sanctions and
countersanctions***

Marco Padovan | Studio Legale Padovan | Member of the CLP Commission at ICC
Italia

**4.45pm – 4.55pm *The effects of recent economic sanctions on International
Commercial Arbitration***

Maria Beatrice Deli | D|R Arbitration & Litigation | Coordinator of the Commission
on Arbitration at ICC Italia

4.55pm – 5.15pm Q&A

Participation is free until the maximum number of participants is reached. Priority will be
given to ICC Italia Members.

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