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WEBINAR

An Arbitrator's Power to Admit Evidence, Including Expert and Hearsay Evidence

Please join us for this important webinar, presented by [Adv Tjaart van der Walt SC](#), as part of the Association's ongoing mission to provide regular upskilling opportunities for everyone interested in Alternative Dispute Resolution.

ABOUT THE WEBINAR WORKSHOP:

The principles in terms of which judges and arbitrators may receive evidence differ materially. Unlike judges, arbitrators are not shackled with the obligation to apply the strict rules of evidence as a matter of course. The discussion will focus on the reasons behind, and the ambit of, an arbitrator's discretionary powers when receiving opinion evidence, including expert and hearsay evidence.

ABOUT OUR PRESENTER:

[Adv Tjaart van der Walt SC](#), B Jur LLB FAArb (SA) MAFA (Int) FCIArb (UK) MSOM (UK):



Tjaart is a senior advocate of the Maisels Group of Advocates in Sandton. He is the Vice-Chairman, a Director, a Module 4 and 5 Tutor and Fellow of the Association of Arbitrators (Southern Africa). He is a Fellow and Full Faculty Member of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators (UK) and a listed international arbitrator for the Association of Arbitrators (Southern Africa), the CIArb (UK) and the AFSA International Division. He is an International Mediator accredited by the Civil Mediation Council (UK), the Society of Mediators (UK), the CIArb (UK) and the Association of Arbitrators (Southern Africa) to mediate, *inter alia*, construction, commercial and contractual disputes and he is a President's Panel Member of the South African Institution of Civil Engineering (SAICE). Prior to his admission as advocate in 1995, he was employed as legal advisor, public prosecutor and part-time academic and he practised as an

attorney. His practice includes general commercial arbitration, adjudication, mediation and litigation with a focus on the law of contract in the construction industry. His industry specific professional exposure over more than 25 years includes construction, petroleum, coal and platinum mining, agriculture, food and beverage, telecommunication, forestry, pension funds and banking.

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