



**WE ARE SEEKING YOUR VIEWS!**

# Be part of the development of arbitration in Australia

The Australian Centre for International Commercial Arbitration (ACICA), with the support of WA Arbitration Initiative, Francis Burt Chambers, Australian Bar Association and FTI Consulting, are pleased to launch the **Australian Arbitration Survey**.

Commercial arbitration as a dispute resolution mechanism is on the rise across the Asia-Pacific region, but there has been little empirical evidence to date about the use of commercial arbitration in Australia. We are looking to change that by obtaining insights from practitioners who have experience with commercial arbitration involving Australian parties, Australian seats and Australian-based practitioners (from a transactional and disputes perspective) over the last three years (2016-2019).

This vitally important survey aims to give practitioners involved in arbitration a chance to **provide feedback** about what works in arbitration and what can be improved. It is a vehicle through which you can **have your say to shape the way arbitration practice develops** in Australia and share what you and your clients view as important.

We anticipate that the information obtained as a result will also assist in the following key ways:

- Contribute to a more meaningful conversation with corporate and government decision makers to drive further investment in this area

- Inform collective efforts to promote international commercial arbitration in Australia and Australian cities as arbitral venues
- Provide a baseline against which changes in usage and perceptions in this area can be assessed
- Enhance the practice of arbitration in Australia.

The survey will open on 4 November 2019 and we invite you to be a part of the development of arbitration in Australia!

For any queries and to be allocated a Respondent number, [please contact ACICA](#).

**CLICK HERE TO TAKE THE SURVEY**

The survey will be strictly confidential. Each respondent/firm/corporate will be issued a Respondent ID number which will be used only for purposes of avoiding duplication and confirming that a particular respondent has submitted a response. Actual answers will be anonymized through a double-blind system and responses will not be identifiable to a particular respondent. Each respondent will be provided with a copy of the final report at the conclusion of the project.