

JUDICIAL PEER-TO-PEER ROUNDTABLE

SPEAKER PROFILES



Lord Justice Flaux

Lord Justice Flaux is a Lord Justice of Appeal in England and Wales and was appointed in December 2016. He holds the role of Lead Judge for International Relations and in February 2020, he was appointed as the Supervising Lord Justice of the Commercial Court.



Yasmin Batliwala

Yasmin Batliwala is the CEO of Advocates for International Development (A4ID), which delivers the ROLE UK Programme. A4ID sources lawyers to provide free legal advice and assistance to support organisations working in the international development sector, with the principle aim to eradicate poverty by focusing on the UN 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development.



Mr Justice Robin Knowles

Mr Justice Robin Knowles is a Judge of the Commercial Court of England and Wales and Chairs the International Committee of the Judicial College. He is also the Judge with day-to-day responsibility for the Standing International Forum of Commercial Court (SIFoCC).



Hon. Justice Zainab Jawara Alami

Hon. Justice Zainab Jawara Alami is a High Court Judge with the Judiciary of The Gambia, appointed in June 2017. She is responsible for the adjudication of commercial, criminal, land and miscellaneous cases. Justice Alami contributed to the SIFoCC International Working Group on Case Management and was a participant at the last SIFoCC Observation Programme in London. She presented her experiences at the SIFoCC meeting in New York.



Judge Reginald Fynn

Reginald Sydney Fynn JA is the most Senior Justice in the Court of Appeal of Sierra Leone, he was appointed on 14 July 2015. He is an accomplished and well-respected Jurist, he serves on Sierra Leone's Judicial and Legal Service Commission. He is Vice Chair and member of faculty at the Judicial and Legal Training Institute of Sierra Leone. He is a member of the Judicial Action Group (JAG) and the Commonwealth Magistrates' and Judges' Association.



HHJ Rachel Karp

HHJ Rachel Karp sits as a Circuit Judge at Barnet Civil and Family Courts Centre. She is International Training Coordinator for the Judicial College of England and Wales. HHJ Karp has led on a number of international engagements, including work with the Magistrates of a number of Nigerian States, which has been funded by A4ID's ROLE UK Programme.



Catherine Flew

Catherine Flew is an independent consultant. She specialises in providing tailored support to governments, NGOs and private sector organisations, to assist them in the design, delivery and evaluation of peacebuilding and rule of law programmes. Flew also focuses on the importance of learning within and between individuals and organisations. Prior to becoming a consultant, she was a Monitoring, Evaluation and Learning Adviser for ROLE UK.