



NINTH LL.M. INTERNATIONAL COMMERCIAL AND INVESTMENT

MOOT COMPETITION Washington, D.C., April 8 - 9, 2022

Virtual Hearing Rules

Introduction

The Virtual Hearings Rules (Virtual Rules) will replace the oral in-person hearings of the 2022 LL.M. International Commercial Arbitration Moot Competition (Competition) scheduled April 8-9, 2022, in Washington, D.C. due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

The Rules for Virtual Hearings are intended to replace (where indicated) and otherwise supplement the





enter the hearing via zoom and cannot be in the same room as the speakers and desk counsel while the hearing is taking place.

When a team argues from the WCL campus, the rest of the team could join the oralists in the room. In that case, the organizers will assign an observer who will be always present during the hearing.

The Speakers and desk counsel are allowed to share the camera/laptop. The laptop must be used primarily for Zoom and for personal notes and strictly pertinent to the oral presentation.

Procedure for Participating in the virtual hearings

- 1. Teams and Arbitrators participating in the online hearings will receive from the organizers the following information:
 - a. the date and time of the hearing (all hearings take place according to D.C time)
 - b. the Zoom link to access the virtual hearing room.
- 2. <u>Team members must rename their Zoom profile</u> using the following format for your name: Team Number | Name | Role.

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Arbitrators should include their full name.

Please note that only team members or persons directly affiliated with a team may access zoom.

Structure of the Zoom Hearing:

Zoom Meeting

Participants (7)







13. Role of the Desk Counsel