

# How Best to Avoid and Resolve Construction Disputes

Networking and Learning Event

Friday 16<sup>th</sup> February 2024

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Ireland Branch

## Date

Friday 16<sup>th</sup> February 2024,  
8.30am to 11am

## Cost

CIARB Members €30

Non-Members €50\*

Students €10

## Delivery

In-person

## Location

Top Floor "Vertigo",  
Cork County Hall,  
Carrigrohane Road,  
Cork T12 R2NC

## CPD

2 hour CPD for which  
certificates can be  
provided on request.

## Registration

Registration is essential  
and can be made  
through the following  
links:

[CIARB MEMBER](#)

[NON-MEMBERS](#)

[STUDENT](#)

Register early to avoid  
disappointment.

\*Group discount  
available on request.



## Seminar

This event aims to give guidance on how construction disputes can best be avoided and resolved on construction projects, with some emphasis on the success of Conciliation in Ireland.

## Timetable

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| <b>08.30</b> | <b>Arrival, tea and coffee</b>   |
| <b>08.50</b> | <b>Moderators Introduction</b><br>Billy Morrissey BE LLM CEng MIEI FCI Arb Dip Adj MII             |
| <b>09.00</b> | <b>Dispute Avoidance Best Practice</b><br>John Lyden FSCSI, FRICS, FCInstCES, MRIN, MCI Arb, MEWI  |
| <b>09.40</b> | <b>Success of Conciliation in Ireland</b><br>Peter McCarthy LL.M., BSc., FRICS, FSCSI, FCI Arb     |
| <b>10.20</b> | <b>Panel Discussion</b><br>Alan Brady, Billy Morrissey, John Lyden, Peter McCarthy & Seamus Duggan |
| <b>10.50</b> | <b>Closing Remarks by Moderator</b><br>Billy Morrissey   |
| <b>10.55</b> | <b>Light Refreshments and Networking</b>   |



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**Peter McCarthy** LL.M., B.Sc., FRICS, FSCSI, FCI Arb. Over 28 years of practical experience in the construction industry with dual expertise in Quantity Surveying and Construction Law. Principal consultant at Conlex Consulting Ltd providing contract support to the construction industry.

**Alan Philip Brady** B.L is a Barrister, CEDR Accredited Mediator and Fellow of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators. He acts regularly in construction disputes and has recently appeared as Counsel in several leading construction adjudication cases before the High Court.

**Billy Morrissey** BE LL.M. CEng MIEI FCI Arb Dip Adj MII. From Project ADR, dual qualified in civil engineering and construction law is a leading Conciliator, Mediator and Adjudicator specialising in resolving construction contract disputes and project delivery.

**John M E Lyden**, FSCSI, FRICS, FCInstCES, MRIN, MCI Arb, MEWI has worked in the construction industry since 1970. He has experience of a very wide range of building and civil engineering projects. He has acted as the Conciliator/Mediator or Arbitrator in disputes up to €20 million.

**Seamus Duggan** is joint Managing Director of Duggan Brothers (Contractors) Ltd. trading since 1923. Employing approximately 120 management, supervisory, technical and support staff, annual turnover currently c. €100m.

