



## Events

### ELG EVENTS 2026 – SAVE THE DATE

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### ELG MEMBERS' MEETING IN ATHENS

16-17 October 2026

On behalf of Lambadarios Law Firm and Ioannides Demetriou LLC law firm, we are pleased to invite you to the ELG Members' Meetings, which will take place in Athens on 16–17 October 2026.

Venue King George Hotel, 3 Vasileos Georgiou A str., Syntagma sq., Athens 105 64.

Please find below the preliminary programme:

**Friday, 16 October 2026**

09:00 – 13:00 | Conference

13:00 – 14:00 | Lunch

14:00 – 14:15 | Introduction speech / Thierry Lauriol, Chairman of the ELG

14:15 – 15:45 | Topics of the Energy Law Group

- Chairman's Annual Report 2025 / Thierry Lauriol
- The annual ordinary General Meeting of Members: the approval of the annual accounts, the financial statements 2025 of the Group; the budget 2027 / Marc Grüninger, Valfor Rechtsanwälte AG
- BD and Marketing activities; Honorary Members; Secondments / Zivile Genyte
- MoU / Thierry Lauriol and Okan Demirkan, KDK
- Strategy plan 2027-2028 / Thierry Lauriol

15:45 – 16:45 | Energy Event 2027 / Juan Ignacio Gonzalez, Uria Menendez

16:45 – 17:00 | Summary

18:00 | Guided tour of the Benaki Museum

19:30 | Dinner at the traditional restaurant Cafe Avissinia

**Saturday, 17 October 2026**

11:00 – 13:00 | Guided tour of the Acropolis Museum

13:00 | Lunch at the museum restaurant

Please note that the timings are preliminary and may be subject to minor adjustments. A detailed agenda will be shared closer to the event.

We kindly ask you to complete your registration using the registration link below by 1 September 2026.

**Registration Link**

Hotel recommendations will be sent with registration confirmation email.

We look forward to welcoming you to Athens for what promises to be an enjoyable and productive meeting.

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**Academic Programme: Koç University & Swiss Arbitration Academy**

The Swiss Arbitration Academy, in partnership with Koç University and supported by the Turcic Arbitration Association (TAA) and Swiss Arbitration Association (ASA), will host an intensive three-day international arbitration programme in Istanbul on 1–3 September 2026.

Okan Demirkan will join an international faculty of arbitrators, practitioners, academics and in-house counsel. The programme will offer both practical training and valuable networking opportunities.

To register, please click [here](#).



# Publications



Energy Newsletter

SLAUGHTER AND MAY

Disputes Briefcase: Need-to-know disputes updates for General Counsel and their teams

karanovic/partners

Albania Adopts New Electricity Sector Law: Key Changes and New Licensing Requirements

Serbia Introduces New Rules on Incentives for Decarbonization

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Real Estate, Energy and Construction

DE BRAUW  
BLACKSTONE  
WESTBROEK  
HENGELER MUELLER  
SLAUGHTER AND MAY  
URÍA  
MENÉNDEZ

COMPETITION LAW IN THE DIGITAL AGE

*Nierholm*

Norway International Update Q2 2026

International Commercial Arbitration Q2 2026



## Deals & Projects

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KDK, working with Milbank and Latham & Watkins, advised Carlyle on its acquisition of BASF SE's – the world's largest chemicals producer – coatings business.

KDK together with Hogan Lovells Cadwalader advised GLAS SAS on the refinancing of Intertoll's existing group facilities, involving a syndicate of leading international lenders, including Nedbank Limited (London Branch) and Rivage Funds.

Arthur Cox advised H&MV Engineering on an approximately €750 million continuation vehicle transaction led by existing investor Exponent and supported by new investors Apollo S3, Pantheon and SQ Capital.

We are acting for Kohlberg Kravis Roberts & Co. L.P. ("KKR") on the recommended acquisition of DCC Energy plc by a consortium formed by KKR and ECP (Energy Capital Partners). The transaction values DCC Energy at approximately £5.75 billion.

Slaughter and May is advising Serica Energy plc on the recommended takeover of Pharos Energy plc.

Slaughter and May and Uría Menéndez were advising Inflexion on its investment in Salto Systems.

Hannes Snellman advised Leppäkoski Group in the structured sales process of Leppäkosken Sähkö Oy to Porin Energia Oy. Leppäkosken Sähkö Oy operates electricity distribution system supplying electricity to more than 30,000 customers in the Pirkanmaa and Satakunta regions.

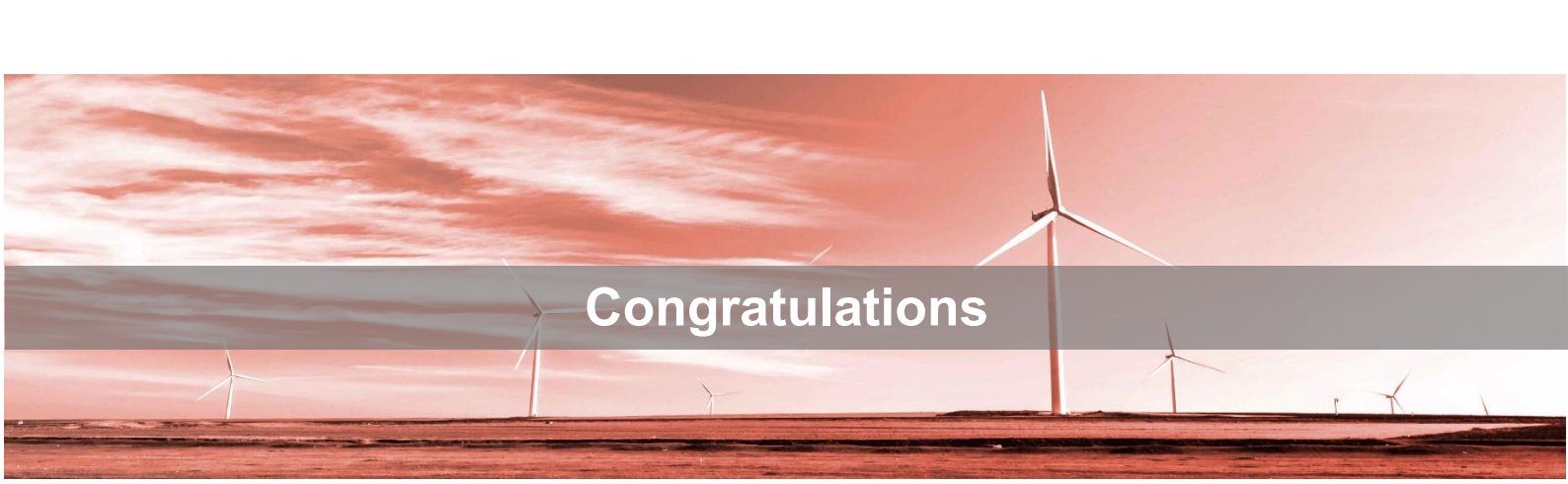
Finnish counsel to Iberdrola to acquire Caruna, Finland's largest electricity distribution company.

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# Congratulations

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## Congratulations

Okan Demirkan has once again been recognised as one of Türkiye's leading practitioners in Energy by Lexology and in Asset Recovery by Lexology and Global Investigations Review (GIR).

## Recent Promotions

KDK congratulates their new Managing Associate, Selin Balkır Erçin, and our new Senior Associate, Burcu Çınar.