

## The Law Society of England and Wales

requests the pleasure of your company at the seminar on

## Doing legal business in the Visegrád Group states

## Tuesday, 5 September 2017, 15:00 - 17:00

(registration from 14:30; networking reception from 17:00)

Venue: The Law Society of England and Wales, 113 Chancery Lane, London WC2A 1PL

Nowhere in the world have expectations for growth changed so rapidly and positively as in Central and Eastern Europe (CEE).

Behind the improvement are an attractive environment for foreign investment, government stimulus measures, easy financing conditions and the revival of EU structural funds that are all supporting stronger growth in the region.

This growth represent significant opportunities for law firms interest in exploring opportunities or using their expert niche to enter a new market.

A team of leading practitioners from the region will discuss the following topics:

- Economic and legal introduction to the region
- Energy sector in the CEE
- Industry 4.0
- Digitalisation and IT

The event is aimed at representatives from leading companies, law firms and institutions from both the UK and the CEE.

The seminar will be followed by a networking reception

Registration for this event is free, **please register <u>here</u>**. **If you have any questions, please contact** Katharina Kirchberger, <u>katharina.kirchberger@lawsociety.org.uk</u>.

## Programme

14:30 - 15:00	Registration and Refreshments
15:00 - 15:05	Welcome remarks  Mickael Laurans, Head of International, the Law Society of England and Wales
15:05 - 15:15	Keynote speech  Tom Salusbury, Leader of the UK Trade & Investment Central Europe Network, British Embassy, Warsaw (tbc)
15:15 - 17:00	Panel Discussion  Panel members:  • Economic and legal introduction to the region Grzegorz E. Woźniak, Founder and Managing Partner, Woźniak Legal  • Poland - Energy sector in the CEE Adrian Andrychowski, Associate, Woźniak Legal  • Czech Republic - Industry 4.0 Jan Täubel, Taubel Legal  • Slovakia - Digitalisation and IT Artur Fried, Partner and Rudolf Pfeffer, Partner, AKF Lawyers  • Hungary Dr. András Szecskay, Founder and Managing Partner, Szecskay Attorneys at Law
17:00 - 19:00	Networking reception  Welcome by: Stephen Denyer, Director of Strategic Relationships, the Law Society of England and Wales