"New Developments in the Practice of International Arbitration in Germany"

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1. Institutionalization and Formalization of Practice in Germany
   - Law Firm Practice, Client Expectations
   - Approaches to Taking of Evidence, Advocacy, Privilege

2. Mixing and Matching of Common Law- and Civil Law-Inspired Approaches
   - Drafting of Contracts, Procedural and Substantive Law
   - Affect on Dispute Resolution

3. “Anglo-Americanization” of Procedure in International Arbitration?
   - Approaches to Doing Business, Record Keeping, Electronic Means
   - “Discovery” and the Search for “Truth”

4. Further Proliferation/Precedential Weight of Institutional/Ad Hoc Awards
   - Confidentiality, Privacy and Secrecy
   - Precedential Value of Awards

5. Investment Arbitration
   - Old and New Players: Germany, E. Europe/Energy Charter, China
   - Latin America and the Role of ICSID and BITs

6. Allegations of Corruption and Illicit Activity Affecting the Basis for Arbitration
   - Corruption and Corporate Life: US and European Approaches
   - “Privatization” of Criminal Investigations and Influence on Fact Finding
   - The Relevance for International Arbitration