



SOCIAL EVENTS CALENDAR HONG KONG 2026

23rd Vis East Moot Competition | 14 MARCH – 22 MARCH 2026

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WELCOME TO HONG KONG!

All the information you need to know in order not to miss out on any of the MAA social and educational events (as well as other important Vis East related events) during the Oral Arguments Week in Hong Kong!



EVENTS OUTLINE

- MAA Welcome Party
- XX Annual Generations in Arbitration Conference
- Vis East Official Opening Ceremony and Welcome Reception*
- MAA Moot Bar
- General Rounds for Oral Arguments*
- MAA Alumni Networking Evening
- MAA Nations Party at the Moot Bar!
- Antique Open Deck Tram Tour
- Happy Valley Horse Races**
- Assembly and Announcement of Elimination Rounds*
- Elimination Rounds for Oral Arguments*
- Sunset Boat Trip & Seafood Dinner*
- MAA Farewell Party
- Final Round*
- Awards Banquet*

* organized by the Vis East Moot Foundation

** non-MAA event

Please note that online tickets for paid MAA events are subject to an Eventbrite fee, which is not charged by the MAA and cannot be waived or refunded.

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MAA WELCOME PARTY



Saturday, 14 March 2026, 10pm – 2am

DO NOT MISS OUT ON THE KICK-OFF EVENT TO THE VIS EAST MOOT COMPETITION!

The MAA Welcome Party is the first big social event of the 23rd Vis East Moot. Enjoy an evening of drinks and good conversation and get to know your fellow Vis East participants or catch up with old friends!

You must have a valid ID / passport with you in order to enter.

LOCATION

BKK Thai Street Food, PMQ -
Staunton, SG 09 -SG 14 G/F,
Block A, 35 Aberdeen St

REGISTRATION & PAYMENT

Entry is HKD 50 (+Eventbrite fees),
inclusive of two complimentary
drinks.

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XX ANNUAL GENERATIONS IN ARBITRATION CONFERENCE

Sunday, 15 March 2026, 8:30am – 4:30pm

As a staple and longstanding event of the Vis Moot Competitions, the Generations in Arbitration Conference ("GIA") brings together internationally renowned and distinguished speakers to address "hot topics" in international arbitration and trade law, focusing in particular on various topics related to the Vis Moot problem. Don't miss out on this opportunity to mingle with top scholars and practitioners!

There will be a "pop-up" registration desk for the Vis East Moot at the GIA, for your convenience. Team members, coaches and arbitrators who purchase a ticket for the GIA by **4:00 PM HKT on Friday, 13 March 2026** will be required to register for the Vis East Moot at the GIA venue.

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Withers,
30/F United Centre,
95 Queensway, Hong Kong

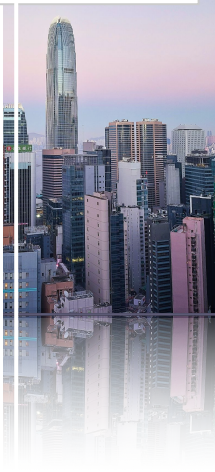
REGISTRATION & PAYMENT



Rates

Students / Premium MAA Members:
HKD 80 (+ Eventbrite fees)

Standard MAA Members /
Non-Members: HKD 200
(+ Eventbrite fees)



Sunday, 15 March 2026, 7pm – 11pm

23RD VIS EAST OFFICIAL OPENING CEREMONY AND WELCOME RECEPTION

Don't miss out on the official start to the 23rd Vis East Moot Competition!

LOCATION

19/F, Crystal Court, Hopewell Hotel, 15 Kennedy Road, Wan Chai, Hong Kong S.A.R.
(Wan Chai MTR Station, Exit D)



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MOOT BAR

The MAA Legendary Moot Bar is your chance to be a part of the MAA Folklore! The place to meet fellow mooties and arbitrators during the Vis East Moot week in Hong Kong.

Vis East participants who show their Moot Badge (received during VEM registration) will receive discounted prices all evening long!

LOCATION



The China Bar,
Ho Lee Commercial Building,
38-44 D'Aguiar St, Central, Hong Kong

ATTENTION

You must have a valid ID / passport with you in order to enter.

Every night from **15 March 2026** through Friday, **20 March 2026** and then again on Sunday, **22 March 2026** (for those still in town!) from 9pm onwards



Monday, 16 March through Thursday, 19 March 2026

23RD VIS EAST GENERAL ROUNDS FOR ORAL ARGUMENTS

Four rounds of presenting your oral arguments to tribunals comprised of practitioners worldwide – best of luck to all of the teams!

LOCATION

Justice Place,
2nd Floor, West Wing, Justice Place,
11 Ice House Street,
Central, Hong Kong





MAA ALUMNI NETWORKING EVENING

Monday, 16 March 2026, 6pm – 9pm

The Moot Alumni Association is pleased to invite alumni of the Vis Moot and Vis East Moot to its Alumni Networking Evening, hosted and sponsored by A&O Shearman. This event is open exclusively to current and former coaches and arbitrators, as well as former mooties who are not competitors this year. Don't miss this opportunity to expand your network and reconnect with old friends!

LOCATION

A&O Shearman
9/F, Three Exchange Square, Central

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Tuesday, 17 March 2026, 9pm onwards

MAA NATIONS PARTY AT THE MOOT BAR!

You asked and we listened: after the success of the anniversary event in 2023, the MAA is bringing themed nights back to the Moot Bar! This year, we want to celebrate the diversity of the Vis Moot. At the themed night, you get to represent your country or region: wear your national colors, bring your flag, paint your face, whatever it is you feel represents your national identity!

The MAA will be rewarding the teams who bring their national spirit, so don't forget to dress up and come find us!

LOCATION



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ATTENTION

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ANTIQUE OPEN DECK TRAM TOUR

Start your night off on one of Hong Kong's antique open-deck trams! Join us for this unique experience and enjoy a breath-taking ride through the streets of Hong Kong. The tram will drop you off next to the Happy Valley Racecourse! The registration starts at 6:30 PM, and the tram will depart at 6:45 PM and arrive at Happy Valley Racetrack at around 8:15 PM – 8:30 PM. The tram will not make stops along its journey to pick up late joiners. Space is limited so register today! Tickets can be purchased below via QR code at HKD 140 each (+Eventbrite fees). Please note that we will not be providing any drinks, but feel free to bring your own beverages!

REGISTRATION & PAYMENT



LOCATION

Meet at the Whitty Street Tram Depot. Entrance is on Connaught Road West on Hong Kong Island. Please arrive 15 minutes early!

Address for taxi drivers:
西環干諾道西屈地街電車總廠

Wednesday, 18 March 2026, 6:30pm – 8:30pm





HAPPY VALLEY HORSE RACES

Wednesday, 18 March 2026, 7pm – 11pm

Come out to one of Hong Kong's longest standing traditions, the Happy Valley Horse Races, where you will experience an exciting, fun-filled evening in a thrilling atmosphere at a world-class venue with beautiful horses, skillful jockeys, plenty of drinks and snacks, and most importantly, great company!

Participants of the Vis East Moot will enjoy complimentary access to the Racecourse and a complimentary drink upon entry.



LOCATION

Happy Valley Racecourse,
Public Entrance at
Wong Nai Chung Road,
Hong Kong Island
(The entry is free of charge!)

HOW TO GET THERE

Take a tram towards "Happy Valley", get off at "Leighton Road" stop (near Entrance A, B, C, D). Alternatively, take MTR "Causeway Bay", Exit A, and follow the signs to the racecourse.

Thursday, 19 March 2026, 7pm – 9pm

23RD VIS EAST ASSEMBLY AND ANNOUNCEMENT OF ELIMINATION ROUNDS

Once the four general rounds are completed, come gather with all the other teams and coaches at the Assembly where the teams advancing to the elimination rounds will be announced!

LOCATION

Grand Ballroom, Hotel Alexandra, 32 City Garden Road,
North Point, Hong Kong S.A.R



23RD VIS EAST ELIMINATION ROUNDS

The Top-32 Teams will face-off in the Elimination Rounds!

Details of the teams who advance to the Elimination Rounds will be available on the Vis East Website and Facebook Page. Stay tuned!

LOCATION

Friday:

2nd Floor, West Wing, Justice Place, 11 Ice House Street (on the corner of Ice House Street and Queens Road Central), Central, Hong Kong S.A.R.

Saturday:

West Wing, Justice Place, 11 Ice House Street, Central, Hong Kong S.A.R.

Friday, **20 March 2026**: Round of 32, at 9am and 11am / Eighth-Finals, at 3 pm
Saturday, **21 March 2026**: Quarter-Finals, at 9am / Semi-Finals, at 1pm



Saturday, 21 March 2026, at 5pm

SUNSET BOAT & SEAFOOD DINNER

ORGANIZED BY THE VIS EAST MOOT ADMINISTRATION

Discover one of Hong Kong's traditional fishing villages and its delicious, fresh seafood! Be prepared for the table-singing challenge and celebrate a great evening filled with great food, drink, and most importantly, amazing company! Following the Seafood Dinner, the MAA will lead you to the MAA Farewell Party back in Kowloon.

For more details, please visit the [Events Page](#) on the Vis East Website!

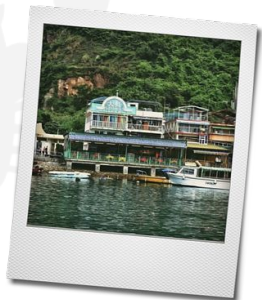
LOCATION

Meet at **Central Ferry Pier No. 9** (near the Star Ferry) no later than 5:30 PM (ferries will depart promptly)

Dinner at Rainbow Seafood Restaurant at Lamma Island

The return ferry will stop at Tsim Sha Tsui and Central Pier.

REGISTRATION & PAYMENT



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MAA FAREWELL PARTY

Saturday, 21 March 2026, 10pm - 2am

After a week of competing and networking, it is time to let loose and celebrate with both old and new friends! The MAA Farewell Party is where everyone lets their hair down and brings their dancing shoes – Let's Get Ready to Party!

LOCATION

Terrible Baby,
4/F, Eaton HK,
380 Nathan Rd, Jordan
(Please use the Street Entrance on Pak
Hoi Street for easy access to the venue)

DRESS CODE

Smart Casual (No shorts, tank tops, flipflops)

ATTENTION

You must have a valid ID or
passport in order to enter.

COST

For an amazing price of HKD
125 (+Eventbrite fees), Vis
East Participants will get VIP
admission and 2
complimentary drinks (red
wine, white wine, house
spirits, beer, or soft drinks).

REGISTRATION & PAYMENT



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23RD VIS EAST FINAL ROUND

The grand finale with the two best teams followed by the traditional group photo.

LOCATION

16/F, Grand Ballroom, Hopewell Hotel, 15 Kennedy Road, Wan Chai, Hong Kong S.A.R.

Sunday, 22 March 2026
10am (Final Round), 12pm (Group Photo)



Sunday, 22 March 2026, at 1pm

23RD VIS EAST AWARDS BANQUET

ORGANIZED BY THE VIS EAST MOOT ADMINISTRATION

Following the Final Round and official Group Photo, the last official event to the 23rd Vis East Moot will take place – the Awards Banquet. Here, the team who wins the competition will be announced. The winners and honourable mentions for other awards will also be announced. Enjoy a last luncheon with your fellow Mooties and future colleagues before the official end of the 23rd Vis East Moot Competition.

Tickets for the Gala Awards Banquet are required and can only be purchased in advance on the [Events Page](#) on the Vis East Website. For more details, please contact the Vis East Moot Administration.

LOCATION

16/F, Grand Ballroom, Hopewell Hotel, 15 Kennedy Road, Wan Chai, Hong Kong S.A.R.



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