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Young Practitioners and Scholars Essay Competition 2020


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Authors are free to choose the topic of their essay to the extent that it relates to EU investment law and arbitration, including one of the topics in the Call for Papers for this issue.

All submissions should be between 5,000 and 12,000 words, inclusive of footnotes. Co-authored submissions are permissible. All submissions should be in English and must be in conformity with the Review’s house style, which is available on the Review’s website: https://efila.org/essay-competition/

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The deadline for submission is: 1 April 2020.

Submissions are to be emailed as an attached Word document to eilarev@efila.org, with the subject “Submission for EILAR Essay Competition 2020”.

Winners will be chosen by the Editorial Committee of the Review. The Editorial Committee reserves the right not to award any prize if they conclude that no essay of sufficiently high academic quality has been submitted.

Prizes

The winning submission and the runner-up submission will be published in the Review.

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