



**Preliminary Programme British Spanish Law Association
Annual Conference Valencia 19th, 20th & 21st October 2017**



Valencia Bar Association

Plaza de Tetuán, 16
Valencia
Spain

Conference Language: **English**

Why attend?

The interactive two-and-a-half-day event has been designed to provide delegates with the up to date knowledge and tools needed to successfully look after their international Anglo-Spanish clients. Case studies, panel discussions and networking with leading practitioners will give delegates an experience-driven learning opportunity.

Who should attend?

All solicitors, barristers, abogados and other professionals involved in English Welsh/Spanish legal systems.

Thursday 19th October

8pm **Wine tasting at *La Querencia* (C/ Pelayo, 32)**

Friday 20th October

- 9am - 9.15am** **Registration** at the Valencia Bar Association
- 9.15am - 9.30am** **Welcome by the Dean of the Valencia Bar and the BSLA Chairman, Alvaro Aznar**
- 9.30am - 10.15am** **Overview of the Spanish and English legal systems.** This session will provide the delegates with an overview of the Spanish and English legal systems. The session will be delivered by a Spanish lawyer and an English practitioner.
- 10.15am to 11am** **Private client Session:** Taxation of Trusts in Spain, Estate planning Inheritance and Wealth Tax, declaration of foreign assets, Introduction to SICAVS and other financial vehicles. This session will be delivered by a member of the Spanish Branch of the Society of Trusts and Estates Practitioner STEP
Javier Frias Sanz TEP STEP (Society of Trusts and Estates Practitioners)
- 11am - 11.30am** **Coffee break**
- 11.30am- 12.15pm** **"The extraterritoriality of the Bribery Act":** How Spanish companies may be affected by this far reaching piece of legislation.
Tom Epps (Partner) and Martha Baselga (Associate) at Brown Rudnick LLP
- 12.15pm – 1pm** **"A Tax Litigator's View on Brexit":** Summary of the UK tax system and how this may be affected by Brexit.
Robert Waterson Legal Director at RPC Legal
- 1.pm - 1.45pm** **European Arrest Warrants, European Supervision Orders and Cross Border Criminal Matters.** This session will cover relevant aspects of cross border criminal law.
Richard Saynor, Barrister at 23 Essex St Chambers
- 1.45pm - 3.45pm** **Lunch: *Restaurante de Ana* (Plaza de Tetuán, Nº 18 - IZQ.)**
- 3.45pm - 4.30pm** **Property law session.** This session will provide a comparative between both legal systems property litigation in England and Wales and current issues on litigation against lenders in Spain
David Bowman Messrs Teacher Stern LLP and Alberto Cañizares Messrs Cañizares Abogados.
- 4.30pm - 5.20 pm** **Breakout sessions.** Delegates may choose one of the following:

Regulation of Financial Markets: Overview and high-level developments on EU financial regulation aimed to in-house and private practice legal professionals.

Maria Blazquez

When love is no longer in the air: Practical approach to international private family law.

Paula Piquer of Alberto Perez Cedillo Spanish Lawyers and Solicitors

8pm

Cocktail dinner *Mirador De Comedias C/ Comedias nº 7, esquina C/ De La Paz, Valencia*

Saturday 21st October

10am – 11am **Data protection** New EU Directive,

11am – 11.30am **Coffee break**

11.30am – 1pm **Forum discussion: Brexit**

1pm **Conference closure**

Please note that this programme may be subject to changes

**THURSDAY 19th –SATURDAY 21 OCTOBER 2017
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- I am a Member of the BSLA or a Lawyer registered with the ICAV and will be attending the Conference sessions and social programme (wine tasting on 19th October and lunch & dinner on 20th October):
£200
- I am not a Member of the BSLA and will be attending the Conference sessions and social programme (wine tasting on 19th October and lunch & dinner on 20th October):
£300

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