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Advancing Future-Ready Legal Infrastructure to Foster Digital Innovation,
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Building on the success of previous editions, this Summit examines the role of transnational commercial law in fostering digital innovation, sustainable growth and resilient markets in the Asia-Pacific region – issues at the forefront for the future development of the region. With the honourable presence of policymakers, legal practitioners, academics, financial institutions, international and regional organisations, and business leaders from across the Asia-Pacific region, the Summit adopts a cross-sectoral and forward-looking approach to examining these topical issues and focuses on the practical implementation of international legal instruments and ongoing harmonisation initiatives that support innovation, facilitate trade and investment, strengthen access to finance, and enhance legal certainty across border.

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Provisional Programme

09:30 - 10:00	○	Welcome Remarks
10:00 - 10:20	○	Keynote Address
10:20 - 11:30	○	Panel 1: Shaping Tomorrow's Markets – Exploring Transnational Law Instruments for Digital Innovation and Shared Sustainable Futures
11:30 - 11:45	○	Break
11:45 - 12:45	○	Panel 2: Modernising Secured Transactions and Trade Finance – Expanding Access to Credit for MSMEs
12:45 - 14:00	○	Lunch (by invitation only)
14:00 - 15:15	○	Panel 3: Promoting Regional Connectivity – Enhancing Legal Certainty in Global Trade and Investment
15:15 - 15:30	○	Break
15:30 - 16:45	○	Panel 4: UNIDROIT and Hong Kong – Building Asia-Pacific Legal Capacity from an International Legal and Dispute Resolution Services Centre
16:45 - 17:00	○	Closing Remarks

