INVITATION TO THE 2\textsuperscript{ND} HUNGARIAN PRE-MOOT

MARCH 12-13 2010

Following the success the team of the Central European University (CEU) achieved last year at the 16\textsuperscript{th} Vis Moot Competition in Vienna - ranked 44 out of 228 - and also following the recommendations to create a permanent practice with the CEU Pre-Moot rounds, we therefore proudly announce the

\textbf{17\textsuperscript{th} Willem C Vis International Commercial Arbitration Pre-Moot}

\textbf{at the Central European University}

aimed at preparation to the oral pleadings of the 17\textsuperscript{th} Vis International Commercial Arbitration Moot in Vienna, and at promoting international arbitration education.

Student teams are welcome to participate and practice for the Vienna competition, while legal practitioners and academics are invited to attend as moot arbitrators. Sponsors or potential hosts of social events are also welcome.

The two-day long event will host a maximum of 16 teams, each planned to plead between two to four times, in a non-competitive format, but otherwise following the Vis Moot orals’ pattern. After each round the arbitrators will provide their feedback on the performance of the team members, and the speakers will be evaluated according to the system used in Vienna, and based on this scoring one participant will receive the Best Oralist Award. The hearings will simultaneously take place in four rooms and will be recorded, and the videos will be sent to the teams soon after the Pre-Moot, together with the individual scores of each pleading participant.

Between the hearings coffee and tea will be served, and a modest lunch will also be provided to all participants. In addition, at the end of the first day, a short welcoming reception will be organized, while at the end of the two-day long event, a closing reception will also include the awarding of the Best Oralist Diploma.

Should you decide that you would like to participate, would be willing to support this event by any contribution, or should you have any questions or need clarifications, please feel free to contact the organizer Ms. Dalma Demeter at demeter_dalma@ceu-budapest.edu

Participating teams are asked to express their interest as soon as possible and to register \textbf{by January 31} the latest, to facilitate the smooth organization of the event.

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\textbf{Date: March 12-13, 2010}
\textbf{Location: Central European University}
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For more information see:

- The official Vienna Vis Moot site • http://www.cisg.law.pace.edu/vis.html
- The CEU Vis Moot site • http://web.ceu.hu/legal/moot_about.htm