

Draft Programme

09:30 – 10:00	Registration and refreshments
10:00: - 10:30	Opening of the conference Christina Blacklaws , President of the Law Society of England and Wales Representative from the British Embassy in Kyiv Representative from the UNBA
10:30 – 11:30	Session 1 – Good times: Ukrainian start-ups and SMEs doing business in the UK <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Setting up a corporate structure – key facts – UK tax regime – Visa and immigration rules – Raising finance in London – getting the right kind of financing is key to any successful venture. – Bank accounts, sanctions and restrictions
11:30 – 12:00	Tea and coffee break
12:00 – 13:00	Session 2 – Time for change – Angel exit and other options including estate planning and restructuring <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – IPOs, AIM and GDR – M&A transactions – What to do with the money – estate planning
13:00 – 14:00	Lunch
14:00 - 15:30	Session 3 – The price of success/the consequences of failure: resolving your disputes in England and Wales <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Cost effective disputes resolution – Efficiency and reduced costs – what is being done to make arbitration quicker and cheaper? – Third party funding of arbitration disputes: opportunities and limitations – Family law implications - benefits and risks of England and Wales – Unexplained Wealth Orders – Cross-border insolvency
15:30 - 16:00	Tea and coffee break
16:00 - 17:00	Session 4 – Working with English and Welsh solicitors on cross border and international matters – panel discussion – war stories: truths learned from failure and building blocks of success
17:00	Closing remarks
17:05 - 19:30	Networking reception