

# International Tax Dialogues



**The International Tax Dialogues (ITD)** is a series of discussions and interactive technical sessions on key emerging issues in International taxation. The topics are global, contemporary and practical.

The discussions shall be led by international tax experts who will explain and take you through the various nuances and technical issues, followed by in-depth discussions.

In view of COVID-19, we shall be conducting our ITDs online via the Zoom platform. As with our previous ITDs, we shall allocate 1.5 hours in the evening for each session. Attendance at the ITDs is Free for IFA members.

# Please join us for our exciting ITD on May 2021.

Speaker	Kurt G. Rademacher Partner
*Please see attached Speaker Bio.	Butler Snow Singapore LLP
Date	Thursday, 20 May 2021
Time	6.00pm to 7.00pm
Venue	Zoom Conferencing
	We shall be sending you further details on how to join the zoom conference 24 hours prior to the zoom conference.
	Should an email not reach you, kindly check your Junk/Spam inbox.

(Complimentary for all IFA Singapore Branch members).

Topic: "What's next for US taxes? Preparing for what's to come under the Biden administration".

Kurt will begin by discussing how US tax rules apply to US persons and non-US persons.

He will then recap the 2020 US national election results and provide insights into upcoming US tax changes under the "Biden Plan", including his views on the likelihood of passage of an annual wealth tax, a reduction in the US Federal estate and gift tax exemptions, an increase in US Federal income tax rates, and a potential elimination of the "basis step up on death". Finally, he will discuss increasing budgets for IRS auditors that are likely to lead to more frequent audits of high net worth and high earning individuals.



Mr. Kurt G. Rademacher Partner Butler Snow Singapore LLP

Kurt is a seasoned professional in international wealth transfer planning. He represents ultra-high net worth families and family controlled businesses throughout the world with respect to US federal income, gift and estate tax issues.

## PRACTICE AREAS AND INDUSTRY TEAMS

- Wealth Transfer Planning (International)
- Wealth Transfer Planning (Domestic)
- Tax
- Taxation of Businesses
- Tax Exempt Organizations
- Estates and Trusts

# EXPERIENCE

• Formerly a partner with a large, international law firm based in London and was a founding partner of that firm's Hong Kong office.

• Represents ultra high net worth families and family controlled businesses throughout the world with respect to US federal income, gift and estate tax issues.

• Maintains a strong emphasis on the tax issues faced by families and businesses based in the Asia-Pacific region and in the United Kingdom.

#### Cost

	Per Session
IFA Individual members	FREE
IFA Corporate members	FREE for up to 2 persons per firm
SCTP and STEP members	S\$30
Others	S\$40

## **Registration**

To register, please click here.

**CPE hours:** 1.5/session A certificate of attendance will be provided after each session.

#### Presentation Material:

All material will be available to IFA members for download through the IFA website (<u>https://www.ifasingapore.org/</u>).

#### About IFA Singapore

The International Fiscal Association (IFA) is a non-governmental and non-sectorial international organisation dealing with fiscal matters. Its objects are the study and advancement of international and comparative law in regard to public finance, specifically international and comparative fiscal law and the financial and economic aspects of taxation. In support of IFA's objects, the Singapore Branch holds regular seminars and seeks to provide a unique platform for discussion on international tax matters.

#### **IFA Membership Rates**

Joining Fee: \$120

Individual membership - \$180 per annum Corporate membership - \$380 per annum

(Joining Fee + Membership Fee)

#### Benefits of IFA Membership

<u>Events and Seminars</u>

IFA Singapore holds events and seminars on a range of international tax topics. IFA members are entitled to attend these sessions at attractive rates.

<u>Annual Congresses</u>

Hosted by one of IFA's branches, the Annual Congress provides an opportunity for an exchange of knowledge and experience with respect to fiscal law. The Congress programme is supplemented by a choice of seminars, covering more technical subjects, whether international in character or focused on the law of jurisdiction where the Congress is being held.

<u>Cahiers</u>

2 Cahiers are published annually and distributed free of charge to all members of the Association. They contain a wealth of domestic and international material in dealing with the subjects to be discussed at the following Congress. These publications comprise of IFA Branch Reports together with a General Report on each of the two subjects selected for the Congress of that year. The Cahiers are an invaluable source of information of lasting scientific value for any specialist interested in international or comparative fiscal law.

#### Members Area on Website

The members-only section of the IFA Singapore website contains all past presentation material and content from the Annual General Meeting for download.

#### Becoming an IFA member

Please find the Corporate and Individual membership forms attached.