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The members of the Academy of Experts UK is pleased to host an evening of discourse on the theory, practice and procedure of acting as an expert witness in court, arbitration and adjudication proceedings.

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28 February 2025, Friday



3:30pm - 5:30pm



Seminar Room, AIAC



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# PROGRAMME

3:00pm Registration

3:25pm Opening Remarks

3:30pm **Introduction by The Academy of Experts UK**

3:45pm **Panel Discussion 1 – Why is there a need for Expert Evidence?**



**Moderator  
Kee Meng Fai**  
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**Mr Nick Powell**  
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4:15pm **Panel Discussion 2 – Expert Witness: The Lone Ranger or Hired Gun?**



**Moderator  
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**Mr Peter Hiebler**  
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**Mr Ashish Chakravarti**  
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4:45pm **Experience from different jurisdictions and common issues by Mr Soh Lieh Sieng, Founding Partner, Contract Solutions i Group**

5:00pm **Panel Discussion 3 – Counsel’s View on the use of Expert Witness**



**Moderator  
Mr Soh Lieh Sieng**  
Founding Partner  
Contract Solutions i  
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**Mr Wong Hin Loong**  
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5:30pm **Snacks & Networking**