

IBL Symposium
The USMCA: Promises and Challenges for the Future of North American Trade

Friday, October 6

Agenda

- 8:30 am: **Registration and Continental Breakfast**
- 9:00 am: **Opening Remarks**
[Robin Efron](#), Brooklyn Law School
- 9:15 to 10:45am: **Panel I: The USMCA and Labor**
Moderator
[Alberto Rodriguez](#), Brooklyn Law School
Speakers
[Diego Marroquín Bitar](#), The Brookings Institution
[Desiree LeClercq](#), Cornell University ILR School
[Inu Manak](#), Council on Foreign Relations
- 10:45 to 11:00 am: **Break**
- 11:00 to 12:30 pm: **Panel II: The USMCA and Energy and Climate Policy**
Moderator
[Jack Lienke](#), Institute for Policy Integrity (NYU Law)
Speakers
[Kathleen Claussen](#), Georgetown Law
[Guillermo Jose Garcia Sanchez](#), Texas A&M University School of Law
[Karen Sokol](#), Loyola University New Orleans College of Law
- 12:30 to 1:45 pm: **Lunch (to be provided)**
- 1:45 to 3:15 pm: **Panel III: Gender, Race, and Trade Policy in the USMCA**
Moderator
[Irene Ten Cate](#), Brooklyn Law School
Speakers
[Amrita Bahri](#), ITAM University
[Nadia Hasham](#), African Trade Policy Centre (ATPC) of the United Nations Economic Commission for Africa (UNECA)
[J. Benton Heath](#), Temple University Beasley School of Law
- 3:15 to 3:30 pm: **Break**
- 3:30 to 5:00 pm: **Panel IV: The USMCA and Dispute Resolution**
Moderator
[Stratos Pahiis](#), Brooklyn Law School
Speakers
[Julian Arato](#), The University of Michigan Law School
[Joanna Langille](#), Western University Faculty of Law
[Elizabeth Whitsitt](#), University of Calgary, Faculty of Law