Third-party litigation finance in practice –
Workshop series

3 March 2022, 9:30-11:00am (CET) / 8.30-10:00am (GMT) / 4:30-6:00pm (HKT)
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Burford Capital and Nivalion AG, together with Young ArbitralWomen Practitioners, the Equal Representation in Arbitration Pledge Young Practitioners’ Subcommittee, TDM and HK45, are hosting an interactive virtual workshop series on third-party litigation funding. This series will give you an understanding of the concept and basics of commercial legal finance, its use and implications in practice (including its ability to improve diversity in the business of law) and provide you with an opportunity to engage directly with the trainers in small group sessions.

The series will be led by representatives of the leading funders Burford Capital and Nivalion AG. The workshops would be especially useful for senior legal practitioners, including those who regularly consider new mandates and issues to have in mind at the outset of a new matter.

Using case studies (provided as a pre-reading ahead of the workshop) this interactive session will introduce the concept of commercial legal finance and its use and implications in practice.

Participants will learn:

- what cases are suitable for funding,
- how the funding process works,
- when to seek funding, and
- what offerings (e.g. portfolio funding, monetization of awards) and pricing options are available on the funding market.

We will also consider the value that the involvement of a funder can add for corporate clients and law firms and give some practical tips from a funder’s perspective.

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Facilitators:
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Olivia Furter & Lucas Macedo from Nivalion AG

Click here to register for the session
The number of available places for the session are limited. If your place is confirmed after registration, you will receive a confirmation email and joining details. Since places are limited, we ask the participants to make sure they are able to attend and flag to us if they can no longer make it.