Understanding Documents in Trade Finance

- Understanding the function and effects of documents used in trade
  - B/L, CMR, Certificate of Origin, Quality Certificates etc.
- Avoid KYC, AML and compliance traps
- How do UCP 600, ISBP 745 & Incoterms® 2020 relate
  - Impact of selection of an Incoterms® 2020 rule on documents
  - Which documents are required for presentation under the L/C
- How to take security over the goods?
- Add value via expert customer service
  - Help to avoid cost traps – be the best partner you can.
- Insurance documents under UCP 600, ISBP745 and Incoterms® 2020

13 November 2019, 9.00 a.m. – 5.00 p.m.
1040 Vienna, Austria
Hotel Triest, Wiedner Hauptstrasse 12

This conference is part of a 3 days conference series – separate booking available

- **Incoterms® 2020 in Contracts, Transport Docs and Insurance**
  - Mon, Nov 11th, 2019
  - Vienna, Austria
- **Incoterms® 2020 & Letters of Credit**
  - Tue, Nov 12th, 2019
  - Vienna, Austria
- **ICC Austria & EBRD Case Studies on LCs and Bank Guarantees**
  - Wed/Thur, Nov 13th+14th, 2019
  - Vienna, Austria

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Understanding documents in Trade Finance

**Target Group**

- Trade finance specialists
- Experts on L/C in banks & corporates
- Risk Managers in banks & corporates
- Sales Managers of Exporters & Importers
- Lawyers & In-house legal counsels
- Freight forwarding & logistics experts

**Background & Objectives**

Understanding the function and effects of documents used in Trade Finance is essential to obtain financial security for all parties involved.

Exporters and importers are responsible for making sure that the commercial contract stipulates appropriate documents that each can reasonably be expected to provide. For example, if the contract requires that the exporter must present a document that the importer holds, trouble will certainly follow. Banks need to understand the underlying transaction to be able to assess their risk of potential losses or to eliminate the possibilities of financial crime or breach of law or violation of sanctions.

Transport documents, as one of the most important documents in Trade, not only facilitate the movement of goods but are also, in certain cases, “documents of title”, i.e. whoever holds the document is entitled to possession of the goods. They are also usually stipulated in the L/C, therefore are important for not only transportation but also provide for the ability to control the goods after dispatch as well as control over payment timelines. Therefore, precise understanding of said documents is vital.

Confidence that “the client and/or other party will always get it right” should not result in blind reliance: understanding documents, Incoterms® and contractual obligations will not only allow you to check the delivery terms for responsibilities on carriage and insurance and the passing of risk, but will also base your communication on an equal footing, so to find the best trade finance solution for everyone involved.

This ICC Austria training aims to combine knowledge to avoid partial solutions, but to offer an integrated approach instead.

*Please note that the programme will be expanded with further topics and recent developments shortly. Additionally, participants are invited to submit their special questions and cases in advance to: e.treu@icc-austria.org

**Speakers**

**Hugo Verschoren**, independent consultant, and owner of goVer Trading Technologies, Belgium. Previously with ING in various positions inside and outside Trade Finance. Regular training provider and frequent speaker at conferences world-wide. Member of the ICC Belgian National committee. Technical Adviser to the International Chamber of Commerce, member of the ICC Regulatory Advocacy Group, the ICC Trade Finance Register Steering Group; the ICC Financial Crime Risk & Policy Group.

*More Speakers to be announced soon.*
Programme:

Bill of Lading, shipped on board B/L, E Bill of Lading
FCR = Forwarders Certificate of Receipt
CMR
Bill of Exchange
3. Promissory Notes
4. Certificate of origin of goods
5. Warehouse receipt
6. Packing weight list, Packing List/Note
7. Consular invoice, commercial invoice, pro-forma invoice
8. Insurance documents, transport insurance, marine insurance

Use and purpose of the documents

Documents against Cash
Documents against Acceptance

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• Bank Guarantees, Letters of Credit, Trade Finance and contracts
• import-export contracts, Incoterms, International trade terms and conditions,
• Dispute prevention, dispute resolution and arbitration
• Prevention of corruption, commercial crime, counterfeiting, investment fraud, shipping fraud
• International negotiations in the light of cross cultural differences
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For visa letter please send us your passport details:

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Alternately, send us a copy of your passport.

Hotel information

After we receive your registration, you will get a confirmation in which you will also find a list of hotels close to the conference venue. We advise you to make your hotel reservations in one of the recommended hotels as soon as possible, as the demand in November is usually very high.

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