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The Law of Commerce in the 21st Century: **Transnational Commercial Justice Amidst the Wax and Wane of Globalisation**

The University of Western Australia Law School and the Supreme Court of Western Australia are delighted to invite you to attend an address by Chief Justice Sundaresh Menon, the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Singapore.

Through an intricate web of commercial laws and rules for the resolution of commercial disputes, the law provides the currency of trust that underwrites international commerce and supports the process of globalisation. The meaningful convergence and harmonisation of these laws is slowly beginning to take the shape of a transnational system of commercial justice. Recent events have, however, raised pressing questions over the very future of globalisation and the rules-based international order. In this speech, Chief Justice Menon will consider the prognosis for globalisation, examine the development of the transnational system of commercial justice, and set out his vision for the future of international commercial law.

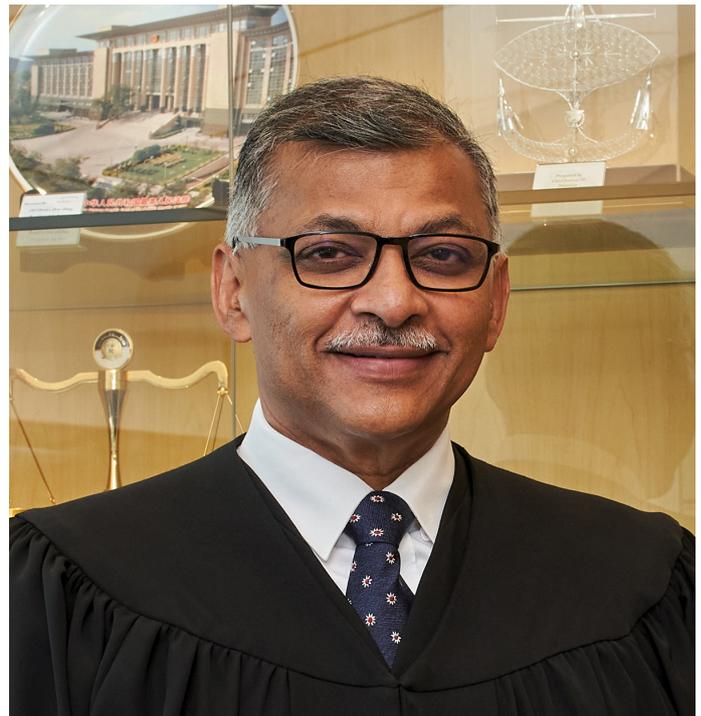
When: Wednesday 27th July 2022

Time: 5.45pm for 6pm start

Venue: Court Room 1,
Supreme Court of Western Australia,
Stirling Gardens
4 Barrack Street Perth, WA 6000

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Chief Justice Sundaresh Menon was appointed Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Singapore on 6 November 2012.

Chief Justice Menon graduated with a Bachelor of Laws (First Class Honours) from the National University of Singapore in 1986 and a Master of Laws from Harvard Law School in 1991. After he was called to the Bar in Singapore in 1987, he practised with major local and international law firms, primarily as an advocate, in the fields of commercial litigation and arbitration, construction law and insolvency law.

From 2006 to 2007, he served as a Judicial Commissioner of the Supreme Court. He was appointed Senior Counsel in 2008. In 2010, he was appointed the 6th Attorney-General of Singapore, a post he relinquished in 2012 shortly before his appointment as a Judge of Appeal. Chief Justice Menon is married with three children.