

## BUSINESS SEMINAR

### Tax Seminar

The Tax Seminar, organized by the Foreign Chambers of Commerce in Slovakia, offered a unique opportunity to get the latest updates from the tax field in a comprehensive manner with a special focus on the business sphere. Experts from Grant Thornton Consulting and VGD Slovakia summarized the most important legislative changes of 2018 and their practical impact for entrepreneurs. The participants also appreciated the chance to receive expert advice and answers to their tax-related inquiries from the presenting experts.

The topics covered included the changes in Income Tax Act, VAT, international taxation, electronic cash register's area, methodical guidance related to transfer pricing documentation, and numerous other topics. The program also included a presentation by Toško Beran, Director, Ministry of Finance, on the tax legislation planned for 2019, which included valuable information regarding further development in the tax field.

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## BUSINESS BREAKFAST

### Commercial Arbitration in Slovakia: Efficient and reliable alternative for businesses.

This business breakfast filled the venue at Austria Trend Hotel with legal professionals of the highest caliber. Organized in cooperation with The Arbitration Court of the Slovak Bar Association and in partnership with Business Alliance of Slovakia (PAS) to discuss current trends in commercial arbitration in Slovakia and find out more about the potential benefits for businesses. The speakers included Tomáš Borec, President of the Slovak Bar Association, as well as Gábor Gál, Minister of Justice. The presentations and the discussion offered expert insights into the workings of commercial arbitration but, as AmCham's Executive Director Ronald Blaško pointed out in his opening speech, they also dealt with the more general and crucial topic of trust in society.

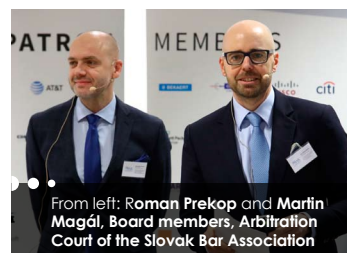
Businesses across Slovakia have for many years pointed to the insufficient predictability of court decisions. A more predictable judiciary has been one of the priorities of AmCham and its partners in the Rule of Law



Tomáš Borec, President, Slovak Bar Association



Gábor Gál, Minister of Justice of the Slovak Republic



From left: Roman Prekop and Martin Magál, Board members, Arbitration Court of the Slovak Bar Association

Initiative. The Arbitration Court of the Slovak Bar Association has been actively used by many AmCham members and offers a relevant option for businesses which prefer to settle their disputes outside of the standard courts.



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