

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES IN BARBADOS

GENERAL

Research and Development
Medical Tourism
Alternative and Renewable Energy

FINANCIAL SERVICES

International Business Companies
International Insurance Companies
International Banking
Societies with Restricted Liability
International Trusts
Private Wealth Management
Headquarters and Holding Companies
Ships Registration

INFORMATION SERVICES

Contact Center Services
Insurance Claims Processing
Credit Card Application Processing
Back Office Processing
Software Development
Health Information Management

MANUFACTURING

Electronics
Medical Supplies
High Fashion Apparel
High-end Niche Manufacturing
Pharmaceuticals

**INVEST
BARBADOS**

Trident Insurance Financial Centre
Bridgetown, BARBADOS
Tel: (246) 626-2011 / (246) 626-2000
Email: ecatwell@investbarbados.org
Register online: www.investbarbados.org

BARBADOS

SOLUTIONS FOR SUCCESS

International Business Seminar

Facilitating Business of Substance

Thursday, July 7, 2016
8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.
JW Marriott
Calle 73 No. 8-60
Bogotá



PROGRAM

- Co-ordinator:** Ms. Sandra Payne, CEO (Ag.), Invest Barbados
- 8:00 a.m.** **Registration & Coffee**
- 8:30 a.m.** **Welcome Address – Barbados’ Policy on Welcoming International Investment**
The Honourable Donville Inniss, M.P.
Minister of Industry, International Business, Commerce and Small Business Development
- 8:50 a.m.** **Maximizing Tax Efficiencies Using the Barbados Jurisdiction**
Mr. Tyson Thompson, International Tax Consultant, Thompson Henry & Associates
- 9:20 a.m.** **Barbados Solutions for Success – Audio Visual Presentation**
- 9:30 a.m.** **Colombia Oil & Gas - Identifying the Risks and Cross Border Solutions**
Mr. Jonathan Brathwaite, Director & Legal Counsel, FlatStone Energy Partners Ltd
Mr. Eduardo Rodriguez, Partner, FlatStone Energy Partners Ltd
- 9:55 a.m.** **Establishment of an International Insurance Entity in Barbados**
Mr. Ricardo Knight, President & CEO, JLT Barbados
Mr. Kirk Cyrus, Executive Vice President, JLT Barbados
Mr. Juan Felipe Londono, Vice President Latin America, JLT Insurance Management
- 10:20 a.m.** **Barbados’ Legal System and Product Offering**
Mr. Dustin Delany, Principal, Delany Law | Delany Corporate
- 10:45 a.m.** **Banking and Wealth Management in Barbados**
Mr. Jascha Jabes, Head of Corporate Deposits and Funding
Mrs. Lana Fingall, Snr Relationship Manager and Team Lead
- 11:10 a.m.** **Living and Working in Barbados: A LATAM Perspective**
Mrs. Evelyn Arnal-Forde, President, Total Asset Management Services, Ltd
- 11:30 a.m.** **Q & A**
- 11:50 a.m.** **Closing Remarks and Networking Session**

THE BARBADOS DOMICILE

Barbados continues to be recognized internationally as a preferred jurisdiction for foreign investment as evidenced by the increasing number of entities registering international businesses in Barbados. Its expanding network of Double Taxation Agreements (DTAs) and Bilateral Investment Treaties with countries across the globe add to its attractiveness. To date, Barbados has thirty-six (36) DTAs and over four thousand (4,000) registered international entities.

Barbados is a jurisdiction of high standards which places emphasis on competitiveness while offering clients predictability and security in their investments. It promotes an environment which encourages the establishment of businesses of substance and its extensive range of international financial services legislation allows investors the flexibility to create the types of corporate structures specifically suited to their needs. Barbados’ sound regulatory framework has led to consistently high world rankings for banking stability, transparency, human development and global competitiveness, to name a few.

Adding to the uniqueness of Barbados is the availability of intellectual and service resources onshore, which reduces cost and ensures continuity of personnel. The island’s infrastructure features modern telecommunications and information technology, with related disaster contingency capability, reliable local utilities and international air and sea ports.

This event will speak to the growing significance of Barbados as an international business hub and highlight how investing in Barbados can be a smart choice for investors engaged in international business.