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Explores how investment law's inequities bind arbitrators to rules favoring foreign investors and argues for reforming the treaty framework to better consider host states' economic and regulatory interests

This book examines the role of arbitrators vis-à-vis the systemic inequities of investment law, advocating for the reform of its treaty framework, which currently binds arbitrators to apply rules that disproportionately safeguard foreign investors and overlook the impact of arbitral decisions on host states' economic and regulatory frameworks.

Readership

Academics interested in investment law and arbitration, arbitrators, and NGOs active in the field of investment regulation

Key selling points

- A theoretical inquiry on the role of arbitrators in the governance of investment law
- An investigation on the implied duties of investment arbitrators
- A defense of arbitrators within the broader critique of investment law

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