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AN EVENING WITH

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PENANG CRIMINAL BAR 2.0

Join us for an insightful evening with two distinguished members of the Penang Bar as they share their experiences, reflections and lessons gathered from years of practice at the forefront of criminal litigation.

Date : 3 July 2026  
Time : 2:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.  
Venue : Penang Bar Auditorium

[Register Now !!!](#)   
Members of the Bar - RM30  
Pupils-in-Chambers - RM15

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CRIMINAL PRACTICE AND COURT LIAISON SUBCOMMITTEE



## OUR SPEAKERS

### DATO' SERI K. KUMARAENDRAN



Dato' Seri K. Kumaraendran is the Founding Partner of Kumar & Co. He was called to the England Bar at the Honourable Society of Lincoln's Inn in 1969 and subsequently admitted to the Malaysian Bar in 1970. He began his legal career at Messrs Allen & Gledhill before establishing Kumar & Co. in 1974.

With over 56 years of legal experience, Dato' Seri Kumaraendran is widely recognised as one of Malaysia's leading criminal advocates, with extensive experience in criminal litigation, particularly in white collar crimes, capital offences, drug trafficking and appellate practice.

He is a respected senior member of the Penang Bar and has served as Chairman of the Penang Bar, Penang Bar Council Representative to the Malaysian Bar, Chairman of the Bar Council Criminal Law Committee and various other Bar Council committees. He was also appointed as Chairman of Disciplinary Committees by the Bar Council Disciplinary Board.

Throughout his distinguished career, Dato' Seri Kumaraendran has handled numerous high-profile criminal cases involving prominent individuals and complex legal issues. His vast experience and dedication to the practice of criminal law have earned him recognition as a leading figure in the Malaysian legal fraternity.

He continues to share his knowledge, experience and insights with the next generation of lawyers, inspiring young advocates through his journey in the legal profession.

### MR ATHIMULAN A/L MURUTHIAH



Mr. M. M. Athimulan is a senior Malaysian advocate and solicitor with 39 years of legal practice. He graduated with an LL.B. (Hons) from the University of London in 1986, was called to the Bar at Lincoln's Inn in 1987 and was admitted to the Malaysian Bar on 25 June 1988. He is the founding partner of Athimulan & Co., Advocates & Solicitors, a position he has held since August 1994.

Mr. Athimulan's practice focuses on criminal and civil litigation. Over the course of his career, he has handled a wide range of cases involving criminal appeals, corruption, anti-money laundering, commercial crimes, intellectual property, constitutional law, banking and finance, judicial review and commercial litigation. He has appeared extensively before the High Court, Court of Appeal and Federal Court, including in several landmark cases that have contributed to the development of Malaysian law.

In addition to his legal practice, Mr. Athimulan has lectured widely on criminal law, evidence, advocacy, constitutional law and civil litigation for universities, professional bodies, government agencies and law enforcement institutions. He has also conducted professional training and delivered lectures for judges, prosecutors, lawyers, law enforcement officers and public sector agencies throughout Malaysia.

He has served on the Criminal Law Committee of the Malaysian Bar and has been involved in law reform initiatives concerning the Criminal Procedure Code, Penal Code and Evidence Act. Through his extensive experience as an advocate, educator and contributor to legal reform, Mr. Athimulan is widely respected within Malaysia's legal profession and continues to contribute to the development of legal practice and education in the country.

- All payments must be made in advance of the event. Registration must be accompanied with proof of payment to guarantee your place. Payment is to be made via online transfer to the following account:-

Account Holder Name: Penang Bar Committee

Bank: Public Bank Berhad

Account No.: 3060545211

- Registration will close at 5:00 pm, 1 July 2026 (Wednesday). No further registration will be accepted once the deadline has passed.
- The organiser reserves the right to modify, cancel or postpone the event, should circumstances arise that make such action necessary.
- If you have any enquiries, please e-mail us at [secretariat@penangbar.org](mailto:secretariat@penangbar.org)

