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Martin Magál is the head of Allen & Overy's Litigation and Arbitration practice in Slovakia, and co-ordinates the Dispute Resolution practice in Allen & Overy's CEE offices. He represents clients before arbitral tribunals and general courts, including the Supreme Court and the Constitutional Court of the Slovak Republic. Martin is a Fellow of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators and an arbitrator at the Vienna International Arbitral Centre (VIAC).

Martin has acted as party representative in numerous arbitrations conducted under the arbitration rules of the ICC, SCCI (Court of Arbitration of the Slovak Chamber of Commerce and Industry) and PAC SBA (Permanent Arbitration Court of the Slovak Banking Association). He has also acted as an arbitrator in arbitrations conducted under the VIAC rules.

He has contributed articles and summaries to several domestic legal journals and international arbitration handbooks. Martin was appointed to the ministerial commission which drafted the amendment to Slovakia's Arbitration Act. As part of that commission, Martin headed the commercial arbitration workgroup.

Martin Magál is considered to be one of the foremost names for arbitration in Slovakia. "He's very talented: a great negotiator. I don't think there is another like him!" enthuses one interviewee. Chambers Europe 2014

Clients laud Martin Magál for his excellent negotiation skills and pragmatic approach, with one interviewee commenting: "He is in a class of his own." Chambers Europe 2013