

VIAC – Questionnaire for Arbitrators

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4. **Current position:**

- BODE LAW: Independent law practitioner
- Legal Counsel with international construction company, Stuttgart/Germany

5. **Education:**

2011 **Berlin Bar Admission / Paris Bar Admission**

2009 **PhD (Docteur en droit/Dr. iur. - cotutelle internationale) - *summa cum laude***

Topic: The International Group of Companies – The System of Conflict of Laws in German and French Comparative Law (“*Le groupe international de sociétés – Le système du conflit de lois en droit comparé français et allemand*”)

2006 **Masters in Private International Law and International Business Law - *honors***
Panthéon-Sorbonne University (Paris 1)

2005 **Masters in Comparative Law - *high honors (ranked first in class)***
Panthéon-Assas University (Paris 2)

2004 **LL.M., Humboldt University Berlin - *magna cum laude***
Maîtrise en droit, major in German law, Université Panthéon-Assas (Paris 2) - *high honors*

2003 **DEUG and Licence en droit – *honors***
Université Panthéon-Assas (Paris 2)

6. **Practiced experience in arbitration**

- How many arbitrations have you participated in (domestic/international); under which Rules?
(18) international proceedings: ad hoc (including UNCITRAL) and under the Rules of the ICC, LCIA, ECA and ICSID in various industries including distribution, construction, investment, and oil & gas
- How often have you acted as Chairman? *None.*
- How often have you acted as Sole Arbitrator? *None.*
- How often have you acted as Co-Arbitrator? *(1)*
- How often have you acted as Counsel? *(15)*
- How often have you acted in a different function (e.g. Administrative Secretary)?
(2) as Assistant to Arbitrator.

7. Publications and other activities in arbitration (e.g. training sessions, seminars, conferences, articles and others):

Books published

- *Le groupe international de sociétés - Le système de conflit de lois en droit comparé français et allemand* (The International Group of Companies – The System of Conflict of Laws in German and French Comparative Law), Bern: Peter Lang, 2010, 695 PAGES

Articles published

- *Book Review: Günther J. Horvath/Stephan Wilske, Guerilla Tactics in International Arbitration* (Wolters Kluwer 2013), *Journal du droit international (Clunet)*, Oct. 2015, n° 4
- *Report of Comité Français de l'Arbitrage (CFA), Conference dated 16 November 2012 on « Arbitrage et Société », Les Cahiers de l'Arbitrage/The Paris Journal of International Arbitration, 2013-1, p. 262-270*
- *Contributor to New York Convention Guide: Research, Analysis and Summary of German court decisions* (see www.NewYorkConvention1958.org) (since 2011)

Speaking Engagements (recent)

- *Young ICCA & DIS40 Skills Training Workshop on Effective Written and Visual Advocacy in International Arbitration, 27 September 2016, Berlin* (http://www.arbitration-icca.org/YoungICCA/EventPages/Young_ICCA_Berlin_Event_Information.html)

Lectures & Training

- *Willem C. Vis International Commercial Arbitration Moot: Coach of MACI Team and Arbitrator in Vienna (2013-2015)*
- *Guest Lecturer (2013-2015)*
 - *International Arbitration, Sciences Po (Paris)*
 - *English International Arbitration, Arbitration Masters (MACI) of Versailles Univ.*

8. Membership in arbitral institutions / functions in arbitral institutions/organizations:

Member of:

- *Comité Français de l'Arbitrage (CFA) / CFA40*
- *Deutsche Institution für Schiedsgerichtsbarkeit (DIS) e.V. / DIS40*
- *ICC Young Arbitrators Forum (ICC YAF)*
- *Young ICSID*
- *ICDR Y&I*

9. Languages

Mother tongue: *German*

Working languages (i.e. languages in which you have both a spoken and written command so that you may conduct arbitral proceedings in this language): *French, English*

10. In which legal system have you trained?

Germany (*Rechtsanwalt*) ; France (*Avocat à la Cour* – non-practising)

11. What is your main jurisdiction of practice?

Germany, France

12. Special expertise or specializations (please list a maximum of three):

1. *International Arbitration*

2. *Construction law (German, French, international)*

3. *Commercial law (German, French)*

13. Date of birth:

12 September 1979

I have completed this questionnaire to the above to the best of my knowledge and believe they are accurate. I understand that the above information will be used for VIAC's internal use and may be given to interested persons and may be put on VIAC's website.

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Date and signature