

VIAC – Questionnaire for Arbitrators

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4. **Current position:** Partner, BonelliErede – International Arbitration Department

5. **Education:**

- PhD in Comparative, European and International Institutions and Policies, University of Teramo (Teramo, Italy)
- Law Degree cum Laude, University “Roma Tre” (Rome, Italy) – Universidad de León (León, Spain)

6. **Practiced experience in arbitration**

- How many arbitrations have you participated in (domestic/international); under which Rules? I have participated in more than 30 international arbitrations under the following Rules: ICC, LCIA, DIAC, UNCITRAL, UNCITRAL adapted for the Iran-US Claims Tribunal, CAM Milan, and ad hoc
- How often have you acted as Chairman? Never
- How often have you acted as Sole Arbitrator? Never
- How often have you acted as Co-Arbitrator? Never
- How often have you acted as Counsel? 30+
- How often have you acted in a different function (e.g. Administrative Secretary)? 5-10 (as Administrative Secretary and Legal Adviser at the Iran-United States Claims Tribunal)

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

- Before joining BonelliErede, I worked as a **Legal Adviser at the Iran-United States Claims Tribunal** in The Hague, The Netherlands (2008-2013)
- I am a **Faculty Member** at Delos's Remote Oral Advocacy Programme (ROAP) in international arbitration (EMEA edition, 2023 and 2024)
- I regularly speak at seminars and conferences on topics concerning international arbitration

Selected conferences/events:

- Exploring International Claims Tribunals, Sovereign & States Disputes and Enforcement Summit 2024 (London, 6-7 February 2024)
- Hot Topics in M&A and Corporate Disputes (Homburger Session), Swiss Arbitration Summit 2024 (Geneva, 1 February 2024)
- AA40-ArbitralWomen event “What Juniors Want” (Milan, 27 November 2023)
- Le prove nell’arbitrato post-M&A: due diligence, disclosure, formazione della volontà, AIA webinar, (13 January 2022)
- ICC Tanzanian Arbitration Day: Innovation in ICC Practices (Dar Es Salaam, 18 July 2019)
- Does the substantive law matter in international arbitration? (Milan, 4 June 2019)
- The Prague Rules: wind of change? (Milan, 20 February 2019)
- ICC YAF: Due process paranoia and the search for lost efficiency (Lisbon, 31 January 2019)

- **Selected publications:**

- A Ukraine-Russia Claims Commission - Lessons from the past, *Diritto del Commercio Internazionale*, n. 2, 2024
- Covid-19 and M&A transactions: ordinary course of business in extraordinary times (with Letizia Santin), IBA Arbitration Committee’s newsletter (online), 2022
- La saga Micula e lo scopo limitato del procedimento di annullamento, *Diritto del Commercio Internazionale*, n. 2, 2016
- The Iran-United States Claims Tribunal and its contribution to international law (with Hans van Houtte), *The Contribution of International and Supranational Courts to the Rule of Law*, Leuven, 2015

8. Membership in arbitral institutions / functions in arbitral institutions/organizations: International Bar Association, ArbitralWomen, Arbitration Pledge, Rising Arbitrators Initiative

9. Languages

Mother tongue: Italian

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): English; Spanish (reading, speaking and listening)

In which legal systems have you trained?

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Civil Law | <input type="checkbox"/> Common Law | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Austrian Law | <input type="checkbox"/> Hungarian Law | <input type="checkbox"/> Swiss Law |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Czech Law | <input type="checkbox"/> Polish Law | <input type="checkbox"/> Ukrainian Law |
| <input type="checkbox"/> German Law | <input type="checkbox"/> Slovakian Law | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> European Law |

Other: **Italian Law; International Law**

10. What is your main jurisdiction of practice?

Most international arbitrations in which I act as counsel are seated in Europe (mainly in Switzerland, UK and France) with a variety of applicable laws (including Austrian, Dutch, French, English, Italian, Kenyan, Omani, Polish and Saudi).

11. In which jurisdictions are you admitted to the bar? Italy

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

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Antitrust/Unfair competition | <input type="checkbox"/> Damages | <input type="checkbox"/> Insolvency | <input type="checkbox"/> Natural resources |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Aviation | <input type="checkbox"/> Distribution | <input type="checkbox"/> Insurance | <input type="checkbox"/> Power plants |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Banking & Finance | <input type="checkbox"/> Domain name disputes | <input type="checkbox"/> Intellect. property (IP) | <input type="checkbox"/> Private Intern. Law |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Capital markets | <input type="checkbox"/> Employment | <input type="checkbox"/> Investment arbitration | <input type="checkbox"/> Public Intern. Law |
| <input type="checkbox"/> CISG | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Energy | <input type="checkbox"/> ISDS/Foreign inves. | <input type="checkbox"/> Real estate |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Civil fraud disputes | <input type="checkbox"/> Engineering | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Joint ventures | <input type="checkbox"/> Shipping |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Commercial disp. / transactions | <input type="checkbox"/> Entertainment | <input type="checkbox"/> Licensing | <input type="checkbox"/> Sports |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Commodity market | <input type="checkbox"/> Healthcare & Pharmac. | <input type="checkbox"/> Life sciences | <input type="checkbox"/> State/Public contracts |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Company/Corporate/M&A | <input type="checkbox"/> Hotel/Gastro./Tour. | <input type="checkbox"/> Maritime arbitration | <input type="checkbox"/> Technology |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Construction | <input type="checkbox"/> Inform. technology (IT) | <input type="checkbox"/> Media | <input type="checkbox"/> Telecommunication |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Contract law | <input type="checkbox"/> Infrastructure | <input type="checkbox"/> Mining | <input type="checkbox"/> Transport |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ | | | |

13. Date of birth: 3 January 1981

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____ 20 June 2024 ____
Date

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Signature