# **VIAC – Questionnaire for Arbitrators**

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#### 5. Education:

LL.M. Program Stockholm University 1988 - 1989

M.C.L Program Stockholm University, 1986 - 1988

Albertus Magnus Universität Köln, Germany, 1982 - 1986

Universität Bonn, Germany, 1984

Université de Lausanne, Switzerland, 1983 - 1984

## 6. Practiced experience in arbitration

- How many arbitrations have you participated in (domestic/international); under which Rules?
  > 100 (SCC, ICC, DIS, VIAC, Swiss Rules, ICSID, DAI, FAI, PGA Germany)
- How often have you acted as Chairman?

> 20

• How often have you acted as Sole Arbitrator?

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How often have you acted as Co-Arbitrator?

Approx. 10

• How often have you acted as Counsel?

> 80

How often have you acted in a different function (e.g. Administrative Secretary)?
 Expert: 4

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

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

Member of the DIS Council

Member of the SCC Arbitrator's Council

Chairperson of the permanent arbitral tribunal of the PGA of Germany e.V.

Assistant professor (Lehrbeauftragter) at the Frankfurt University of Applied Science

# 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):

English, Swedish

10. In which legal systems have	e you trained?		
X Civil Law	☐ Common Law		
☐ Austrian Law	☐ Hungarian Law	☐ Swiss Law	
☐ Czech Law	☐ Polish Law	☐ Ukrainian Law	
X German Law	☐ Slovakian Law ☐	☐ European Law	
Other Swedish Law			
11. What is your main jurisdiction of practice?			
Sweden and Germany			
12. In which jurisdictions are you admitted to the bar?			
Sweden and Germany			
13. Special expertise or specializations (please list a maximum of five):			
☐ Antitrust/Unfair competition	□ Damages	☐ Insolvency	■ Natural resources
☐ Aviation	☐ Distribution	☐ Insurance	x Power plants
☐ Banking & Finance	☐ Domain name disputes	☐ Intellect. property (IP)	Private Intern. Law
☐ Capital markets	☐ Employment	☐ Investment arbitration	Public Intern. Law
☐ CISG	x Energy	☐ ISDS/Foreign inves.	☐ Real estate
☐ Civil fraud disputes	☐ Engineering	☐ Joint ventures	☐ Shipping
☐ Commercial disp. / transactions	☐ Entertainment	☐ Licensing	☐ Sports
☐ Commodity market	☐ Healthcare & Pharmac.	☐ Life sciences	☐ State/Public contracts
x Company/Corporate/M&A	☐ Hotel/Gastro./Tour.	☐ Maritime arbitration	☐ Technology
x Construction	☐ Inform. technology (IT)	☐ Media	☐ Telecommunication
x Contract law	☐ Infrastructure	☐ Mining	☐ Transport
☐ Other			

14. Date of birth: 22 May 1961

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