

VIAC – Questionnaire for Arbitrators

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5. Education:

LL.M. in International Dispute Resolution, Queen Mary University of London (*merit*)

Master's Degree in International and European Law, University of Toulouse (*magna cum laude*)

LL.B. in French and English Law, University of Toulouse and University College Dublin (*distinction*)

6. Practiced experience in arbitration

- How many arbitrations have you participated in (domestic/international); under which Rules?
Over 25 international arbitration cases (under the ICSID, PCA, UNCITRAL, ICC, LCIA, SCAI, SCC and CEPANI arbitration rules)
- How often have you acted as Chairman? 0
- How often have you acted as Sole Arbitrator? 0
- How often have you acted as Co-Arbitrator? 1 (settled at an early stage)
- How often have you acted as Counsel? Over 20 cases
- How often have you acted in a different function (e.g. Administrative Secretary)? 5 (Administrative Secretary)

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

Publications (sole author or co-author)

- September 2022, “GAR Know-How: Investment Treaty Arbitration in Romania” (GAR Investment Arbitration)
- August 2022, “International Arbitration Laws and Regulations – Romania Chapter” (International Comparative Legal Guide)

- December 2021, *"Revisiting the Concept of Legitimate Expectations in Renewable Energy Treaty Cases"* (European Investment Law and Arbitration Review)
- October 2021, *"Romania's Recent Renewable Energy Disputes: Similar Issues, Same Outcomes?"* (Romanian Arbitration Journal)
- June 2021, *"Enforcing Contracts Questionnaire – the United Kingdom"* (World Bank, Doing Business 2021 pro bono project)
- October 2020, *"COVID-19 and the construction sector: potential relief under international investment treaties"* (Reed Smith article, Lexology publication)
- October 2020, *"The attempted unplugging of Mexico's renewable energy market and how investment treaties are already determining its future"* (Reed Smith's newsletter, Latin America 1st edition)
- July 2020, *"Investor-treaty arbitration 2020 - Indepth Feature Romania"* (Financier Worldwide Magazine)
- June 2020, *"Green tariffs in Ukraine: lessons from Spain and the Czech Republic"* (Reed Smith article, Lexology publication)
- June 2020, *"Judicial expropriation in investment arbitration"* (Jus Mundi Wiki note)
- November 2019, *"Investment Treaty Arbitration Across Different Sectors"* (Reed Smith's Global Guide to International Arbitration)
- October 2019, *"Shareholders' Claims in Investment Treaty Arbitration: No Piece of Cake!"* (Romanian Arbitration Journal)
- January 2018, *"What is the Future of Intra-EU BITs?"* (Kluwer Arbitration Blog)
- November 2017, *"Cross-Border Litigation in Europe: Romania Chapter"* (Hart Publishing)
- May 2017, *"Energy Contracts in African Countries: Issues to Take into Account"* (Magazine du Droit des Affaires en Afrique)
- April 2017, *"Strengthening the arbitrator's role in competition law through the Directive on actions for damages"* (International Business Law Journal, N°4-2017)
- March 2017, *"African mining industry: the challenges encountered when facing the termination of contracts"* (Magazine du Droit des Affaires en Afrique)
- February 2017, *"Case Note on the ICSID award Micula v. Romania"* (European Investment Law and Arbitration Review)
- February 2017, *"CETA: Creating Opportunities for your business in 2017"* (International Arbitration Law)
- January 2017, *"International Arbitration and EU Competition Law Complement Rather than Contradict One Another"* (Journal of International Arbitration, Volume 34 - Issue 6 of 2017)

Conferences (speaker or moderator)

- November 2022 *"A Workshop on the IBA Arb40's Toolkit for Arbitral Award Writing"* (IBA event hosted by W&C London, UK)
- November 2022, *"Contracts in the Time of the Cholera"* (Delos webinar)
- September 2022, *"The Unwritten Rules of a Career in International Arbitration"* (ICC YAAF event held in Vilnius, Lithuania)
- June 2021, *"How to Start Your Arbitration: The Case Management Conference"* (YRAP event - Bucharest Arbitration Days)
- January 2021, *"The renewed role of States in arbitration"* (6th EFILA Annual Conference, London, UK)
- December 2020, *"What do transactional lawyers make of arbitration?"* (BIAC Conference, AmCham Romania)
- March 2020, *"Unilateral Arbitration Agreements: the position in France and in the UK"* (7th University of Bucharest Pre-Moot Conference, Bucharest, Romania)
- June 2019, *"Trends in Construction and Energy Arbitration – What is next?"* (5th AFSIA Alumni Conference, London, UK)

- Mai 2019, “The role of written advocacy in international arbitration: developing the skills” (IALS seminar, London, UK)
- April 2019, “The Future of Renewable Energy: an international round-table of business, regulatory and legal experts” (SCC/BIAC joint conference, Bucharest, Romania)
- November 2018, “Innovation in Arbitration: A Brave New World” (YMG CI Arb Annual Conference, Dublin, Ireland)
- June 2018, “Changing the Rules – Institutions’ Efforts to Reduce Time and Cost” (4th Annual School of International Arbitration Alumni Conference, London, UK)
- February 2018, “Nationality of Investors – An Unresolved Issue” (University of Bucharest, Romania)
- December 2017, “Current Issues in Investment Arbitration: What is the future of the Intra EU-BITs?” (BIAC Conference, AmCham Romania)
- April 2017, “Doing Business after Brexit: Legal Implications – Impact on Arbitration” (AFJE and QMUL Conference, Paris)
- December 2016, “The Unsettled Territory – Can Investors rely on BIT Protection within the EU?” (ICC, YAF and ICDR Conference, Zagreb, Croatia)
- July 2015, “Dispute resolution through ICSID arbitration” (AFJE Conference, Paris, France)
- November 2014, “Nationality in Investment Arbitration” (Sciences Po and QMUL Conference, Paris, France)

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

- Member of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators (MCI Arb)
- Member of the International Council for Commercial Arbitration (Member ICCA)
- Member of the Steering Committee of the IBA under-40 Arbitration Group
- Arbitrator on the Bucharest International Arbitration Court’s list of arbitrators (BIAC)
- Member of Young ICSID
- Member of LCIA’s YIAG
- Member of ICC’s Young Arbitrators’ Forum
- Member of ASA 40
- Member of CEPANI 40
- Member of Young ITA

9. Languages

Mother tongue: **Romanian**

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 and French**

10. In which legal systems have you trained?

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Civil Law | <input checked="" 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: Public International Law / Investment Arbitration

11. What is your main jurisdiction of practice?

The UK, France and Romania.

12. In which jurisdictions are you admitted to the bar?

Barrister in England and Wales; Member of the Paris and Bucharest Bars.

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

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

14. Date of birth: 17 July 1985

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