

# VIAC – Questionnaire for Arbitrators

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**4. Current position: Arbitrator and Mediator, Lowe Arbitration**

**5. Education:**

George Washington University Law School, Juris Doctor 1979.

University of Delaware, Bachelor of Arts, International Relations 1976.

Johns Hopkins School for Advanced International Studies, Graduate Economic Courses 1981-1984

**6. Practiced experience in arbitration**

- How many arbitrations have you participated in (domestic/international); under which Rules? 55
  - American Arbitration Association, International Center for Dispute Resolution, Financial Investment Regulatory Authority, CPR Dispute Resolution, Paris Arbitration Rules, International Chamber of Commerce, Danish Arbitration Rules
- How often have you acted as Chairman? 4
- How often have you acted as Sole Arbitrator? 35
- How often have you acted as Co-Arbitrator? 12
- How often have you acted as Counsel? 5
- How often have you acted in a different function (e.g. Administrative Secretary)? 0

**7. Publications and other activities in arbitration (e.g. training sessions, seminars, conferences, articles and others):** I speak regularly at conferences on a variety of dispute resolution and arbitration topics. I am a certified teacher for the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators and teach a number of course for this institution including Accelerated Course to Fellowship and Accelerated Course to Membership

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

Member, ICC Commission on Arbitration and ADR (US National Committee)

Fellow, Chartered Institute of Arbitrators (FCIArb), Member, Approved Faculty List

Member, London Court of International Arbitration

Member, Association Française de Arbitrage

Member, Associazione Italiana per l'Arbitrato  
Supporting Member: The London Maritime Arbitrators Association (LMAA)

Panelist, American Arbitration Association  
Panelist, Arbitration Foundation of Southern Africa  
Panelist, Asian International Arbitration Centre (AIAC) (formerly Kuala Lumpur Regional Arbitration Centre)  
Panelist (Arbitration and Mediation), Centre de Médiation et d'Arbitrage de Paris (CMAP)  
Panelist, Chambre Arbitrale Internationale de Paris  
Panelist, Emirates Maritime Arbitration Centre (EMAC)  
Panelist, Financial Industry Regulatory Authority (FINRA) (USA)  
Panelist, Georgian International Arbitration Centre (GIAC)  
Panelist, Hong Kong International Arbitration Centre (HKIAC)  
Panelist, Korean Commercial Arbitration Board, Panel of International Arbitrators (KCAB)  
Panelist, International Arbitration Institute (Paris, France, [www.iaiparis.com](http://www.iaiparis.com))  
Panelist, International Center for Dispute Resolution (ICDR)  
Panelist, International Institute for Conflict Prevention and Resolution (CPR)  
Panelist, Kigali International Arbitration Centre (KIAC)  
Panelist, Saudi Center for Commercial Arbitration (SCCA)  
Panelist, Singapore International Arbitration Centre (SIAC)  
Panelist, Vienna International Arbitration Centre (VIAC)  
Panelist, World Intellectual Property Organisation (WIPO)

## **9. Languages**

Mother tongue: English

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, Italian

**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 type="checkbox"/> European Law  |

Other \_\_\_\_\_

**11. What is your main jurisdiction of practice?**

United States, England and Wales, France, Italy

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

Ohio (United States), District of Columbia (United States)

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

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Antitrust/Unfair competition               | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Damages                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Insolvency                          | <input type="checkbox"/> Natural resources                 |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Aviation                        | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Distribution            | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Insurance                | <input type="checkbox"/> Power plants                      |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Banking & Finance               | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Domain name disputes    | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Intellect. property (IP) | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Private Intern. Law    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Capital markets                            | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Employment              | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Investment arbitration   | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Public Intern. Law     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> CISG                                       | <input type="checkbox"/> Energy                             | <input type="checkbox"/> ISDS/Foreign inves.                 | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Real estate            |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Civil fraud disputes            | <input checked="" 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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> Healthcare & Pharmac.   | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Life sciences            | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> State/Public contracts |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Company/Corporate/M&A           | <input type="checkbox"/> Hotel/Gastro./Tour.                | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Maritime arbitration     | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Technology             |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Construction                    | <input checked="" 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 type="checkbox"/> Mining                              | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Transport              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____                                |   |  |  |

**14. Date of birth: 13 July 1954**

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Date