

VIAC – Questionnaire for Arbitrators

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4. Current position:

Founding Partner at Mihaela Maravela Law Office in Bucharest, Romania

5. Education:

LL.M in private law, University of Bucharest

LL.B, University of Bucharest

6. Practiced experience in arbitration

- How many arbitrations have you participated in (domestic/international); under which Rules?

Fourteen arbitrations under ICSID, ICC, CICA (Romania), UNCITRAL Rules and over 100 domain name disputes under WIPO Rules

- How often have you acted as Chairman?

None

- How often have you acted as Sole Arbitrator?

Over 100 domain name disputes as Sole Panelist under WIPO Rules

- How often have you acted as Co-Arbitrator?

Four CICA (Romania) case

- How often have you acted as Counsel?

Ten arbitrations under ICSID, ICC, CICA (Romania), UNCITRAL Rules

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

N/a

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

Book Chapters and articles

RO Domain Name Disputes in Romania, [2016], book chapter in *Arbitration in Romania. A Practitioner's Guide* (Crenguta Leaua and Flavius A. Baias, editors), 435-448, Kluwer Law International, ISBN 9789041170040

The new generic Internet domain names. Considerations from the practice of solving generic Internet domain name disputes under UDRP, [2017], the Romanian Magazine of Intellectual Property Law no. 1/2017

Practice of solving disputes deriving from breach of rights over trademarks by registration of .ro domain names by alternative means, [2013], the Romanian Magazine of Intellectual Property Law no. 1/2013

Brief submissions on the services of dispute resolution by alternative means provided by the Arbitration and Mediation Center of the World Intellectual Property Organisation in specific fields, [2012], the Romanian Magazine of Intellectual Property Law no. 3/2012

Breach of rights of third parties by registration of a domain name. Alternative means of solving disputes, [2012], the Romanian Magazine of Intellectual Property Law no. 2/2012

Alternative procedures to solve disputes regarding internet domain names, [2010], the Romanian Magazine of Arbitrage no. 1 of January - March 2010

Seminars, conferences

Reader at the Bucharest University Law School, for the class on 'Intellectual Property and Arbitration' on UDRP disputes within the School's LLM Programme 'International Commercial Arbitration', Bucharest, 2015 – present

Other alternative means of solving litigation in the field of intellectual property, International Conference "Modern trends in international commercial arbitration", Bucharest, Romania, 2012

Brief submissions on the services of dispute resolution by alternative means provided by the Arbitration and Mediation Center of the World Intellectual Property Organization in specific fields, International Scientific Conference "Creativity Unifies the Planet", second edition, Constanta, Romania, 2012

Others

Associate Editor, Kluwer Arbitration Blog, since January 2020

Assistant Editor, Kluwer Arbitration Blog, April-December 2019

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

Attorney-at-law, member of the Bucharest and Romanian Bar Association, since 2005

Arbitrator with the Court of International Commercial Arbitration, Chamber of Commerce and Industry of Romania, since 2016

Arbitrator at the Shenzhen Court of International Arbitration (SCIA), February 2019-February 2022.

Panelist for domain name disputes with the Arbitration and Mediation Center of the World Intellectual Property Organization of Geneva, Switzerland, since 2008

Co-Founder of the Romanian Chapter of the Club Español del Arbitraje

Associate Member, The Institute for Transnational Arbitration.

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

10. 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 type="checkbox"/> European Law |

Other _____

11. What is your main jurisdiction of practice?

Romania

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

Romania

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

14. Date of birth: 22.10.1979

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