

VIAC – Questionnaire for Arbitrators

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- 4. Current position:** Partner
- 5. Education:** Paris Bar, 2003
New York Bar, 2006
LL.M, Northwestern University School of Law, Chicago, USA, 2004
D.E.A in Contract Law, Université Paris XI, Paris, France, 1999
- 6. Practiced experience in arbitration**
- How many arbitrations have you participated in (domestic/international); under which Rules?

I have participated in about 65 arbitration cases, *ad hoc* and institutional (ICC, ICSID, LCIA, CAM).
 - How often have you acted as Chairman?

Twice
 - How often have you acted as Sole Arbitrator?

Three times
 - How often have you acted as Co-Arbitrator?

Twice
 - How often have you acted as Counsel?

I have participated as counsel in about 50 cases (some of which were settled).
 - How often have you acted in a different function (e.g. Administrative Secretary)?

I have sat as Secretary of the Arbitral Tribunal in 9 cases.

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

Speeches

"Artificial intelligence in international arbitration", Istanbul Arbitration Association, Istanbul, November 2018.

"Extra work and concurrent delays: two recurrent issues in international construction arbitration", ICC, Bratislava, November 2018.

"The future of the New York Convention 1958: version 2.0?", Russian Arbitration Centre, Moscow, October 2018.

"Recognition and enforcement of foreign awards in France and Italy: a comparative analysis", Parigi-Italia Arbitrato, Rome, October 2018.

"Party Autonomy: Use it widely, Use it efficiently", ASA below 40 – Arbit, Rome, February 2016.

"The reform club opens to a worldwide community: International arbitrators at the dawn of the 21st century", International Chamber of Commerce - Young Arbitration Forum, Turin, January 2015.

"The Energy Charter Treaty: New frontiers after 20 years of application", Camera Arbitrale di Milano - Arbit, Milan, November 2014.

"Construction contract, arbitration and ADR", Annual Conference of the European Society of Construction Law, Bocconi University, Milan, October 2014.

"Drafting of arbitration agreements: Do's and Don'ts", An open forum for young practitioners, Camera Arbitrale di Milano - Arbit, Milan, February 2014.

"Disputes relating to representations and warranties in M&A transactions", Lewiathan Court of Arbitration, Warsaw, May 2010.

"How to draft an arbitration clause", 2nd forum of the Association Française des Juristes d'Entreprises, Paris, January 2010.

"How to optimize costs and time in an international arbitration", 8th forum of the Association Française des Juristes d'Entreprises, Paris, June 2008.

"Cross border insolvencies", 1st Mediterranean - Middle East Counsel Forum organised by the European Court of Arbitration, Rome, September 2007.

Publications

Co-author, *"The role of the arbitrator in combating corruption"*, International Business Law Journal, Dec. 2012, pp. 621-648 (with Y. Lahlou).

Co-author, *"Chronicle of Private International Law Applied to Business"* published on a quarterly basis in the International Business Law Journal from Jan. 2006 to Dec. 2010 (with Y. Lahlou).

Author, *"Private international law answers to the insolvency of cross border groups of companies: comparative analysis of English and French case law"*, International Business Law Journal, March 2008, pp. 141-163.

Author, "Would French Courts Enforce U.S. Class Actions Judgments?", *Contratto e Impresa/Europa*, Dec. 2006, pp. 651-676.

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

Listed on the ICC French National Committee's list of arbitrators.

Member of the Advisory Board of the Italian Forum for Arbitration and ADR.

Member of the ICC French Commission on Anti-corruption.

Research Assistant, New York Convention UNCITRAL Guide Project
(www.newyorkconvention1958.org).

9. Languages

Mother tongue:

French

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, Italian

I further have a good basic knowledge of Czech, Slovak and Russian (which allows me to read documents in such languages).

10. In which legal systems have you trained?

- Civil Law
- Common Law
- Austrian Law
- Hungarian Law
- Swiss Law
- Czech Law
- Polish Law
- Ukrainian Law
- German Law
- Slovakian Law
- European Law

Other _____

11. What is your main jurisdiction of practice?

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

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

13. Date of birth: 14.01.1976

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Date

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Signature