

VIAC – Questionnaire for Arbitrators

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4. Current position: Rechtsanwalt / Managing Partner

5. Education:

- 2003 – 2005: Master of Mediation (M.M.), specialization in commercial and business mediation and mediation in the public sector, Fern-Universität Hagen
- 2002 – 2004: Legal traineeship (Referendariat) in Northrhine-Westphalia including work experience with Wenner Attorneys in Paris and the German Federation of Industry (BDI) in Brussels, Second State Examination in 2004
- 2001: Summer Associate with Roland Berger Strategy Consultants, Berlin
- 1996 – 1997: Assistant to Prof. Paul Kirchhof, Chair for Public Law and Tax Law, University of Heidelberg
- 1995 – 2001: Studies of law at the universities of Kiel, Heidelberg, Ottawa (Canada) and Freiburg im Breisgau, First State Examination in 2001
- 1994 – 1995: Studium generale at the Leibniz Kolleg, Tübingen

6. Practiced experience in arbitration

- How many arbitrations have you participated in (domestic/international); under which Rules? Case management of more than 1.000 arbitrations as Counsel at the ICC Court; conducted arbitrations as counsel or arbitrator in > 70 cases under the rules of the ICC, DIS, VIAC, SCC, WIPO as well as in ad hoc proceedings
- How often have you acted as Chairman? 23
- How often have you acted as Sole Arbitrator? 12
- How often have you acted as Co-Arbitrator? 35
- How often have you acted as Counsel? Numerous
- How often have you acted in a different function (e.g. Administrative Secretary)? Numerous as ICC Counsel, see above

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

Academic appointments

- > Lectured at the University of Hamburg for domestic and international arbitration
- > Lectured at the Swiss Arbitration Academy, Zurich
- > Lectured at the Summer Academy on International Dispute Resolution of the University of Heidelberg

Speeches (Selection)

- > Considering Case Management Techniques That Work, VIAC Webinar on Arbitration in Times of Covid-19 – Challenges and How to Tackle Them, Vienna (2020)
- > Post-Truth and the Arbitration Conundrum, Copenhagen Arbitration Day, Copenhagen (2019)
- > Expedited Proceedings in New Formats, SCAI Innovation Conference, Geneva (2017)
- > Viennese Waltz or Wrestling – How Arbitral Tribunals deliberate and take decisions, DIS40 Rhein/Ruhr event, Düsseldorf (2015)
- > Arbitral awards: A quality test, Arbitration seminar hosted by Europa Institut, University of Zurich (2015)
- > Deliberations of the Arbitral Tribunal, DIS Spring Conference, Dresden (2015)
- > How to make your first arbitration not your last, YAC seminar, Copenhagen (2014)
- > ICC Arbitration: From the Request for Arbitration to the Final Award, ICC IWIS seminar, Stuttgart (2014)
- > Commencing and Conducting Arbitration: Views from France, Germany, the US and the UK, C5's Forum on Transatlantic Litigation, Amsterdam (2014)
- > Choice of the place of arbitration: London, Paris, Geneva or others? YAC seminar, Copenhagen (2014)
- > E-Discovery – practical experiences from an arbitrator's point of view, ICC YAF Arbitrators Forum, Düsseldorf (2014)
- > The New UNCITRAL Transparency Rules: How the concept of transparency differs in investment and commercial arbitration, New Developments in International Commercial Arbitration, Neuchâtel (2013)
- > Arbitration clauses in contracts: pitfalls and best practices, 1st Northern German Arbitration Day, Hamburg (2013)
- > Changing perspectives – from the arbitral institution to private practice, DIS40 Panel Discussion, Frankfurt (2012)
- > The decision making process in arbitral tribunals, Hamburg Arbitration Circle, Hamburg (2012)
- > Workshop on "Alternative means of resolving international commercial disputes, in particular arbitration", 1st Saar-Anwalt-Tag, Saarbrücken (2012)
- > Main features of the ICC Rules of Arbitration, ICC IWIS Seminar, Berlin (2012)
- > Invitation as an expert on arbitration law, 1st Heidelberg Colloquium on Investment Protection Law, Heidelberg (2012)
- > The big unknown? The new ICC Rules of Arbitration in legal practice, DAJV Expert Group's Conference, Frankfurt (2012)

- > Possibilities and alternatives of dispute avoidance and dispute resolution in long-term contracts, Workshop on “Dispute resolution in the context of public private partnership projects”, Hamburg (2012)
- > Do’s and Don’ts when acting as an arbitrator, ICC Denmark Conference, Copenhagen (2012)
- > Enforcement of arbitral awards – The New York Convention, ICC PIDA Seminar, Vienna (2011)
- > The New ICC Rules of Arbitration, Danish Association of Arbitration, Copenhagen (2011)
- > How the ICC Court works, ASA Seminar, Zurich (2011)
- > Factors of success for arbitral seats and arbitrators, keynote at the Rechtsstandort Hamburg e.V. conference, Hamburg (2010)
- > Pitfalls in drafting arbitral awards, ICC Netherlands workshop, The Hague (2010)
- > Saving time and costs in arbitration, ICC IWIS seminar, Berlin (2010)
- > Pitfalls in drafting Terms of Reference under the ICC Rules of Arbitration, ICC Netherlands study visit, Paris (2009)
- > Ensuring cost and time efficient conduct of arbitral proceedings, DAJV Expert Group’s Conference, Frankfurt (2009)
- > The ICC Rules of Arbitration, DIS fall conference, Dresden (2008)
- > Conduct of an arbitration under the ICC Rules, YAAP conference, Vienna (2008)
- > Challenges of Arbitrators – An ICC Perspective, IBA annual conference, London (2007)
- > Scrutiny of arbitral awards under the ICC Rules of Arbitration, ICC Denmark seminar, Copenhagen (2007)

Publications (Selection)

- > § 20 Schiedsspruch, in: Salger/Trittmann (eds.), Internationale Schiedsverfahren – Praxishandbuch, 2019, jointly with Dr. Inka Hanefeld (in German)
- > Arbitration in a Post-Truth-World: Perception v Reality, IBA Dispute Resolution International, Vol. 12 No. 2 2018, pp. 165 *et seq.*, jointly with Aaron de Jong
- > Chapter 10: Germany, in Jørgensen (ed.): Finding, Freezing and Attaching Assets, March 2016, jointly with Dr. Friedrich Rosenfeld
- > The Arbitral Tribunal’s Deliberations – potential conflicts and ways to avoid them, SchiedsVZ 2015, pp. 169 *et seq.*, jointly with Dr. Johanna Büstgens (in German)
- > Arbitral Tribunals in Germany and Western Europe, in: Paschke, Graf, Olbrisch (eds.), Hamburger Handbuch des Exportrechts, 2014 (in German)
- > Practice Commentary on ICC-SchO/DIS-SchO (eds., jointly with Axel Benjamin Herzberg), 2014
- > The New UNCITRAL Transparency Rules: How the Trend towards Transparency differs in Investment and Commercial Arbitration, in: Müller, Rigozzi (eds.), New Developments in International Commercial Arbitration 2013, November 2013, jointly with Dr. Friedrich Rosenfeld
- > Use of Technology by a Major International Arbitration Organization – ICC, in: Horacio A. Grigera Naón, Paul E. Mason (eds.), International Commercial Arbitration Practice: 21st Century Perspectives, 2011 (Release 2), jointly with Laurence Marquis
- > Correction and interpretation of arbitral awards and additional awards, in: Tercier (ed.), Post Award Issues, ASA Special Series No. 38, December 2011, jointly with Maria Hauser-Morel

- > Work in Good Progress at the ICC International Court of Arbitration and its Secretariat, Arbitration News, Newsletter of the International Bar Association Legal Practice Division, Vol. 15 No. 2, September 2010

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

- > Appointed member of the ICC Commission on Arbitration and ADR
- > Appointed member of the International Dispute Resolution Committees of the Voldgiftsinstituttet (Danish Institute of Arbitration)
- > Former appointed member of the ICC Commission's Task Force on "The Revision of the Rules of ICC as Appointing Authority in UNCITRAL or other Ad Hoc Arbitration Proceedings"
- > Former appointed member of the Consolidation Committee for the revision of the DIS arbitration rules
- > Member of the editorial board of the ICC Germany magazine
- > German Arbitration Institute (DIS)
- > Swiss Arbitration Association (ASA)
- > Danish Arbitration Association
- > Hamburg Arbitration Circle

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, French

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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> German Law | <input type="checkbox"/> Slovakian Law | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> European Law |

Other: I have conducted arbitrations under the following substantive laws: Albania, Armenia, Austria, China, Czech Republic, Denmark, France, Germany, Israel, Luxemburg, Romania, Sweden, Switzerland, The Netherlands, Qatar, the UAE and the U.S.

11. What is your main jurisdiction of practice?

Germany

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

Germany

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

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Antitrust/Unfair competition | <input 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 type="checkbox"/> Domain name disputes | <input type="checkbox"/> Intellect. property (IP) | <input type="checkbox"/> Public Intern. Law |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Capital markets | <input type="checkbox"/> Employment | <input type="checkbox"/> ISDS/ Foreign invest. | <input type="checkbox"/> Real estate |
| <input type="checkbox"/> CISG | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Energy | <input checked="" 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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> Company/Corporate/M&A | <input type="checkbox"/> Hotel/Gastro./Tour. | <input type="checkbox"/> Media | <input type="checkbox"/> Telecommunication |
| <input checked="" 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: 8 November 1974

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16 November 2021

Date

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Signature