

VIAC – Questionnaire for Arbitrators

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5. **Education:** *Ph.D., Institute for Legislation and Comparative Legal Studies, Moscow, 2001*
Master of Civil Law degree, Russian School for Civil Law, Moscow, 1999
LL.M., University of Hamburg (Germany), School of Law, 1998
Law Degree (Magna Cum Laude), Kazan State University, 1996
Postgraduate arbitration-specialized legal studies at:
University of London (UK) and
The University of Law (former College of Law of England and Wales),
International Academy for Arbitration Law, Paris, France,
The Hague Academy of International Law, The Netherlands,
George Washington University Law School, D.C., U.S.,
Duesseldorf International Arbitration School, Germany,
Vienna Leading Arbitrators' Symposium on Conduct of International Arbitration,
MCI Arb, Chartered Institute of Arbitrators, London Branch,
Accelerated Route to Membership - International Arbitration
6. **Practiced experience in arbitration**
 - How many arbitrations have you participated in (domestic/international); under which Rules?
Some three dozen arbitrations, mostly under - old and new - MKAS (ICAC) Arbitration Rules, also under ICC, HKIAC, DIS Rules, Rules of Arbitration Court at Moscow Chamber of Trade and Industry, Hamburg Friendly Arbitration (Hamburger Freundschaftliche Arbitrage)
 - How often have you acted as Chairman? - *None*
 - How often have you acted as Sole Arbitrator? - *None*
 - How often have you acted as Co-Arbitrator? - *None*
 - How often have you acted as Counsel? - *Some 30 arbitrations with aggregate claim value exceeding EUR 220 mln., mostly in areas of construction, commercial and contract law*
 - How often have you acted in a different function (e.g. Administrative Secretary)? - *2 times as Administrative Secretary, 2 times as a Tribunal and a Party-Appointed Expert Witness under Russian laws.*

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

Arbitration specialist internships at Secretariats of Hong Kong International Arbitration Centre (HKIAC) in Hong Kong and German Institution of Arbitration (DIS) in Cologne, Germany;

Regular author at Kluwer Arbitration Blog;

Some 40 publications in Russian, English and German, mostly on international arbitration and company law (M&A, JVs), especially on 2015 Russian Arbitration Laws and Corporate Law Arbitration Rules;

Arbitrator at Vienna VIS moots and Moscow pre-moots;

Two one-day-practice-seminars for legal practitioners on dispute resolution, including international arbitration, in Russia at the Vienna Economics University and at the Trade Chamber of Hamburg;

Regular speaker in arbitration and corporate law conferences, e.g. in Moscow, Vienna, Cologne, Berlin, Hamburg, Stuttgart, Milan, and Hong Kong;

Regular participation in international arbitration conferences and seminars on arbitration.

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

Administrative Secretary at International Commercial Arbitration Court (MKAS) under RF Chamber of Industry and Commerce, Moscow

Arbitrator at Arbitration Court at Moscow Chamber of Trade and Industry

Arbitrators' lists at VIAC (Austria) and DIS (Germany)

Member of the Editorial Board of International Commercial Arbitration Review, Moscow

9. Languages

Mother tongue: *Russian*

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, German*

10. In which legal system have you trained?

Russia, Germany, England

11. What is your main jurisdiction of practice?

Russia

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

- *Construction and engineering disputes*
- *International sale of goods*
- *Corporate disputes, especially with regard to JVA/SHA and SPA*

13. Date of birth: *12 January 1973*

I have completed this questionnaire to the above to the best of my knowledge and believe they are accurate. I understand that the above information will be used for VIAC's internal use and may be given to interested persons and may be put on VIAC's website.

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Date and signature