

VIAC – Questionnaire for Arbitrators

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4. Current position: Partner, the Head of International Arbitration Practice

5. Education:

- Queen Mary University of London. Postgraduate diploma in International Dispute Resolution (Arbitration), 2018
- Master of Laws (with honors), Yaroslav Mudryi National Law University (Kharkiv, Ukraine), 2005.
- Eberhard Karl University (Tuebingen, Germany), training courses 2001, 2002

6. Practiced experience in arbitration

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

Ivan participated in 5 domestic arbitrations and in more than 50 international arbitrations under a variety of arbitration rules including ICC, GAFTA, FOSFA, LMAA, International Commercial Arbitration Court at UCCI, investment arbitration under UNCITRAL rules.

- 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? More than 50
- How often have you acted in a different function (e.g. Administrative Secretary)? None

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

- Ivan is one of the first Central and Eastern European lawyer invited to speak at GAFTA training and educational courses dealing with issues of international trade.

In particular, Ivan acted as a lecturer at the following GAFTA training courses:

- GAFTA Professional Development Programme: Formation and fulfillment of contractual obligations (Kyiv, Ukraine), 2015
 - GAFTA Professional Development Programme: Formation and fulfillment of contractual obligations (Saint Petersburg, Russia), 2016
 - GAFTA Professional Development Programme: Commodity Shipping Course (Odessa, Ukraine), 2017
 - GAFTA Professional Development Programme: Commodity Dispute Resolution (Kyiv, Ukraine), 2018
 - GAFTA Professional Development Programme: Commodity Dispute Resolution (Montevideo, Uruguay), 2018
 - GAFTA Professional Development Programme: Trade Foundation Course (Kyiv, Ukraine), 2018
 - GAFTA Professional Development Programme: Commodity Dispute Resolution (Istanbul, Turkey), 2019
- Ivan is actively involved in regulatory activities for the international trade. He is a founding member of GAFTA Black Sea Region Trade Committee, organized to support international trade of commodities.
 - Mr. Kasynyuk is engaged in drafting of the new GAFTA standard proforma trade contract for Ukraine, which is aimed at facilitating dispute resolution in the Black Sea region. It is the first proforma trade contract ever made for Ukraine.
 - Ivan Kasynyuk is a member of the working group on grain market development of the Ministry of Agrarian Policy and Food of Ukraine. He regularly works on the development of legislation and drafting laws in international arbitration, transfer pricing, VAT, and registry of lands.
 - Ivan holds the position of the Head of the Committee on Agricultural law of the Ukrainian Bar Association (UBA).
 - He also frequently comments on arbitration issues in both national and international media, such as Miller Magazine, Kluwer arbitration Blog, APK-Inform, and [Latifundist](#), major trade and agribusiness website of Ukraine
 - Ivan Kasynyuk was a coach at the '25th Annual Willem C. Vis International Commercial Arbitration Moot', which took place in Vienna, Austria.
 - Ivan lectures at Arbitration School of Ukrainian Arbitration Association.
 - Ivan Kasynyuk is a speaker at the Legal High School.
 - Ivan is welcomed speaker at international conferences, covering the specifics of arbitration in agribusiness. Among recent:
 - Black Sea Grain 2019 (Kyiv, Ukraine);
 - Middle East Grains&Oils Congress 2019 (Cairo, Egypt)
 - KazGrain 2018, APK-Inform (Astana, Kazakhstan)
 - III International conference "Pulses: Facing global demand" 2018, (Kyiv, Ukraine)
 - III Agricultural Legal Conference, Proagro 2018 (Kyiv, Ukraine)
 - II Fat and oil Conference Proagro 2018, (Київ)

- From the beginning of 2017, Ivan has delivered more than 30 training sessions to the biggest global and national companies on the issues of international trade and alternative dispute resolution.

Recent publications:

- What to do if your cargo is on a sinking vessel? – article in Miller Magazine - <http://www.millermagazine.com/english/what-to-do-if-your-cargo-is-on-a-sinking-vessel/>
- New perspectives of trade cooperation between Ukraine and Iran - article in APK-Inform (Russian only) - <http://agalawyers.org/files/files/Kasenyuk%20Kuchmienko.%20APK-Inform%20Ukraine-Iran.pdf>
- What you should know when enforcing GAFTA and FOSFA Awards in Ukraine? – article in The Ukrainian Journal of Business Law - <http://agalawyers.org/files/files/What%20should%20you%20know%20when%20enforcing%20GAFTA%20FOSFA%20awards.pdf>
- Trade with sanctioned countries: exporter's check-list – article in Yurydychna Gazeta (Ukrainian only) - <http://yur-gazeta.com/publications/practice/zemelne-agrarne-pravo/pidsankciyni-krayini-cheklist-eksportera.html>
- Valid and effective arbitration clause. global challenges – article in Lawyer&Law (Russian only) - http://uz.ligazakon.ua/magazine_article/EA010525
- Seven Trends and Seven Tips for Enforcing GAFTA and FOSFA Awards in Ukraine - article in Kluwer arbitration Blog: <http://arbitrationblog.kluwerarbitration.com/2017/06/30/seven-trends-seven-tips-enforcing-gafta-fosfa-awards-ukraine/>
- Trade Wars and Commodity Arbitration - article in Kluwer arbitration Blog: <http://arbitrationblog.kluwerarbitration.com/2017/05/02/trade-wars-and-commodity-arbitration/>

Recognition:

- Recommended lawyer (Band 3) for Dispute Resolution in Ukraine
Chambers Global 2019
- Leading lawyer in Ukraine for Dispute Resolution
The Legal500 (2015 – 2019)
- Leading lawyer in Ukraine for Arbitration and Mediation
Best Lawyers 2020 and 2019
- Leading lawyer (Band 3) in Ukraine for Dispute Resolution: Arbitration
Chambers Europe 2019 and 2018

- **Leading lawyer in Ukraine for Arbitration**
Legal Awards 2017, Yuridicheskaya Praktika
- **Recommended lawyer in Ukraine for Dispute Resolution**
Chambers Global 2018
- **Leading lawyer in Ukraine for International trade**
Ukrainian Law Firms 2018 and 2017, Yuridicheskaya Praktika
- **The best team in Ukraine for International Trade**
Legal Awards 2018, Yuridicheskaya Praktika
- **Leading lawyer in Ukraine for Agrarian and Land Law**
“Client’s Choice. TOP-100 Best lawyers in Ukraine” 2017, Yurydychna Gazeta
- **Leading lawyer in Ukraine for Arbitration**
“Client’s Choice. TOP-100 Best lawyers in Ukraine” 2018, Yurydychna Gazeta
- **Leading lawyer in Ukraine for Maritime law, Agribusiness and International Arbitration**
Ukrainian Law Firms (2016 – 2018), Yuridicheskaya Praktika

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

- **Member of Ukrainian Arbitration Association**
- **Member of International Bar Association**
- **Lecturer at Arbitration School of Ukrainian Arbitration Association**
- **Member of Arbitration Committee and Agrarian Committee of the International Bar Association (IBA).**

9. Languages

Mother tongue: Ukrainian, 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.

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

Other:

11. What is your main jurisdiction of practice?

Ukraine, CIS countries and England.

12. 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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> Distribution | <input type="checkbox"/> Insurance | <input checked="" 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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> ISDS/ Foreign invest. | <input type="checkbox"/> Real estate |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CISG | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Energy | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Joint ventures | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Shipping |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Civil fraud disputes | <input type="checkbox"/> Engineering | <input type="checkbox"/> Licensing | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Sports |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Commercial disp. / transactions | <input type="checkbox"/> Entertainment | <input type="checkbox"/> Life sciences | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> State/Public contracts |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Commodity market | <input type="checkbox"/> Healthcare & Pharmac. | <input checked="" 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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> Transport |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Contract law | <input type="checkbox"/> Infrastructure | <input type="checkbox"/> Natural resources | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ | | | |

13. Date of birth: 2 November 1983

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I have completed this questionnaire to the above to the best of my knowledge and believe they are accurate.

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Date