VIAC – Questionnaire for Arbitrators

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4. Current position:

Currently counsel and arbitrator in independent practice

As of January 2025: Counsel at Schellenberg Wittmer (Zurich)

5. Education:

- PhD (Dr. iur), summa cum laude (2017)
- Second State Examination, with distinction (2017)
- Specialization Studies, with distinction (2014)
- First State Examination, with distinction (2011)

6. Practiced experience in arbitration

- More than 20 arbitrations primarily as counsel, but also as arbitrator and tribunal secretary; under the rules of ICC, DIS, VIAC, SCC, UNCITRAL/PCA, ICSID, WIPO and ad hoc proceedings.
- I have administered more than 400 arbitrations as a Counsel at the ICC Secretariat and scrutinized more than 150 awards in this capacity.
- How often have you acted as Chairman? Not yet

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- How often have you acted as Sole Arbitrator? 1
- How often have you acted as Co-Arbitrator? Not yet
- How often have you acted as Counsel? 17
- How often have you acted in a different function (e.g. Administrative Secretary)?

Administrative secretary: 5 cases

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

Academic appointments

- Visiting professor for international arbitration at University of Torino, Italy
- Lecturer at the International Training Centre of the International Labor Organization (ITCILO)

- Lecturer in public international law and international arbitration at Saarland University
- Lecturer at the Paris Bar School (École de formation professionnelle des barreaux de Paris)

Recent Speaking Engagements

- One size fits it all? Regional and Specialized Arbitral Institutions, Frankfurt Disputes Circle, Frankfurt, October 2024
- Catch Me If You Can: Default arbitration and other dilatory tactics, Tallinn Arbitration Day, Tallinn, October 2024
- Schiedsrichterkonflikte: Zu viel des Guten? Oder notwendig? 2024 IBA Guidelines on Conflict of Interest in International Arbitration, 10th Freshfield Arbitration (German Edition), Frankfurt, September 2024
- The variety of Alternative Dispute Resolution Mechanisms, ICC Germany Arbitration Forum, Frankfurt, June 2024
- Sanctions & International Disputes: Lessons Learned and Possible Strategies, Clyde & Co, Paris, May 2024
- Introduction to and Practical Training on Effective Conflict Management, ICC Sweden Workshop, Stockholm, May 2024
- The Parthenon Marbles: New Perspective on the Repatriation debate under international law, Université Paris-Panthéon-Assas, Paris, March 2024
- ICC and DIS Perspectives on New Claims, Consolidation and Mandatory Rules, XIV Belgrade Arbitration Conference, Belgrade, March 2014
- Regulation of AI use in arbitration, professional/ethical and disclosure issues regarding acceptable use of AI? Swiss Arbitration Summit 2024, Geneva, February 2024
- Capacity building in international arbitration, Ministry of European Affairs of the Government of North Macedonia, Skopje, December 2023
- International Arbitration as a Means of Reinforcing Common Values in an Uncertain World, Keynote Speech, Legal Network Alliance Global Meeting, Paris, June 2023
- Institutionelle Schiedsgerichtsbarkeit, Jahrestagung der DACH Europäischen Anwaltsvereinigung, Paris, May 2023
- Provisional measures in International Arbitration: Strategic Lessons from Recent Practice, Paris Arbitration Week (Bredin Pratt), Paris, March 2023
- Trending issues in International Construction Arbitration, Mayer Brown, Frankfurt, September 2023
- Frequent lectures on procedural matters and substantive issues in international arbitration to stakeholders at law firms, governments and businesses in the capacity as Counsel at the ICC Court.

Publications (selection)

- Arbitration in the DACH-Region: A Comparative Handbook (working title, as volume editor together with Marc Bungenberg and Helmut Ortner, forthcoming 2026)
- Capacity Building in International Arbitration, in: Alternative Dispute Resolution in the Western Balkans: Trends and Challenges (2024)
- Europarecht und Schiedsgerichtsbarkeit, in: Handbuch der Schiedsgerichtsbarkeit und ADR (2021)
- Cybersecurity, International Arbitration and the Ethical Rules and Obligations Governing the Conduct of Lawyers: A Comparative Analysis, in: TDM Special Issue on Cybersecurity in International Arbitration (2019)
- Investitionsschutzverträge in Zeiten der Abkehr vom völkervertragsrechtlichen Investitionsschutz, in: Versicherungsmechanismen im Recht (2016)

• Diplomatic Protection Under the State-to-State Arbitration Clauses of Investment Treaties, in: Austrian Yearbook on International Arbitration (2015)

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

- Member of the German Society of International Law (German Branch of the ILA)
- Member of the German Arbitration Institute (DIS)

Languages

Mother tongue: German and 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): German, English, Russian.

Working knowledge of French and Italian

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10. In which legal systems have you trained?							
X Civil Law		Common Law					
☐ Austrian Law		Hungarian Law		Swiss Law			
☐ Czech Law		Polish Law		Ukrainian Law			
X German Law		Slovakian Law 🗖	Χ	European Law			
Other: I have conducted arbitrations under the following substantive laws: Switzerland, Austria, Ukraine, Romania, Serbia, France, United States (New York State and California), United Kingdom, CISG							
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):							
☐ Antitrust/Unfair competition		Damages		Insolvency		Natural resources	
☐ Aviation		Distribution		Insurance		Power plants	
☐ Banking & Finance		Domain name disputes		Intellect. property (IP)		Private Intern. Law	
☐ Capital markets		Employment	Χ	Investment arbitration		Public Intern. Law	
☐ CISG	Χ	Energy		ISDS/Foreign inves.		Real estate	
☐ Civil fraud disputes		Engineering		Joint ventures		Shipping	
X Commercial disp. / transactions		Entertainment		Licensing		Sports	
☐ Commodity market		Healthcare & Pharmac.		Life sciences		State/Public contracts	
☐ Company/Corporate/M&A		Hotel/Gastro./Tour.		Maritime arbitration		Technology	
X Construction	Χ	Inform. technology (IT)		Media		Telecommunication	
☐ Contract law		Infrastructure		Mining		Transport	
☐ Other							

14. Date of birth: 29 August 1984

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10 October 2024		
Date	and	Signature