

VIAC – Questionnaire for Arbitrators

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4. **Current position:**

Founding Partner, WACH UND MECKES

5. **Education:**

- Admission to the bar (Rechtsanwalt) 2002.
- Law studies at the Albert-Ludwigs-University of Freiburg i. Br., Germany.
- University of Cooperative Education (Finance Centre), Stuttgart Germany, Graduation in Business Administration (Diplom Betriebswirt BA).

6. **Practiced experience in arbitration**

- How many arbitrations have you participated in (domestic/international); under which Rules?
I have participated in approx. 18 arbitrations under DIS, ICC, LCIA, UNCITRAL and ad hoc 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?
5 times
- How often have you acted as Counsel?
Approx. 13 times
- 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):

- WACH UND MECKES presented The Munich Rules in 2020, a set of rules that allows for the participation of third parties in arbitration proceedings and thus closes an important gap in arbitration proceedings that is particularly relevant in recourse scenarios; For more information on The Munich Rules, please visit <https://wachundmeckes.com/de/the-munich-rules>.
- *Wach/Meckes: Tactics in M&A Arbitration*, October 2008.
- *Wach/Meckes: M&A-Streitigkeiten im Zeichen des Abschwungs (M&A disputes in the current economic downturn)*, in: *Deutscher AnwaltSpiegel* 01, 7 May 2009.

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

- German Institution of Arbitration (*Deutsche Institution für Schiedsgerichtsbarkeit e.V., DIS*).

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

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 type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> European Law |

Other _____

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

14. **Date of birth: 18 March 1970**

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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

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Signature