

## VIAC – QUESTIONNAIRE

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5. **Current position:** Attorney at law, managing partner of Mičinský & Partners s.r.o., head of the dispute resolution practice
6. **Education:** Comenius University in Bratislava, Faculty of Law (title: Mgr. – equivalent to LLM)  
Specialization: law
- University in Trnava, Faculty of Law (title: JUDr. – equivalent to JD)  
Specialization: law, law of securities
- Chartered Institute of Arbitrators (MCIArb)

7. **Practiced experience in arbitration:**

How many arbitrations have you participated in (domestic/international)?

Domestic	26
International	11

Under which Rules?

ICC, UNCITRAL, ICSID, Rules of procedure of the Court of Arbitration of the Slovak Chamber of Commerce and Industry, Arbitration rules of the Arbitration Court Attached to the Economic Chamber and the Agricultural Chamber of the Czech Republic, Vienna Rules.

How often have you acted as Chairman?	1
How often have you acted as Sole Arbitrator?	3
How often have you acted as Co-Arbitrator?	5
How often have you acted as Counsel?	28
How often have you acted in a different function (e.g. Administrative secretary)?	0

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

**Publications:**

Mičinský, Ľ., Olík, M.: New York Convention on the Recognition and Enforcement of Foreign Arbitral Awards – Commentary (in Slovak language) Wolters Kluwer, Bratislava, 2016

Mičinský Ľ., Olík M.: Mediation 2014 (chapter for the Slovak Republic), Getting the deal through, 2014

Maisner M. (editor): Principles of Information Technology Law, Iura Edition, member of Walters Kluwer, 2013 (Mičinský Ľ.: co-author of chapters: (i) Dispute resolution in IT, (ii.) Data protection)

Born Gary, B.: International Arbitration: Law and Practice, Kluwer Law International, 2012 (Mičinský Ľ.: comments to the Chapter 10: Confidentiality and Transparency in International Arbitration and Chapter 18: Investor-State and State-to-State Arbitration)

Mičinský Ľ., Jahodníková Z.: Crossing the Rubicon: On the Correlation of the Principle of Transparency and Confidentiality of Arbitral Proceedings within the Area of International Investment Arbitration, CZECH YEARBOOK OF INTERNATIONAL LAW, 2012

Mičinský Ľ., Beňa J.: Responsibility of the state for a damage caused by the legislation in front of Slovak courts (in Slovak language), From court's practice 3/2012, Iura Edition, member of Walters Kluwer, 2012

**Conferences:**

7th Investment Treaty Arbitration Conference, 2017, Prague;

6th Investment Treaty Arbitration Conference, 2016, Prague;

Hong Kong Arbitration Week, 2015, Hong Kong;

4th Investment Treaty Arbitration Conference, 2014, Prague;

3rd Investment Treaty Arbitration Conference, 2013, Prague;

Vienna International Arbitral Centre Conference, 2013, Bratislava;

Swedish arbitration days, 2012, Stockholm;

2nd Investment Treaty Arbitration Conference, 2012, Prague;

European union and Investment Agreements, 2012, Vienna;

Investment Treaty Arbitration Conference, 2011, Prague;

Cross-examination in international arbitration, 2010, Vienna;

Fifth Annual Leading Arbitrators' Symposium on the Conduct of International Arbitration, 2009, Vienna;

**9. Membership in arbitral institutions / functions in arbitral institutions/organizations:**

London Court of International Arbitration (database of arbitrators and mediators)

Vienna International Arbitral Centre (List of Practitioners in International Arbitration)

Arbitration court attached to the Slovak Bar Association (list of arbitrators)

ICC Young Arbitrators Forum

Chartered Institute of Arbitrators (MCI Arb)

**10. Languages:**

Mother tongue: Slovak, Czech

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

**11. In which legal system have you trained?**

Slovak, Czech

**12. What is your main jurisdiction of practice?**

International practice, based in Slovak

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

International commercial and investment arbitration

Protection of foreign investments

Public procurement (the Slovak Republic) and PPP

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.

Date and Signature

1<sup>st</sup> May, 2018



## ĽUDOVÍT MIČINSKÝ

### Mičinský & Partners s.r.o. (law firm)

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### LANGUAGES

Slovak (native), Czech (native), English (fluent), German, French, (basic)

### EDUCATION

**Comenius University in Bratislava**, Faculty of Law (title: Mgr. – equivalent to LLM)

Specialization: law

**University in Trnava**, Faculty of Law (title: JUDr. – equivalent to JD)

Specialization: law, law of securities

### PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

Slovak Bar Association (Admitted to the bar)

Czech Bar Association (admitted to the bar)

Chartered Institute of Arbitrators (CI Arb) – Member (MCIARb)

### RELEVANT PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

**Mičinský & Partners**, law firm, Bratislava (partner, attorney at law) since 2018  
Managing partner, head of the dispute resolution practice

**MENKE LEGAL**, law firm, Bratislava (partner, attorney at law) 2017 – 2018  
Managing partner, head of the dispute resolution practice

**ROWAN LEGAL**, law firm, Bratislava (partner, attorney at law) 2007 – 2017  
Managing partner, co-head of the dispute resolution practice

**VALKO & PARTNERS**, attorneys at law, Bratislava (trainee lawyer) 2004 – 2006

## MEMBERSHIP

- Slovak BAR and Czech BAR (attorney at law)
- London Court of International Arbitration (database of arbitrators and mediators)
- Vienna International Arbitral Centre (List of Practitioners in International Arbitration)
- Arbitration court attached to the Slovak Bar Association
- ICC Young Arbitrators Forum
- Chartered Institute of Arbitrators (MCI Arb)

## SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

- Mičinský, Ľ., Olík, M.: *New York Convention on the Recognition and Enforcement of Foreign Arbitral Awards – Commentary* [in Slovak language], Wolters Kluwer, Bratislava, 2016
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- 6<sup>th</sup> Investment Treaty Arbitration Conference, 2016, Prague;
- Hong Kong Arbitration Week, 2015, Hong Kong;
- 4<sup>th</sup> Investment Treaty Arbitration Conference, 2014, Prague;
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Investment Treaty Arbitration Conference, 2013, Prague;

- Vienna International Arbitral Centre Conference, 2013, Bratislava;
- Swedish arbitration days, 2012, Stockholm;
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- European union and Investment Agreements, 2012, Vienna;
- Investment Treaty Arbitration Conference, 2011, Prague;
- Cross-examination in international arbitration, 2010, Vienna;
- Fifth Annual Leading Arbitrators' Symposium on the Conduct of International Arbitration, 2009, Vienna;

## SELECTED REFERRALS

Ľudo provides legal consultancy in the field of resolving investment disputes at both a national and international level and in the area of public investments. He has taken part in the number of investment projects and has represented clients in international commercial disputes (ICC rules, etc.) and international investment disputes (under the UNCITRAL rules, ICSID rules, ECT, etc.).

Selected referrals of arbitration where Ľudo acted as a counsel:

- Counsel to the Slovak Republic in investment arbitration (UNCITRAL rules) based on a BIT, arising from the investment in the textile sector (case value: EUR 290 mil.).
- Counsel to the Czech Republic in investment arbitration (UNCITRAL rules) based on a BIT arising from the investment in the aircraft industry (case value: EUR 28 mil.).
- Counsel to the Slovak Republic in investment arbitration (UNCITRAL rules) based on ECT from the investment in the steel industry (case value: USD 50 mil.).
- Counsel to the Czech company in the early stage of investment arbitration (UNCITRAL rules) against south European state based on a BIT arising from the investment in the thermal industry (case value: EUR 20 mil.).
- Counsel to the Slovak Republic in investment arbitration at ICSID (Washington) and ICC (Paris) based on a BIT, arising from the investment in the natural resources sector (case value: USD 45 mil.).
- Counsel to the Slovak Republic in investment arbitration (UNCITRAL rules) based on a BIT, arising from health insurance (case value: EUR 65 mil.).
- Local counsel to the major international law firm representing the Slovak Republic in investment arbitration (UNCITRAL rules) based on a BIT, arising from health insurance (case value: EUR 1 billion).
- Counsel to a Czech company in the early stage of arbitration with a Pakistani company, arising from the building of power plant (case value: USD 30 mil.).
- Counsel to the Slovak company operating in aviation industry in commercial arbitration (2012 ICC Rules, Paris) (case value: EUR 0,5 mil.).

Ľudo has served as an arbitrator (sole arbitrator and member of arbitration tribunal) in several arbitrations (Vienna International Arbitral Centre, ICC rules, etc.).

## **OTHER ACTIVITIES**

Ľudo cooperates with Paneuropean University in Bratislava in the field of dispute resolution. He has supported and coached the student's team in several mooting competitions:

- Villem C. Vis Moot (Vienna, 2012)
- ADR Mooting Competition held under the auspices of the City University of Hong Kong (including supporting and coaching the Slovak team in the final rounds in Hong Kong - 07/2013)
- Frankfurt Investment Arbitration Moot Court (2013-2015).

*In Bratislava, this 1<sup>st</sup> day of May, 2018*