

VIAC – Questionnaire for Arbitrators

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4. Current position:

Rechtsanwältin / partner at ZEILER

5. Education:

2011	Admission to the Austrian Bar in Vienna
2007	Admission to the German Bar in Frankfurt am Main
2006	Second German State Exam, Regional Court of Osnabrück
2004-2007	Research and teaching assistant to Prof Schmidt-Kessel, European Legal Studies Institute, University of Osnabrück
2002-2004	Graduate program, University of Freiburg
2002	First German State Exam, University of Freiburg
2000-2004	Junior research assistant to Prof Schlechtriem, Institute for foreign and international private law, University of Freiburg
1997-2002	Studies of law, University of Freiburg

Professional Experience

Since 2022	partner at ZFZ Zeiler Rechtsanwälte GmbH
2015-2022	counsel at the ICC International Court of Arbitration, heading the case management team dealing with cases related to Austria, Germany, Netherlands, Scandinavia
2008-2015	associate, then partner, Torggler, Vienna
2007-2008	associate, Binder Grösswang, Vienna

6. Practiced experience in arbitration

- How many arbitrations have you participated in (domestic/international); under which Rules?
 - **Case management at the Secretariat of the ICC of 200 cases at any given time during 7 years (including scrutiny of hundreds of awards)**
 - **Participation in more than 20 arbitrations in different roles (counsel, arbitrator or administrative secretary) under various rules including ad hoc**

- How often have you acted as President of the arbitral tribunal? **0**
- How often have you acted as Sole Arbitrator? **5** (1xICC, 4xVIAC)
- How often have you acted as Co-Arbitrator? **0**
- How often have you acted as Counsel? **6** (5xICC, 1xVIAC)
- How often have you acted in a different function (e.g. Administrative Secretary)? **> 10** (VIAC, ICC, ad hoc, DIS)

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

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

- Co-editor (together with Hellwig Torggler, Valentina Wong, Florian Mohs and Lukas Wedl) of and author in the German language book „Handbuch für Schiedsgerichtsbarkeit“ (second edition 2017) (third edition to be published in June 2024)
- The German Standard of Review of (EU) Competition Law issues in Setting-aside Proceedings (together with Thomas Herbst), ZFZ Arbitration Bulletin May 2023 (<https://www.zeilerfloydzad.com/wp-content/uploads/2023/05/Arbitration-Bulletin-Spring-2023.pdf>)
- Whose Force Majeure is it? European gas market in confusion, ZFZ Litigation Bulletin November 2022 (<https://www.zeilerfloydzad.com/wp-content/uploads/2022/12/Litigation-Bulletin-Fall-Edition-November-2022.pdf>)
- Die neue ICC Verfahrensordnung zum beschleunigten Verfahren, (together with Ulrich Kopetzki), ecolex 2017, 410
- Der Erfüllungsort nach Art 5 EuGVVO bei Vertriebsverträgen, ecolex 2014, 605
- Commentary to Arts 32, 34, 35, 38 and 39 in VIAC (ed), Handbook Vienna Rules, A Practitioner's Guide (2014) (together with Markus Schifferl and Valentina Wong)
- Kommentierung der Artikel 32, 34, 35, 38 und 39, in VIAC (Hrsg), Handbuch Wiener Regeln (2013)
- Die kollisionsrechtliche Einordnung des Unternehmensübergangs nach §§38ff UGB, in Festschrift für Hellwig Torggler (2013), 1071
- Wesentliche Vertragsverletzung und Behebbarkeit einer Vertragswidrigkeit iRd Art 25 CISG, ecolex 2012, 864
- Categories of Evidence in International Arbitration, Revista Romana de Arbitraj 2012, 38 (together with Markus Schifferl)
- Schiedsvereinbarungen und Verbraucherschutz im Licht der Rechtsprechung von EuGH und OGH, Jahresheft der Internationalen Juristenvereinigung Osnabrück 2011
- Practical Problems Arising from the Contractual Relationship between Expert and Participants in an Arbitration, in Austrian Yearbook on International Arbitration 2011, 113 (Klausegger, Klein, Kremsehner, Petsche, Pitkowitz, Power, Welser & Zeiler eds., 2011)

- Die Wahl nicht-staatlichen Rechts nach Art. 3 Abs. 2 des Entwurfs einer Rom-I-VO – Auswirkungen auf das optionale Instrument des europäischen Vertragsrechts, GPR 2006, 55-60
- Match-up of CISG Article 80 with counterpart provisions of UNIDROIT Principles, Website Pace University YEAR?
- Zur Anwendbarkeit des UN-Kaufrechts auf Werklieferungsverträge, IHR 2003, 118-121

SELECTED LECTURES

- Lecturer at the Austrian Arbitration Academy (Summer and Winter School)
- Lecturer for ICC Austria (German law as alternative when drafting contracts)
- Speaker at DIS40 Autumn Conference 2023
- Speaker at MAA Conference, Willem C. Vis Moot, Vienna, 2023
- Between 2015 and 2022 regular participation as speaker in ICC Events (ICC conferences, in-house webinars, YAF Events, Trainings etc)
- GAR Live, Third-Party Funding in international arbitration, Panellist, Frankfurt am Main, June 2019
- Resolution of IP disputes in Mediation and Arbitration, Zurich, 23 January 2019
- GAR Live, German Approaches to Arbitration, Panellist, Frankfurt am Main, June 2016
- Teaching assignment on International Arbitration at the University of Mannheim (2013 – 2019)

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

ArbAut, DIS, ICC Institute of World Business Law, DAA, DFG (i.e. DAA/DIS/NAA working group)

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"/> 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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> European Law |

Other:

- CISG
- experience with London seated arbitrations and transactions under the law of England and Wales
- experience with Swiss seated arbitrations

11. What is your main jurisdiction of practice?

Austria and Germany

12. In which jurisdictions are you admitted to the bar?

Austria and Germany

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

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Aviation | <input type="checkbox"/> Distribution | <input type="checkbox"/> Insurance | <input type="checkbox"/> Power plants |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Capital markets | <input type="checkbox"/> Employment | <input type="checkbox"/> Investment arbitration | <input type="checkbox"/> Public Intern. Law |
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| <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 |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Construction | <input type="checkbox"/> Inform. technology (IT) | <input type="checkbox"/> Media | <input type="checkbox"/> Telecommunication |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Contract law | <input type="checkbox"/> Infrastructure | <input type="checkbox"/> Mining | <input type="checkbox"/> Transport |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ | | | |

14. Date of birth: 1978

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