

VIAC – Questionnaire for Arbitrators

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4. **Current position:** Counsel

5. **Education:**

Dr.iur., University of Vienna (2005)

Bakk.phil., University of Vienna and National Taiwan Normal University (2004)

Mag.iur., University of Vienna (2000)

6. **Practiced experience in arbitration**

- How many arbitrations have you participated in (domestic/international); under which Rules?
approx. 70 (5/65)

UNCITRAL, ICC, VIAC, LCIA, DIS, Swiss Rules, CAS, CCIR

- How often have you acted as Chairperson?

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- How often have you acted as Sole Arbitrator?

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- How often have you acted as Co-Arbitrator?

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- How often have you acted as Counsel?

approx. 20

- How often have you acted in a different function (e.g. Administrative Secretary, Expert)?

approx. 40

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

Publications

"Vollstreckung nach dem New Yorker Übereinkommen", in: Handbuch Schiedsverfahren, eds.

Czernich/Deixler-Hübner/Schauer (forthcoming).

Decisions of the Austrian Supreme Court in 2016 and 2017. In: Austrian Yearbook on International Arbitration 2018, ed. Klausegger et al., (forthcoming, with Markus Schifferl).

Translation of the Mediation Rules 2016 of the Vienna International Arbitral Center (VIAC) from German to Chinese (forthcoming).

"Austria", in: *The International Arbitration Review*, ed. Carter, 8th ed., 2017.

"Ad hoc Schiedsverfahren versus institutionelle Schiedsgerichtsbarkeit", in: *Praxishandbuch Schiedsgerichtsbarkeit*, eds. H. Torggler/Wong/F. Schäfer/Mohs, Vienna 2017.

Decisions of the Austrian Supreme Court in 2016 and 2017. In: *Austrian Yearbook on International Arbitration 2017*, ed. Klausegger et al., Vienna 2017, 225-243 (with Markus Schifferl).

"Austria", in: *The International Arbitration Review*, ed. Carter, 7th ed., London 2016, 62-71.

Decisions of the Austrian Supreme Court in 2014 and 2015. In: *Austrian Yearbook on International Arbitration 2016*, ed. Klausegger et al., Vienna 2016, 121-142 (with Markus Schifferl).

Translation of the Arbitration Rules 2014 of the Ljubljana Arbitration Centre from English to German, 2015.

Decisions of the Austrian Supreme Court in 2013 and 2014. In: *Austrian Yearbook on International Arbitration 2015*, ed. Klausegger et al., Vienna 2015, 335-364 (with Markus Schifferl).

Conference Report on "Vienna Arbitration Days 2014 – Applicable Law in International Arbitration". In: *SchiedsVZ 2014*, 146-148.

Translation of the Austrian Arbitration Law 2006 with Amendments 2013, http://www.viac.eu/images/ZPO_Schiedsrecht_2014_ch_im_VIAC_Layout_20140325.pdf (with Hao Zhou and Michael Moser).

Translation of the VIAC Arbitration Rules 2013 from German to Chinese, http://www.viac.eu/images/Wiener_Regeln_Chinesisch_20140221.pdf (with Jiagu Richter)

Recalcitrant Parties and the Tribunal's Power to Order Cost Advance Payments. In: *Austrian Yearbook on International Arbitration 2014*, ed. Klausegger et al., Vienna 2014, 201-221 (with Alfred Siwy).

Articles 32, 34, 35, 38, 39. In: *Handbuch Wiener Regeln/Handbook Vienna Rules*, ed. VIAC, Vienna 2013/2014 (with Friederike Schäfer and Markus Schifferl).

Beweisaufnahme im Schiedsverfahren: Unterstützung durch staatliche Gerichte. [Taking Evidence in Arbitral Proceedings: Assistance by State Courts.] In: *Festschrift für Hellwig Torggler*, ed. Fitz et al., Vienna 2013, 1385-1402.

Amendments to the Austrian Arbitration Act. In: *YIAG e-newsletter*, August 2013, <http://www.lcia.org//Membership/YIAG/2013-summer-yiag-e-news.aspx#Austria>.

Administrative Secretaries to Arbitral Tribunals – A Note from a Practitioner's Perspective. In: *Slovenian Journal of Arbitration*, Year II, Issue 2, June 2013, 14-18.

Translation of the Austrian Arbitration Law 2006 and the VIAC Arbitration Rules 2006 from German to Chinese, VIAC, 2011 (with Hao Zhou).

Sportschiedsgerichtsbarkeit – Court of Arbitration for Sport (CAS) / Tribunal Arbitral du Sport (TAS). *Schlichtung und Schiedsgerichtsbarkeit im Sport*, ed. Nunner-Krautgasser/Reissner, Vienna 2011, 93-121.

Conference report on YAAP Anniversary Conference on 2 December 2010 "Arbitration 2.0 – Rules Updated", *ArbAut Newsletter* 25 February 2011.

Internationale Sportschiedsgerichtsbarkeit – TAS/CAS. [International Sports Arbitration – TAS/CAS.] In: *Konfliktlösung im Konsens. Schiedsgerichtsbarkeit, Diversion, Mediation*, ed. Posch et al., Graz 2010, 277-286.

Conference report: "Anti-suit and anti-arbitration injunctions – The implications of West Tankers on arbitration in Europe". In: *SchiedsVZ 2010*, Number 2, VII (with Helmut Ortner).

Conference report on the 5th YAAP Anniversary Programme Anti-Suit and Anti-Arbitration Injunctions – The Implications of 'West Tankers' on International Arbitration Practice in Europe on 26 November 2009, *ArbAut Newsletter*, 23 March 2010 (with Helmut Ortner).

Arbitration Agreements on the Court of Arbitration for Sport. In: *Austrian Arbitration Yearbook 2010*, ed. Klausegger et al., Vienna 2010, 3-23.

Conference report on ICC YAF / YAAP Joint Conference on 4 April 2009. *ArbAut Newsletter*, 21 April 2009 (with Helmut Ortner).

Gerichtsstandsvereinbarungen in AGB. [Jurisdiction Clauses in General Terms and Conditions.] In: *Aktuelles AGB-Recht*, ed. Knyrim et al., Vienna 2008, 191-213.

Neue SIAC-Schiedsordnung seit 1.7.2007. (New SIAC Arbitration Rules since 1 July 2007.) In: *ASA Bulletin* 2008, 59-66.

Neue Schiedsordnung des SIAC seit 1.7.2007. [New Arbitration Rules of SIAC since 1 July 2007.] In: *ecolex* 2007, 925-926.

CIETAC Arbitration Rules. In: *Praxishandbuch Schiedsgerichtsbarkeit*, ed. H. Torggler, Vienna 2007, 497-513.

Translation of the CIETAC Arbitration Rules 2005 from Chinese to German, <http://cn.cietac.org/rules/CIETAC-Schiedsordnung060214.pdf> (with Andreas Reiner).

Confucianism and Human Rights. In: *Human Rights in a Global Context – Theoretical Questions and Case Studies (China and the Islamic World)*, Sonderheft *Historische Sozialkunde* 2003, ed. Pilz/Wimmer, 20-27.

Speaking Engagements

21 July 2017: Lecture, Austrian Arbitration Academy of the University of Vienna, Strobl, Austria

21 June 2017: Commentator on "Overview of the PRC's Arbitration and Mediation Practice: Trends and Challenges (Arbitration & Mediation)", Joint VIAC and BAC Conference "Vienna Summit 2017 on Dispute Resolution in China", Vienna, Austria

8 April 2017: Conference chair, Joint ICC YAF and YAAP Conference "Young Approaches to Arbitration"

6 April 2017: Panel discussion on "Security for Costs", "YIAG meets Vis 2017" Seminar, Vienna, Austria

22 February 2017: "The Arbitration Agreement", Austrian Arbitration Academy of the University of Vienna in cooperation with SHS, VIAC, YAAP and ArbAut, Vienna, Austria

15 February 2017 "Purchase in China", ICC Austria Seminar, Vienna, Austria

6 December 2016: Moderation, YAAP Anniversary Conference "Arbitration and Competition Law", Vienna, Austria

29 November 2016: "Arbitrating with Chinese Parties", DIS40 and CEAC joint event "Arbitration and China", Hamburg, Germany

27 October 2016: Moderation, 2nd Wolf Theiss Ljubljana Arbitration Day, Ljubljana, Slovenia

30 September 2016: "Influence of EU law – the Austrian perspective", Dreiländerkonferenz 2016, Schaan (Vaduz), Liechtenstein

22 July 2016: Lecture, Austrian Arbitration Academy of the University of Vienna, Strobl, Austria

26 June 2016: ICC YAF "Infrastructure and Construction in CEE: Opportunities and Challenges", Vienna, Austria

7 March 2016: Panel discussion on „One size fits all? A cultural lens on the ideal arbitrator“, joint HKIAC-VIAC Conference, Hong Kong

5 March 2016: "Document production“, Tenth Annual Generations in Arbitration Conference, Moot Alumni Association, Hong Kong

4 October 2015: IBA Arb40 Practitioner's Workshop on Oral Advocacy: Opening & Closing Statements, Vienna, Austria

29 October 2014: "Sourcing in China" ("Einkauf in China"), ICC Austria Seminar, Vienna, Austria

16 October 2014: Financial Disputes Resolved in Arbitration, VIAC – CIETAC Experiences, VIAC Asia-Roadshow, Beijing, PR China

16 October 2014: Introducing the Vienna International Arbitration Center and its Rules, China Young Arbitration Group, Beijing, PR China

15 October 2014 Asia Meets Europe: Arbitration in Vienna, VIAC Asia-Roadshow, Hong Kong, PR China

14 October 2014: Financial Disputes Resolved in Arbitration, VIAC Asia-Roadshow, Hong Kong, PR China

24 July 2014: "The Applicable Substantive Law in International Arbitration", VIAC-KAA Conference "EU-Asia Arbitration Perspective – 2014 International Conference", Vienna, Austria

12 December 2013: "Financial Aspects of Ad Hoc Arbitration", YAAP Anniversary Conference "Ad Hoc Arbitration Revisited", Vienna, Austria

25 January 2013: "Recalcitrant Parties and the Tribunal's Power to Order Cost Advance Payments", Vienna Arbitration Days, Vienna, Austria

27 May 2011; 11 June 2010; 15 May 2009: "Arbitration in China", Fachhochschule Joanneum, Graz, Austria

4 October 2010: "Unterstützung von Schiedsgerichten durch staatliche Gerichte im Beweisverfahren" ("Assistance of Arbitral Tribunals by State Courts in Evidentiary Proceedings"), YAAP Round Table in cooperation with Leopold Franzens University of Innsbruck, Innsbruck, Austria

7 May 2010: „International Sports Arbitration“, 7th Faculty Day, Karl-Franzens-University Graz, Graz, Austria

27 November 2009: "Res judicata and lis pendens", ASA Below 40, Zurich, Switzerland

5 – 6 February 2009: Lectures on Arbitration, EU-Twinning Project "Enhancing the Judicial System in Commercial Matters", Tirana, Albania

25 November 2008: "Individual Rights in Chinese Context", Austrian-Chinese Law Society, Vienna, Austria

25 February 2008: "Sports Arbitration", YAAP Round Table, Vienna, Austria

31 May 2007: "Chinese Law", Center for Social and Intercultural Competence, University of Linz, Linz, Austria

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

YAAP (Advisory Board since 2008, Co-chair 2016 and 2017),

YIAG (Regional Representative 2010/2011)

DIS

ASA below 40

ICC YAF

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, Chinese (Mandarin, Cantonese)

10. In which legal system have you trained?

Austria

11. What is your main jurisdiction of practice?

Austria

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

Construction & infrastructure

(Renewable) Energy

China-related matters

13. Date of birth: 28 February 1977

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