

VIAC – Questionnaire for Arbitrators

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4. Current position: Arbitrator in private practice

5. Education: Master of Law, Sofia University, 1990-1995

6. Practiced experience in arbitration

- How many arbitrations have you participated in (domestic/international); under which Rules?

39 arbitrations, including 26 domestic arbitrations at the BCCI and other institutions, and 13 international arbitrations under the ICC Rules and the UNCITRAL Rules

430+ domain name disputes under the UDRP before WIPO, CAC, KLRCA

- How often have you acted as Chairman?

Once in a domestic arbitration

30+ times in domain name disputes before WIPO

- How often have you acted as Sole Arbitrator?

3 times under the ICC Rules

390+ times in domain name disputes

- How often have you acted as Co-Arbitrator?

Once, under the ICC Rules

10+ times in domain name disputes

- How often have you acted as Counsel?

34 times

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

N/A

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

Publications:

National Report Bulgaria, in the ICCA International Handbook on Commercial Arbitration

Bulgaria, chapter in the ICC Guide to National Procedures for Recognition and Enforcement of Awards under the New York Convention

Chapter on Bulgaria in the ICCA Report - *Does a Right to a Physical Hearing Exist in International Arbitration?*

Training:

Member of the faculty of the ICC Arbitration Academy

Member of the faculty of DELOS ROAP EMEA 2023

Seminars:

Presentations on numerous seminars and conferences organized by ICC Bulgaria

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

Member of the ICC Court (2008-2015)

Vice-Chairman of the KRIB Court of Arbitration, Sofia (2014 – till now)

9. Languages

Mother tongue: Bulgarian

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 type="checkbox"/> German Law | <input type="checkbox"/> Slovakian Law | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> European Law |

Other – Bulgarian Law

11. What is your main jurisdiction of practice?

Bulgaria

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

Bulgaria

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 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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> Domain name disputes | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Intellect. property (IP) | <input type="checkbox"/> Private Intern. Law |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Capital markets | <input type="checkbox"/> Employment | <input type="checkbox"/> Investment arbitration | <input type="checkbox"/> Public Intern. Law |
| <input type="checkbox"/> CISG | <input 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 checked="" 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 checked="" 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: 20 August 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