

# VIAC – Questionnaire for Arbitrators

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4. **Current position:**

- **Legal Counsel**, Archipel, since 2022
- Included in the list of **candidates for arbitrator appointments under the EU's trade agreements** since 2022
- **Secretary** to two **investment tribunals** presided by Professor Tercier since 2022
- **Senior Researcher** at the Center for International Dispute Settlement in Geneva (CIDS) since 2016

5. **Education:**

- **PhD** (docteur en droit), Université de Lorraine, Faculté de Droit, Sciences économiques et Gestion, Nancy, France (2013)
- **Master's Degree** in International Commercial Law (Master 2, Droit du commerce international), Université de Lorraine Faculté de Droit, Sciences économiques et Gestion, Nancy, France (2007)
- **Diplôme d'université de droit français et européen**, a complementary degree in French and European Law, Université Panthéon-Assas (Paris II) (2006)
- **Degree in law (J.D.)**, honour of summa cum laude, Eötvös Loránd University, Faculty of Law and Political Sciences, Budapest, Hungary (2006)

6. **Practiced experience in arbitration**

- How many arbitrations have you participated in (domestic/international); under which Rules?  
20 under the VIAC, ICC; UNCITRAL, SCC, ICSID, Swiss Rules
- How often have you acted as Chairman?  
Never
- How often have you acted as Sole Arbitrator?  
2 times
- How often have you acted as Co-Arbitrator?  
Never
- How often have you acted as Counsel?  
5 times
- How often have you acted in a different function (e.g. Administrative Secretary)?  
As Secretary to the Arbitral Tribunal 13 times

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

Relevant publications:

- ‘Representation of States in Investment Arbitrations Involving Governments Competing for International Recognition’ forthcoming in *Investments in Conflict Zones* (Nijhoff International Investment Law Series 2020)
- ‘The Role of Independent Administrative Authorities in Global Governance’ [2016/2017] 18 *Yearbook of Private International Law* pp 543-567
- ‘The impact of Regulation 1/2003 on Hungarian competition law’ [2014] *Revue Concurrences* p 272

Speaking engagements and teaching activities:

- Summer course at the World Trade Institute entitled “*International Contracts Regarding Cross-Borders Trade and Investment*”, co-teaching with Benjamin Gottlieb since 2023
- Presentation at the Young ICCA Webinar: Introduction to the Appointment of Arbitral Secretaries 29 September 2021
- Presentation of certain aspects of international arbitration in the framework of the Arbitration Systems and ADR class at the Master of Laws in International Trade Law, ITCILO, University of Turin since 2019
- Moderating the panel entitled ‘Arbitration agreements and awards: how far does the protection of international law go?’ at the ICC-CIDS Conference on ‘Enforcement, setting aside proceedings and related treaty claims: a view from Europe’ in Geneva (2019)
- Presentation at the Vilnius Arbitration Days on ‘Issue preclusion under the New York Convention: a phenomenon undermining the objectives of the NYC or a useful tool to manage multiple enforcement proceedings?’ (2018)
- Moderating the panel on ‘The New York Convention at 60: is it a rock at the stormy sea?’ at the MIDS 10th Anniversary Conference in Geneva (2018)
- Presentation at the Colloquium on ‘International Investment Law & Competition Law’ entitled ‘Awards as illegal state aid under EU law’ in Zaragoza (2018)
- Moderating the panel entitled ‘*The Tribunal, its powers and friends*’ at the CIDS-ICC YAF Conference on ‘*Investment arbitration in practice: a view from the inside*’ (2015)
- Between 2013 and 2016: Senior Lecturer, MIDS Geneva LL.M in International Dispute Settlement

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

ASA, Arb CEE (membership application pending), Fellow Member of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators (FCIArb)

**9. Languages**

Mother tongue: Hungarian

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, French

**10. In which legal systems have you trained?**

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

Other \_\_\_\_Public International Law\_\_\_\_

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

Switzerland

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

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

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| <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: 19.07.1983**

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Date