VIAC – Questionnaire for Arbitrators

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4. Current position:

Senior Associate / Attorney-at-Law (admitted to the Vienna Bar Association as European Lawyer)

5. Education:

2010-2013: Master of Laws - University of Geneva

2012-2013: Master of Laws – University of Vienna (Erasmus)

2007-2010: BA International Relations

6. Practiced experience in arbitration

• How many arbitrations have you participated in (domestic/international); under which Rules? VIAC: 1

ICC Rules: 6

ICC Expertise Rules: 1

Swiss Rules: 1

CAS Arbitration: 2

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

Tribunal Secretary: 2 Supporting Counsel and/or support to arbitrator: 8

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

2016-2021: Arbitrator – Vis Moot

2021: Moderator – Vienna Arbitration Days World Café

2021: Panelist – ABA – What the Rules Don't Tell You – SCAI Webinar

2021-2022: Vis Moot Coach for Universities of Dar-es-Salaam (Tanzania) and Mzumbe University (Tanzania)

8. Membership in arbitral institutions / functions in arbitral institutions/organizations: Young Austrian Arbitration Practitioners (YAAP)

Young International Council for Commercial Arbitration (ICCA)

Swiss Arbitration Association (ASA) below 40

Racial Equality for Arbitration Lawyers (REAL)

International Association of Young Lawyers (AIJA)

Africa in the Moot

Languages

Mother tongue: English, French, Swahili

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 and French**

9.	In which legal systems have you trained?						
হ	Civil Law		Common Law				
র্হ্	Austrian Law		Hungarian Law	Ø,	Swiss Law		
	Czech Law		Polish Law		Ukrainian Law		
	German Law		Slovakian Law 🗖		European Law		
Other							
10. What is your main jurisdiction of practice?							
Switzerland							
11. In which jurisdictions are you admitted to the bar?							
Switzerland (Geneva bar, currently inactive); Austria (European Lawyer)							
12. Special expertise or specializations (please list a maximum of five):							
	Antitrust/Unfair competition	X	Damages		Insolvency	Ø	Power plants
	Aviation		Distribution	ষ্	Insurance	N	Private Intern. Law
	Banking & Finance		Domain name disputes		Intellect. property (IP)	Ø	Public Intern. Law
	Capital markets		Employment		ISDS/ Foreign invest.		Real estate
X	CISG		Energy		Joint ventures		Shipping
X	Civil fraud disputes		Engineering	Ø.	Licensing		Sports
Ŕ	Commercial disp. / transactions		Entertainment		Life sciences		State/Public contracts
	Commodity market		Healthcare & Pharmac.		Maritime arbitration		Technology
	Company/Corporate/M&A		Hotel/Gastro./Tour.		Media		Telecommunication
N	Construction		Inform, technology (IT)		Mining		Transport

13. Date of birth: 9 March 1987

🔁 Contract law

Other

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Natural resources

□ Infrastructure

State Aid Law

Ø I have completed this questionnaire to the above to the best of my knowledge and believe they are accurate.

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