VIAC – Questionnaire for Arbitrators

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- 4. Current position: Full Professor; Chair for International Company and Business Law
- 5. Education: PhD (FU Berlin), LL.M. (Yale Law School); Habilitation (University of Heidelberg)
- 6. Practiced experience in arbitration
 - How many arbitrations have you participated in (domestic/international); under which Rules?
 2; DIS/Swiss Rules
 - 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?
 - How often have you acted in a different function (e.g. Administrative Secretary)?
- 7. Publications and other activities in arbitration (e.g. training sessions, seminars, conferences, articles and others):

Schiedsrichterhaftung in der internationalen Schiedsgerichtsbarkeit, in: IPRax (2015), 462-465 (with *Miguel Gomez-Jene*)

Rechtsprechung als Öffentliches Gut – Über die gesellschaftlichen Kosten der Schiedsgerichtsbarkeit, forthcoming in: Festschrift für Herbert Kronke (2020)

- 8. Membership in arbitral institutions / functions in arbitral institutions/organizations: (-)
- 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, Spanish, French

10. In which legal systems have you trained?						
X Civil Law	Х	Common Law				
X Austrian Law		Hungarian Law	Χ	Swiss Law		
☐ Czech Law		Polish Law		Ukrainian Law		
X German Law		Slovakian Law 🗖	Х	European Law		
Other						
11. What is your main jurisdiction of practice?						
German, Austrian						
12. In which jurisdictions are you admitted to the bar?						
Germany						
13. Special expertise or specializations (please list a maximum of five):						
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☐ Antitrust/Unfair competition		Damages		Insolvency		Power plants
☐ Aviation		Distribution		Insurance		Private Intern. Law
☐ Banking & Finance		Domain name disputes				Public Intern. Law
X Capital markets		Employment		ISDS/ Foreign invest.		Real estate
X CISG		Energy		Joint ventures		Shipping
X Civil fraud disputes		Engineering		Licensing		Sports
X Commercial disp. / transactions		Entertainment		Life sciences		State/Public contracts
☐ Commodity market		Healthcare & Pharmac.		Maritime arbitration		Technology
X Company/Corporate/M&A		Hotel/Gastro./Tour.		Media		Telecommunication
☐ Construction		Inform. technology (IT)		Mining		Transport
☐ Contract law		Infrastructure		Natural resources		
☐ Other						
14. Date of birth: February 26	5, 1	982				
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accurate.						
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http://www.viac.eu.						
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