

ABOUT THE CONTRIBUTORS

Jalal El Ahdab (Jil Ahdab) is a Senior Associate in Orrick's Paris office and a member of the Orrick Arbitration Practice. After two years of experience in corporate and finance transactional work, his practice now concentrates mainly on domestic and international arbitration, both commercial (ICC, UNCITRAL, LCIA and VIAC) and investment (ICSID and UNCITRAL), with a focus on Europe, the Middle East, and Africa. He sometimes deals with international (civil/criminal) litigation and corporate matters. Mr. Ahdab is a member of both the Paris and Beirut Bars and is fluent in French, English and Arabic. He has taught Law & Religion at Sciences Po and teaches arbitration law at Versailles University. He is also managing editor of *The Journal of Arab Arbitration*, published quarterly, is a speaker at international arbitration conferences, and is also the author of numerous articles on arbitration and corporation matters. He will be publishing next year, together with Abdul Hamid El Ahdab, the third edition of *Arbitration with Arab Countries* (Kluwer).

Edmund Bao is an Associate at Paul, Weiss, Rifkind, Wharton & Garrison LLP. and specialises in complex cross-border disputes with an emphasis on international arbitration and commercial litigation. He has also acted for major financial institutions and corporations on regulatory and compliance matters including fraud investigations, anti-bribery and corruption, money-laundering, asset tracing and recovery. Previously, Edmund was the Australian Fellow at the World Bank's Integrity Vice Presidency in Washington D.C., reporting to the Sanctions Board and prosecuting companies for corruption in multinational development projects.

Alex Baykitch is an International Arbitration Consultant and one of Australia's preeminent Arbitrators, with over 26 years' experience in cross border litigation and international arbitration. He is consistently listed as a leading individual in legal directories and has extensive experience in arbitration in major construction, engineering and infrastructure matters. Described by *Chambers Global* as "fast rising and energetic [lawyer]. . . who has developed into one of Australia's strongest arbitration counsel", Alex has particular experience of dispute in major construction, engineering and infrastructure. Alex is consistently listed as a leading individual in legal directories, for his expertise in cross border litigation and international arbitration, and sits as sole and party appointed arbitrator as well as chairman of

arbitral tribunals conducted under the ICC, LCIA, KLRCA, and UNCITRAL Rules. Alex is a Member of the Australian Government's Delegation to UNCITRAL's Working Group on Arbitration. He is also an Australian Delegate to the ICC Arbitration Commission and served on the Commission's Task Force on the New York Convention. Alex is the former President of the Australian Centre for International Commercial Arbitration (ACICA) and is a fellow of ACICA. He is also a Member of the Arbitration panels of the ICC International Court of Arbitration, Singapore International Arbitration Centre, China Maritime Arbitration Commission, the Korean Commercial Arbitration Board and ACICA. He has presented at numerous conferences and written on various topics in relation to international arbitration and is a co-author for the Australian chapter of World Arbitration Reporter.

Monique Carroll is a cross-border and regulatory dispute resolution Specialist with a focus on China related disputes. Her experience includes working in Australia and China acting as advisor and counsel in international arbitrations, international trade and investment treaty disputes and as international counsel providing strategic oversight for regulatory and government related disputes across jurisdictions. In October 2013, she joined the Sydney office of King & Wood Mallesons as Special Counsel. Between July 2012 and September 2013 Monique worked in the Beijing office where she gained a deep understanding of commercial and cultural issues relevant to China related disputes. Whilst in China, Monique represented SOEs, private companies and foreign clients in relation to private equity, emission reduction purchase agreements, joint venture, commodity and ship construction disputes, as well as investment treaty protection. Monique also has experience advising foreign clients on compliance issues and disputes before the Chinese courts. Monique utilizes a variety of methods to resolve disputes: mediation and negotiation; constitutional and administrative challenges to government decisions; litigation and arbitration. She has experience with arbitration conducted under ICSID; the UNCITRAL Rules; London Arbitration Act, WTO Dispute Resolution Rules and GAFTA, and located in Mainland China, Hong Kong, Singapore and London. She is a Fellow of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators and the Australian Centre for International Commercial Arbitration.

Lorena Carvajal Arenas is an Associate Professor of Commercial Law at the Catholic University of Valparaíso, Chile. PhD (Portsmouth); LLM (Tor Vergata); LLM (La Sapienza); LLB (Pontificia Universidad Católica de Valparaíso).

Maria Beatrice Deli is Professor of International Law and International Economic Law in the Law Department of the Università degli Studi del Molise and teaches International Arbitration at the Law Department of the Roma Tre University. She is co-founder of the law firm DJR Arbitration & Litigation, and has represented clients in international arbitrations under institutional and ad-hoc arbitration rules and in international litigations. Maria Beatrice Deli graduated in Law and in Political Science from the Università degli Studi “Sapienza” of Rome, and specialized in International Law and Conflict of Laws in the Institut für ausländisches und internationales Privat- und Wirtschaftsrecht of Heidelberg, Germany and at the Institut Suisse de Droit Comparé of Lausanne, Switzerland.

Domenico Di Pietro, J.D. (Rome), LLM (London), Avvocato (Italy) and Solicitor (England and Wales), Lecturer, University of Rome “Roma Tre”.

Gaston Kenfack Douajni is a Cameroonian Magistrate, Director of Legislation at the Ministry of Justice and President of the Association for the Promotion of Arbitration in Africa (APAA). He has obtained a Doctorate of International Economic Law from the University of Paris I (Pantheon Sorbonne) in 2005, a Certificate on the trade negotiations and settlement of trade disputes at the Kennedy School of Government – Harvard University (USA) in 2004 and a diploma of Magistrate at the National School of Administration and Magistracy (Yaoundé – Cameroon) in 1984. Since 2008, he is Professor of business and arbitration law at the International Relations Institute of Cameroon (IRIC)-University of Yaoundé II, Guest Professor at the OHADA High School of Magistracy in Benin. Former member of the ICC Court of Arbitration and Corresponding member of the Paris Institute of International Arbitration in the OHADA space, Mr. Kenfack Douajni has delivered numerous opinions on contracts, business, investment, banking and arbitration law. He is the Editor of the “Revue Camerounaise de l’Arbitrage”.

Alejandro A. Escobar is a Partner in the Arbitration Group of Baker Botts L.L.P.

Claudia Frutos-Peterson is a Consultant in the International Arbitration Group of Curtis, Mallet-Prevost, Colt and Mosle, LLP. She is also an Adjunct Professor at the American University Washington College of Law and a member of the Center on International Commercial Arbitration of the WCL.

Norah Gallagher is the Director of the Investment Treaty Forum, Visiting Senior Lecturer, Queen Mary, University of London, and Adjunct Professor, Xi'an Jiaotong University.

Joanna Gomula is a Fellow at the Lauterpacht Centre for International Law. She has published in the area of international economic law and public international law. Ms. Gomula has lectured on WTO law at Queen Mary College, the Diplomatic Academy of Vienna, the University of Nanterre in Paris, the University of Hong Kong and the University of Cardinal Stefan Wyszyński in Warsaw. She is an Editorial Board member of the *Global Community Yearbook of International Law and Jurisprudence*. Ms. Gomula practised for several years in a large international law firm. She holds law degrees from the University of Warsaw and University of Michigan, and a Ph.D. from the Polish Academy of Sciences.

Samaa A. Haridi is a Partner at Hogan Lovells US LLP whose practice focuses on Public International Law, Investment Treaty Protection, and International Commercial Arbitration. She is a civil and common law-trained, trilingual lawyer who represents corporations and financial institutions from all over the world in international commercial and investment arbitration, under the rules of all major arbitral institutions. She also frequently sits as an arbitrator in international disputes. Samaa has been ranked by clients and peers in *Chambers USA* and *Chambers Global* for International Arbitration. She has been singled out by clients for her “brilliant,” “no-nonsense and impressive” approach. Sources also acknowledge her as being “hard-working and very entrepreneurial,” as well as a “unique practitioner with unique skills” who delivers “clear and intelligent arguments.” She is also recognized by *The Legal 500* and by *Who’s Who Legal: Thought Leaders – Arbitration 2018*.

Federica Iorio obtained a double-degree law from La Sapienza University of Rome and Paris 2 Panthéon Assas in 2011. She joined the Milan office of Bonelli Errede Pappalardo law firm in 2012, where she practices competition law as well as international and commercial arbitration.

M. Imad Khan is a Senior Associate at Hogan Lovells US LLP who practices international commercial and investment arbitration, and serves as an adjunct professor of international law and arbitration at Washington University School of Law. He advises companies across diverse economic sectors, including energy, oil and gas, electricity,

renewables, and mining. Focusing on international arbitration and litigation, Imad represents clients in international treaty arbitrations, international commercial arbitrations, and domestic court disputes. In particular, he represents both investors and host states in investment disputes before the International Centre for the Settlement of Investment Disputes (ICSID) at the World Bank, as well as under the rules of the United Nations Commission on International Trade Law (UNCITRAL). Imad has also represented and advised clients in construction and commercial arbitrations under the rules of the International Chamber of Commerce (ICC) and the International Centre for Dispute Resolution (ICDR), the international body of the American Arbitration Association.

Anna Kirk has a PhD in Public International Law from the University of Cambridge and is an experienced practitioner in international arbitration. She spent a number of years practising international arbitration at Herbert Smith LLP in London, where she represented clients in both commercial and investment treaty arbitrations. She is a Barrister at Bankside Chambers in Auckland (New Zealand) and works closely with Sir David Williams QC. She regularly acts as tribunal secretary in large international commercial arbitrations and assists on investment treaty arbitrations. She is a contributing author to Williams & Kawharu on Arbitration (2011 and 2017).

Sabine Konrad, a Partner in the Frankfurt office of McDermott Will & Emery Rechtsanwälte Steuerberater LLP since 2012, specializes in International Dispute Resolution and in particular in International Arbitration and Public International Law, regularly advising investors and governments in matters of investment protection. She also sits as arbitrator. In 2007 and again in 2013, the Government of the Federal Republic of Germany appointed her as a member of the Panel of Arbitrators of the World Bank's International Centre for Settlement of Investment Disputes (ICSID). She was also closely involved in setting up the Frankfurt International Arbitration Center, which serves as a cooperation facility of ICSID for investment treaty arbitrations in Germany. Dr. Konrad publishes extensively on investment arbitration. She is a co-founder of the Frankfurt Investment Arbitration Moot Court and designs the case studies for this international moot court competition. Dr. Konrad is a German Rechtsanwältin and was admitted to the Frankfurt Bar in 2002. She also is a Fellow of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators.

Philippe Leboulanger is the Founding Partner, Leboulanger & Associés, France, an Attorney called to the Paris Bar, lecturer on International Arbitration at Panthéon-Assas University (Paris II) and former Chairman (2010–2012) of the French Arbitration Committee (CFA). His specializations include international business law, litigation and arbitration. He was an Associate at Coudert Frères, 1974–1977. He has appeared as Counsel and has been appointed as Co-Arbitrator, Sole Arbitrator and Chairman of Arbitral Tribunals in numerous international arbitrations (ICC, UNCITRAL, ICSID, CRCICA, LCIA, DIAC, CCJA – OHADA, Ad Hoc) concerning State Contracts, Construction, Sales, Distribution, Investments, Oil and Gas, Transfer of Technology, Joint-Ventures, etc. He is a member of various Panels including the ICC (French Committee); Cairo Regional Centre for International Commercial Arbitration – CRCICA (Member of the Board of Trustees and of the Advisory Board); Dubai International Arbitration Centre – DIAC (Member of the Board of Trustees); London Court of International Arbitration; Kuala Lumpur International Arbitration Centre (Malaysia); Vilnius International Commercial Arbitration (Lithuania); Dakar Arbitration Centre (Senegal); Madagascar Arbitration and Mediation Centre. Lecturer and visiting professor at various universities in Paris, Cairo and Bucharest, Mr. Leboulanger is author of *“Les contrats entre Etats et entreprises étrangères”* and has written numerous articles and notes on international arbitration. He has been invited as a speaker at various conferences and seminars in the UK, Europe, Africa, India, North and South America and the Middle East.

Michael P. Lennon, Jr. is a Partner in the Litigation & Dispute Resolution and International Arbitration practices of Mayer Brown.

Mohamed Makour is a Partner heading the international arbitration at Ibrachy law firm. He is a full time arbitration practitioner in addition to his large experience in Islamic law. Mr. Madkour has represented many multinational and domestic clients in high-value and complex commercial and investment disputes under several institutional rules including The International Centre for the Settlement of Investment Disputes (ICSID), The International Chamber of Commerce (ICC), The London Court of International Arbitration (LCIA), The Cairo Regional Centre for International Commercial Arbitration (CRCICA), The United Nations Commission on International Trade Law (UNCITRAL), The Dubai International Arbitration Centre (DIAC) and the rules of arbitration of the Agreement on the Promotion, Protection and Guarantee of Investments Among Member States of the Organization of the Islamic Conference

(OICA). Mr. Madkour regularly sits as arbitrator in M&A, Islamic law, trade and services, franchise, agency agreements and has been appointed as expert-witness by arbitration tribunals and national courts in Europe in cases involving investment arbitration, Islamic finance, investment law, oil and gas under the laws of Egypt, Libya, Saudi Arabia and Kuwait.

Loretta Malintoppi is Barrister of 39 Essex Chambers in Singapore. She has a law degree from Rome University and holds an LLM in Common Law Studies from Georgetown University Law Centre. Ms. Malintoppi is dually qualified (Paris and Rome Bars) and is registered to practice as a Foreign Lawyer in Singapore. She specializes in both international commercial and investment arbitration. She acts as counsel, advocate and arbitrator and has represented private companies, States and State entities in proceedings under a variety of arbitration rules, including ICSID, ICC, UNCITRAL, SIAC, LCIA and DIAC. Ms. Malintoppi also appears as counsel and advocate in State-to-State disputes before the International Court of Justice and in ad hoc arbitrations. She was a Member for Italy of the ICC International Court of Arbitration from 2000 to 2009 and served as a Vice-President of the ICC Court from 2009 until 30 June 2015. Ms. Malintoppi has written a number of articles on investment arbitration and State-to-State litigation and is one of the co-authors of *The ICSID Convention – A Commentary* published by Cambridge University Press in 2009. She is also a member of the Editorial Board of *The Law and Practice of International Courts and Tribunals*, editor of the series *International Litigation in Practice Series*, and a member of the editorial advisory board of the *Journal of World Investment and Trade*. Ms. Malintoppi is regarded by the legal directory *Chambers Global* as a leading individual in international arbitration.

Andrea J. Menaker is a Partner of White & Case LLP where she practices international arbitration. Prior to joining White & Case, she was Chief of the NAFTA Arbitration Division for the U.S. State Department where she represented the United States in arbitrations under NAFTA Chapter Eleven and participated in the drafting of the 2004 U.S. Model BIT and the investment protection and dispute resolution provisions in U.S. BITs and Free Trade Agreements, including the CAFTA-DR.

Colin Ong is a Barrister Associate Member at Stone Chambers in London. He is also Senior Partner at Dr. Colin Ong Legal Services in Brunei and Counsel at Eldan Law LLP, Singapore. He has acted as arbitrator or as counsel in over 150 international arbitrations governed under Civil and Common Law under most major rules including AAA, BANI, CIETAC,

HKIAC, ICC, LCIA, LMAA, SIAC; UNCITRAL and WIPO. Listed by Global Arbitration Review as one of 45 leading international arbitration practitioners under 45. He is a Chartered Arbitrator and is or has been a Visiting Professor of Law at various leading civil and common law universities including the University of Malaya; National University of Malaysia (UKM); Kings College (London); University of Hong Kong; Universitas Indonesia; and National University of Singapore. Dr Ong is President of the Arbitration Association Brunei Darussalam; Former Panel Member of the ASEAN Enhanced Dispute-Settlement Mechanism; Former Vice Chair, Arbitration Committee, International Bar Association; Vice President, Asia Pacific Regional Arbitration Group (2009–2015; Advisory Councillor to the Indonesian National Board of Arbitration (BANI); Cambodia National Commercial Arbitration Centre; Advisor to China-ASEAN Legal Research Center and former Principal Legal Consultant to the ASEAN Centre for Energy. Member of ICC Commission on Arbitration and ICCA-Queen Mary Task Force (Costs and Security for Costs). Former Vice President of the LCIA (Asia-Pacific Users' Committee). He graduated with LL.B (Sheffield); LL.M; Ph.D in Law (London) and holds FCIArb; FMIArb; FSIArb and DiplC Arb. He has published extensively and is editorial board member to many journals, including *Arbitration* (CIArb); *Asian International Arbitration Journal*, *Butterworths Journal of International Banking & Financial Law*, *Dispute Resolution Journal* and *Maritime Risk International*.

Luca G. Radicati di Brozolo holds the chair of Private International Law at the Catholic University of Milan, where he also teaches Law of International Arbitration and Transnational Commercial Law. In 2013 he founded the arbitration and litigation boutique Arblit – Radicati di Brozolo Sabatini Benedettelli (www.arblit.com), after more than 20 years as a partner at two of Italy's top firms. He is a door tenant at Fountain Court Chambers in London (www.fountaincourt.co.uk). His current practice focuses primarily on international arbitration as presiding, party-appointed and sole arbitrator, counsel and expert. He has significant experience in investor-State arbitration, having acted as counsel in several high-profile cases (including the ICSID cases *Saipem v Bangladesh* and *Ambiente Ufficio v. Argentina* and *Giovanni Alpi v. Argentina* and in several UNICTRAL cases against the Czech Republic under the Energy Charter Treaty and several BITs). He also acts in court litigation and as an advisor, and appears as an expert, on matters of conflicts of laws and jurisdiction, and in his areas of law in which he practiced in the earlier part of his career, European law and competition law, and particularly in private antitrust litigation. He is the author of

five books and over 130 scholarly articles on different topics on arbitration, public and private international law, European Union law and antitrust law, and is a co-editor of the leading Italian commentary of the law of arbitration. He is a member of the International Court of Arbitration of the ICC, a member and a former rapporteur of the Committee on International Commercial Arbitration of the International Law Association, a member of the American Law Institute, Consultative Group on the Restatement (Third), International Commercial Arbitration and co-chair of the Joint Working Group of the Competition and Arbitration Committees of the ICC Arbitration Commission on Antitrust Follow-on Actions.

Anthony C. Sinclair, Ph.D, LL.M (Cambridge, UK), BA, LL.B Hons. (Canterbury, NZ) is a Partner of Quinn Emanuel Urquhart & Sullivan, LLP. Dr. Anthony Sinclair specializes in international commercial arbitration, investment treaty arbitration, and public international law. His work spans a broad range of industry sectors, with particular focus on the oil and gas, energy and mining, telecommunications, infrastructure and utilities sectors, especially in emerging markets, as counsel and arbitrator. His experience includes handling disputes under ICC, LCIA, ICSID and UNCITRAL arbitration rules arising out of concession agreements, licenses, production sharing and operating agreements, joint ventures, EPC and other construction agreements, host government and inter-governmental agreements, management and service agreements, distributorships, investment agreements, financing agreements and derivatives and post-M&A matters. He also has extensive experience as counsel for both private investors and States handling disputes under bilateral investment treaties (BITs) and the Energy Charter Treaty (ECT), and has also been counsel in several ICSID annulment proceedings. He has advised States on the negotiation and drafting of treaties, headquarters agreements and intergovernmental agreements. Anthony is co-author of the second edition of *The ICSID Convention: A Commentary* (Cambridge University Press, 2009), and widely published in the field of international investment law and international arbitration. He has a Ph.D. from the University of Cambridge on the subject of “State Contracts in Investment Treaty Arbitration”. *Chambers & Partners* calls Anthony Sinclair “simply terrific” (*International Arbitration*, 2012) and “especially acclaimed for his knowledge of investment treaty matters and for his academic prowess” (*Public International Law*, 2014). *Legal 500* says “Anthony Sinclair has ‘fantastic analytic skills and a broad range of PIL knowledge,’” (*Public International Law*, 2012). He is rated by *Who’s Who Legal*

(Commercial Arbitration) and in 2011 was named one of Global Arbitration Review's "45 under 45" leading arbitration practitioners.

Nicole Thornton is an Associate in White & Case LLP where she also practices international arbitration. Prior to joining White & Case, she was an attorney-adviser with the U.S. State Department, Office of the Legal Adviser.

Alvin Yap is Of Counsel at Eversheds Harry Elias LLP in Singapore. Alvin acts as counsel in State-to-State, investor-State and commercial disputes before international courts and tribunals, with experience in proceedings before the International Court of Justice (ICJ), the Iran-U.S. Claims Tribunal (IUSCT), and arbitrations administered by a wide range of arbitral institutions, including the Permanent Court of Arbitration (PCA), the International Centre for Settlement of Investment Disputes (ICSID), Singapore International Arbitration Centre (SIAC) and the International Chamber of Commerce (ICC). He also regularly advises governments and companies on issues of public international law, particularly on issues relating to the law of the sea, international environmental law and international investment law. Alvin was also an Adjunct Lecturer at the National University of Singapore from 2017–2019, where he taught a course on inter-State disputes. He was also a faculty member of the Singapore International Arbitration Academy in 2019. In 2020, he was appointed as an expert mentor in the International Economic Law Clinic conducted at the National University of Singapore.

ABOUT THE EDITORS

Professor Loukas Mistelis, LLB, MLE, FCIArb, is an acknowledged authority on international dispute resolution and investment treaty law. In 2006 he was listed as one of the “leading lights in international arbitration”, 45 under 45, amongst the top 15 highlighted members of the list, is listed on the Who’s Who Commercial Arbitration since 2007 and also a member of the ICSID Panel of Arbitrators as well as the recipient of the GAR Award for best arbitration lecture of 2013. He is also listed as one of the *Thought Leaders in International Arbitration*.

Loukas Mistelis is the Clive M Schmitthoff Professor of Transnational Commercial Law and Arbitration and the Director of the School of International Arbitration at the Centre for Commercial Law Studies, Queen Mary University of London. He joined Queen Mary University of London in 1998 and became a professor in 2005. He was also Visiting Professor, NYU in London (2006–2012), a Visiting Professor at Pepperdine University London program (2008–2011); he is Distinguished Visiting Professor, National University of Singapore (2013); he was Visiting Scholar at Columbia University Law School (spring semester 2007), Visiting Fellow at NYU Law School (2012), Visiting Professor at Keio University, Tokyo (2008), LUISS, Rome (2009) and Catholic University of Portugal, Lisbon (2007, 2009). He is coordinating the LLM specialisation in Comparative and International Dispute Resolution. He teaches at the LLM programs in London and Paris and is the coordinator of the courses in International Arbitration Law and Practice II, Investment Treaty Arbitration and Investment Arbitration: Substantive Protection and also teaches on the International Commercial Law and International Energy Transactions courses. In Paris Loukas Mistelis teaches International Investment Dispute Settlement, Regulation and Infrastructure of International Arbitration and Applicable Law and Procedures in International Arbitration. Loukas Mistelis has also developed directs our Diploma in International Arbitration by Distance Learning, the Diploma in International Mediation (ADR) by Distance Learning and the Diploma in International Arbitration, which is offered by CCLS with accreditation from the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators.

Professor Mistelis was the Secretary of the CISG-AC (Advisory Council of the Convention on Contract for the International Sale of Goods) from 2001 to the end of 2007. He is a member of the Academic Committee of the Institute of Transnational Arbitration, an academic member of the Investment Treaty Forum, British Institute of International and Comparative Law and a member of the Advisory Board of the EFILA

(European Federation of Investment Law and Arbitration) and a member of the Academic Committee of AIPN, Chair of Academic Committee of the Civil Mediation Council and President of the Court of CEDRAC (Cyprus Eurasia Dispute Resolution & Arbitration Centre).

Professor Mistelis was educated in Greece (LLB Hons Athens 1991); France (Certificate in International & Comparative Human Rights, IIHR, Strasbourg, 1990); Germany (MLE, 1992, Law School, Hanover, Germany, 1998); and Japan (Certificate in Japanese international trade law, Law School, Keio University, Tokyo, 1998). He has been a member of the Athens Bar since 1993. He is fluent in English, German and Greek, and has good knowledge of French, and basic knowledge of Polish, Russian and Spanish. Member of Chartered Institute of Arbitrators (CIArb) since 2001, became Fellow of the CIArb (FCIArb) in December 2016.

Laurence Shore became a Partner at BonelliErede in September 2017 and is the Co-head of the firm's international arbitration practice group. He is resident in the Milan office. Previously, Laurence practiced law in New York and London, where he was a partner at Herbert Smith (1999–2008, 2013–2017) and Gibson Dunn (2008–2013). Laurence has been the lead advocate in a large number of arbitration cases under, for example, the ICC, LCIA, ICDR, AAA, UNCITRAL, Cairo Regional Centre, and Swiss Rules. Laurence also has been called as an arbitrator on more than 25, ICC, ICDR and other arbitrations.

He has experience serving as co-arbitrator, tribunal chair and sole arbitrator in the following arbitral seats: New York, Connecticut, London, Geneva, Paris, The Hague, Montreal, Cairo, Tel Aviv and Cyprus. In addition to his work as an arbitration practitioner, Laurence has tried cases in the United States courts and in England's High Court. His publications include "You Can Bet the Company but Not the State: The Proper and Improper Conduct of Sovereigns in Arbitration," *World Arbitration and Mediation Review* (2009 Vol. 3, Nos. 4–5); "Arbitration, Rhetoric, Proof: The Unity of International Arbitration across Cultures," in *Contemporary Issues in International Arbitration and Mediation: The Fordham Papers* (2009), Ed. A.W. Rovine (Martinus Nijhoff Publishers, 2010).

Monique Sasson is Of Counsel at D|R Arbitration & Litigation. She initially qualified as an Italian Avvocato and practiced in Rome (Studio Legale Chiomenti), where she appeared before arbitral tribunals and Italian courts. In 2000, she joined Herbert Smith's international litigation/arbitration practice group in London, qualified as an English solicitor (and subsequently as a solicitor advocate), and acted for clients in a number of international arbitration cases as well as litigation matters. In 2009, Monique obtained her Ph.D. degree from Cambridge University, and the following year Kluwer published a revised version of her doctoral thesis under the title *Substantive Law in Investment Treaty Arbitration: The Unsettled Relationship Between International Law and Municipal Law* (second edition, 2017). In 2015 Monique joined JAMS as a full-time arbitrator, dividing her time between New York and London. Monique currently resides in Milan. She is the Co-Managing Editor of several ITA publications, including the *ITA Arbitration Report* and *World Trade and Arbitration Materials*. Monique is a Member at Large of the ITA Advisory Board and its Executive Committee.

