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Nationality: POLISH

Current Position: ADVOCATE

Professional Experience

Admitted as advocate, Poznań (1984); avocat, Paris (1993), advocate, Warsaw (1994), partner SALANS (now DENTONS) since 1998, ICC Court member since 2003, Delegate to the United Nations at the Working Group Arbitration & Conciliation (UNCITRAL) since 2006, President of the Court of Arbitration at the Polish Chamber of Commerce (2006-2009), Chartered Arbitrator (2010), DAB/DRB member/chairman

Arbitration Experience

- Chairman, sole arbitrator, co-arbitrator or counsel in over 200 commercial arbitrations, handled in English, French, German, Czech, Polish and Russian.
- *Arbitration Seats:* Austria, Belarus, Bulgaria, China, Czech Republic, Denmark, France, Germany, Hungary, India, Lithuania, Moldova, Poland, Romania, Russia, Sweden, Switzerland, Ukraine and U.S.A.
- *Rules Applied* AAA-ICDR, BCCI, CAC, CACI, CAS, CCIR, CCP, CIETAC, DIA, FAI, HCCI, IAC, IACA, ICAC Kyiv, ICAC Moscow, ICANN, ICC, IHK, Lewiatan, LME, NAF, PBA, PCC, PIIT, PKOL, RCA, SANIG, SCC. Swiss Rules, VCCA, VIAC, WIPO, UNCITRAL and other *ad hoc*.
- *Parties from:* Andorra, Armenia, Australia, Austria, Belarus, Belgium, Brazil, British Virgin Islands, Bulgaria, Canada, Cayman Islands, China, Chanel Islands, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Georgia, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Hong-Kong, India, Iran, Ireland, Ile of Man, Israel, Italy, Kyrgyz Republic, Korea, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Macedonia, Malaysia, Malta, Moldova, Netherlands, Peru, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Russia, Singapore, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Taiwan, Turkey, Ukraine, U.K., U.S.A.
- *Laws Applied:* Austria, Belarus, China, Czech Republic, Denmark, *Florida*, France, Germany, Hungary, India, Lithuania, *Minnesota*, Moldova, Poland, Romania, Russia, Sweden, Switzerland, Ukraine, UK, USA (American Federal Law).
- *Co-arbitrators from:* Austria, Belarus, Belgium, China, Denmark, France, Germany, Greece, Hong Kong, Hungary, India, Iran, Israel, Italy, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Moldova, Nigeria, Norway, Poland, Romania, Russia, Serbia, Singapore, Slovenia, Sweden, Switzerland, Ukraine, U.K., U.S.A.

Education Background

Master of laws, Poznań (1976), postgraduate study in business law, Bar Research Center at the Polish Bar Council, Warsaw (1988), Ecole de Formation du Barreau, Paris (1992)

Expertise

Arbitration practice re: construction, FIDIC contracts, foreign investment, energy sector, oil & gas, transfer of technology, IP, international sales, banking, joint venture, commercial contracts, cross-border mergers and acquisition, distributorships, licenses, sport, tourism, defense industry.

Practice Location/ Jurisdiction

Chartered Arbitrator, fellow of Chartered Institute of Arbitrators (FCIArb) and Australian Centre for International Commercial Arbitration (ACICA); life time member of Indian Arbitration Council, member of:

Vienna Center Advisory Board; Danish Arbitration Institute, Canadian Bar Association; Law Society of England & Wales; IBA Arbitration Committee (Sub-Committee on Conflicts of Interest 2008-2010); Member: ASA, CEA, CEPANI, DIS, ICA, ITA, ÖVS, SAA, UIA, expert WIPO, FIDIC independent consultant, dispute board adjudicator.

Working Languages

Fluent: Polish, English, French, German, Russian, some Italian.

Other Relevant Experience

- Ex-judge with a substantial work experience in Polish public courts has handled c. 2000 cases. Some 50% of them were closed by settlement, thanks to skills in mediation.
- Second arbitral award ever rendered in a domain name dispute in Poland, as arbitrator of the Court of Arbitration at the Polish Chamber of Information Technology and Telecommunications.
- Only in the recent five years proposed or appointed as arbitrator in more than 50 international or domestic arbitrations.
- As Polish member of the ICC International Court of Arbitration regularly attends plenary sessions of the courts and ICC seminars. Took part in scrutiny proceedings of over 300 ICC awards.
- FIDIC, EFCA – Independent Consultant, adjudicator.
- Qualified for diplomatic service by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, enjoys a solid reputation as a mediator.
- Teaches international commercial arbitration at the Warsaw Bar.
- Approved to act as part of CIArb Approved Faculty List (AFL), Chartered Institute of Arbitrators.
- Founder Editor in Chief of *Biuletyn Arbitrażowy*.
- Co-author of UNCITRAL Arbitration Rules Commentary.
- More than 100 articles published on arbitration and mediation.
- Extensive travels, personal experience and knowledge of culture of countries at all continents.