



Konstantin Kroll

Advocate and arbitrator

Date of Birth: 8 August 1976

Nationality: British and Russian

Current Position: Partner and Head of Russian M&A and Corporate Practice, Dentons

Professional Experience

Konstantin Kroll is a leading M&A and capital markets (debt and equity) expert and arbitrator, recognized on numerous occasions by *Chambers Global*, *Chambers Europe*, *The Legal 500*, *IFLR 1000*, *Leaders League*, *Best Lawyers*, *Pravo.ru-300* and *Kommersant*. Triple qualified as a Russian advocate, solicitor of Senior Courts of England and Wales and Irish solicitor (non-practicing), he has over 24 years of experience advising corporate clients and financial institutions on complex cross-border transactions in Russia and the broader region of the former USSR.

Konstantin's practice concentrates on M&A, joint ventures, cross-border disputes and international arbitration, debt and equity capital markets transactions, structured finance and derivatives. He also has significant experience in project finance, bankruptcies and restructurings. Konstantin has advised clients on some of the largest M&A transactions in the energy, manufacturing, consumer and banking sectors in the Russian market.

Prior and present positions:

- Partner and Head of Russian Corporate and M&A Practice, Dentons, Moscow, 2019 – present
- Partner and Head of Russia & CIS Desk, Orrick, Moscow and London, 2014 – 2019
- Partner, Jones Day, Moscow, 2011 – 2014
- Partner, Allen & Overy, Moscow, 2008 – 2011
- Associate, Allen & Overy, Moscow and London, 1997 - 2008

Arbitration Experience

Konstantin is a Fellow (FCIArb) of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators (CIArb) and a Vice President of the Russian Chapter of CIArb European Branch, a member of ICC Russia (International Chamber of Commerce) Commission on Arbitration and ICC Russia recommended arbitrator, a member of TIAC's Reserve Panel of Arbitrators, a member of HKIAC's List of Arbitrators, an accredited arbitrator at the Russian Arbitration Center at the Russian Institute of Modern Arbitration (RAC RIMA) and the Arbitration Center at the RSPP, the Russian Union of Industrialists and Entrepreneurs (International and Investment Disputes Panel).

Education Background

- The University of Manchester, LLM, 2001
- Moscow State University, 1998, J.D., Diploma in Law with distinction

Expertise

M&A and JV transactions
Financial and capital markets transactions (debt and equity)
Derivatives
General commercial

Practice Location/ Jurisdiction

Moscow, Russia

Working Languages

English, Russian

Other Relevant Experience

Konstantin is a member of the Commission on the development of arbitration and ADR at the Moscow Branch of the Association of Lawyers of Russia, a member of the Academic Council of the Higher School of Economics Master's Program "International Private Law and International Commercial Arbitration" and a visiting lecturer at Moscow State University, the Higher School of Economics and the Russian Presidential Academy of National Economy and Public Administration.

Konstantin is included to the "Russian Arbitrators Guide: Next Generation" – the first comprehensive guide to the under-45 arbitration practitioners in the Russian market (<http://russianarbitratorsguide.com/arbitrators/profiles/?m=3a693f2d-efb4-4dfc-b0f2-c2c65c8f8c6d>).

Konstantin regularly arbitrates moot courts, including Vis-Moot (Moscow and Shanghai pre-moot), Prof. Mozolin Moot Court of corporate disputes and Prof. Rosenberg Moot Court of international trade disputes.

Examples of Konstantin's client representation and list of publications can be found at <https://www.dentons.com/en/konstantin-kroll>.