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Educational/Professional Memberships

- Ph.D. in Commercial Law, Moscow State University, 2002
- Master of Laws (LL.M.) in International Business Law, University of Leiden (Lugd. Batav.), with honors, 2000
- Law degree, Lomonosov Moscow State University, with honors, 1998
- Advocate, Moscow City Bar

Current Position

Head of Dispute Resolution practice
Partner, Moscow
Hogan Lovells CIS

Professional Experience

- Representing a Central Asian company in the ICC arbitration proceedings with the seat in Singapore against an international company under EPC contract for the installation of a monitoring / control system of gas pipelines.
- Representing one of the international banks in 15 LCIA arbitrations and subsequent local enforcement actions against several companies within the group of a global mining and metals company concerning non-payment of loans and related guarantees worth overall over US\$1,5 bln.
- Advising a major Russian investment company in connection with a US\$200m international investment arbitration claim against a Central Asian state for unlawful expropriation of its investments.
- Acting for a major international company in the cross-border asset-tracing and fraud litigation in connection with the enforcement of an international arbitral award in a US\$90m dispute against shadow directors of a Gibraltar company. The proceedings took place in Gibraltar, Russia, Monaco, Lichtenstein, Switzerland, France and the Cayman Islands.
- Representing The Russian Deposit Insurance Agency (DIA) as a liquidator of Mezhprombank on both the worldwide freezing order to the value of over US\$2bn, and English and Russian proceedings brought by the DIA against Sergey Viktorovich Pugachev, the Russian oligarch, and the former bank's management.
- Advising BTA Bank (Kazakhstan) in asset recovery litigation in Russia concerning fraudulent transactions of more than US\$6bn allegedly entered into by former management. Lead advocate on the US\$730m enforcement of the High Court judgment in the BTA Bank matter, the biggest foreign enforcement judgment allowed by the Russian courts in Russia.
- Advising a number of international and Russian clients on the package of sanctions addressing evolving situation in Ukraine introduced by US and EU as well as Russian retaliatory measures and their impact on companies business in Russia.
- Acting for a CIS football club in a dispute before FIFA regarding the settlement of a claim for a solidarity contribution made in relation to training of a famous football player.
- Acting for two major Russian corporate groups in a number of complex, multi-party LCIA arbitrations and international litigation, including proceedings in Russia, Cyprus, the BVI and the Cayman Islands, in relation to the US\$100m corporate conflict.
- Acting for a major international pharmaceutical company as counsel in an investigation in Russia and the CIS related to the alleged violations of anti-corruption practices.
- Acting for a leading international technology company in connection with the allegations of breach

of the FCPA and the criminal investigation initiated in Europe and the subsequent investigation by the General Prosecutor's Office in Russia.

- Acting for a leading Japanese manufacturer in a series of ICAC arbitration matters and satellite Russian litigation against a Turkish contractor in a number of multi-million contractual disputes.
- Acting for a leading French banking group against a major Russian corporate group in a series of finance disputes worth US\$240m in international arbitration and in the parallel Russian litigation.
- Advising a major Russian uranium trader in US\$1bn international arbitration in the context of the criminal proceedings against a former top Russian government official charged with defrauding the state and breach of state secrets.
- Advising the operator of the major Russian production sharing agreement project in relation to USD multi-million arbitration and litigation dispute in respect of the VAT refund under the production sharing agreement.
- Acting in a US\$21m international arbitration against the subject of the Russian Federation to recover funds under the loan agreement and the international litigation resulting in attachment and subsequent enforcement of the subject's property in the EU, and the precedent setting judgment of the Russian courts declining to adjudicate the claim to invalidate the loan agreement in the Russian courts brought by the Russian state prosecutor. The courts held that the prosecutor acting as a 'procedural' claimant in the interests of the subject of the Russian Federation was also bound by the arbitration clause of the loan agreement and that the matter should be resolved by the LCIA arbitration.
- Advising and representing a EU company on the enforcement of its security, court proceedings, and the Russian liquidation process in connection with a fraudulent transfer of the assets.
- Advising an international oil company under Russian law in connection with the UNCITRAL arbitration brought by two Russian regions for the alleged breach by the company of a production sharing agreement.
- Advising a major Russian telecom operator in connection with a potential LCIA arbitration on US\$50m relating to the acquisition of telecommunication assets.
- Advising a major Russian telecommunication company in connection with a possible LCIA arbitration related to the breach of warranties under the sale of another major Russian telecommunication network.
- Acting for a leading Russian investment group in LCIA arbitration in a corporate dispute over the breach of a corporate guarantee.
- Acting for a major Russian developer in complex, multi-party LCIA arbitration and international litigation in relation to the corporate conflict between two major Russian corporate groups.
- Advising a major international developer in relation to the dispute with a Russian company in connection with the lease of premises and an LCIA arbitration.
- Advising a major international construction company in connection with a dispute under the Rules of the Arbitration Institute of the Stockholm Chamber of Commerce regarding the construction of several mega-malls in a number of Russian regions.
- Advising a leading UK investment group on arbitration and other contentious and regulatory issues related to a major Moscow real estate project.

Arbitration Experience

- Acted as counsel in international arbitration matters under the LCIA, SCC, ICC, ICAC and ad hoc rules
- Acted as an arbitrator in the ICAC proceedings
- Acted as an expert witness in Russian law in the LCIA proceedings
- Accredited arbitrator in the Kazakhstan International Arbitration
- 2013-2015: Vice Chairman, Arbitrators Nominating Committee, Russian Arbitration Association
- 2011-2013: ICC Advanced Arbitration Academy, diploma
- 1999-2000: member of the working group on drafting ICAC Conciliation Rules, the first set of mediation rules in Russia
- 1998-2000: International Commercial Arbitration Court at the Russian Federation Chamber of Commerce and Industry, Rapporteur

Publications

- Russian Regulation on Antimonopoly vs. Anticorruption Law: Tensions on the Rise (co-authored with A. Smirnov). Hogan Lovells. July 2015
- Global Bribery and Corruption Review 2014. Hogan Lovells. January 2015 (Russian regional report)
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- Breaking the deadlock – can Russia and Cyprus' business partnership survive the island's banking crisis? Legal Week. 17 May 2013 (co-authored with A. Gamble).
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- Hardship in Contract: The Approach of the UNIDROIT Principles and Legal Developments in Russia, 3 Uniform Law Review 483 - 509 (2000)
- Schmitthoff Conference. Law and trade in the 21st century – legal problems in international business at the dawn of the new millennium. Notice. 5(2) Uniform Law Review 286-293 (2000)
- Contract under substantial change of circumstances, 11 Khozyaistvo i pravo, 31-36 (1999)
- Conciliation procedure as a method of dispute resolution international trade, 9 Yuridicheskiy mir, 4-10 (1999)
- Review. Peter Nygh. Autonomy in international contracts. 1999. 4 (4) Uniform Law Review 1065-1066 (1999)
- Contractual terms on hardship, 8 Yuridicheskiy mir, 38-44 (1998)

Languages

Russian, English