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Educational/Professional Memberships

Law Degree (J.D. equivalent), Escuela Libre de Derecho (ELD), Mexico City, 1979.

Doctorate of Law in Commercial & European Law Studies (Ph.D. equivalent), Université de Droit, d'Economie et de Sciences Sociales, Paris, 1983.

Vice President of the International Court of Arbitration (2006 - present).

Co-Chair of the Arbitration Committee of the International Bar Association (IBA) (2005 - 2006).

Arbitrator designated to ICSID's Panel of Arbitrators (2011- present)

Chairman of the Mexican Bar Association (BMA) (2001 - 2002).

Arbitration Court of the ICC (ICC) (1982-1988).

President of the Arbitration Commission, Mexican Chapter ICC (1987 - present).

Board of Directors AAA (2003 - present).

Mexican Mediation Institute (IMM) (2000 - present).

LCIA the Latin American Council (LCIA) (1998 - 2009).

Fellow of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators (CI Arb) (1998 - present).

Chair of the Mediation Sub Committee of the International Bar Association (IBA) (2003 - 2004).

Arbitration professor at the Escuela Libre de Derecho (ELD).

Current Position

Managing Partner of the law firm Von Wobeser & Sierra, S.C., in México

Professional Experience

Managing partner of Von Wobeser y Sierra with almost 40 years of experience in advising both multinational Fortune 500 clients as well as governments.

Currently acts and has acted as counsel and arbitrator appointed by international companies and governments involved in international investor-state or commercial disputes. Also, has a strong background in corporate as well as litigation matters and has been the leader in some of the most groundbreaking transactions taking place in Latin America and Mexico during the past 30 years.

Representative work includes advising Anheuser Busch Inbev in its recent acquisition of Grupo Modelo for 20.1 billion and counselling The Coca Cola Company in several of its many and distinct key strategic M&A deals.

Arbitration Experience

Represents and has represented Mexican and foreign companies in important international arbitrations as per the rules of the ICC, AAA, UNCITRAL Arbitration Rules, ICSID, NAFTA and Mex.-Spain Bilateral Investment Treaty.

Acts and has acted as expert witness on Mexican and International Law in several international arbitrations as well as in U.S. and English Courts.

Serves and has been appointed as arbitrator under the rules of the ICC, AAA, ICDR, Inter-American Commercial Arbitration Commission, NAFTA chapter XI, ICSID and ICSID Additional Facility Mechanism, Hong Kong International Arbitration Centre, LCIA and Energy Charter Treaty.

Acted as ad hoc judge of the Interamerican Human Rights Court.

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