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### Educational/Professional Memberships

**B.Sc (Hons), LL.B, BL, LL.M, SAN, FCI Arb (UK), Chartered Arbitrator**

#### PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

Member, ICC International Court of Arbitration, Paris  
 Vice-Chair- Arbitration Commission of the International Chamber of Commerce – Nigerian National Committee (ICCN)  
 Member – International Council of Commercial Arbitration (ICCA)  
 Vice-chair ICC Commission on Arbitration, Paris, France  
 Member, London Court of International Arbitration (LCIA)

#### INTERNATIONAL BAR ASSOCIATION

(i) Former Vice-Chair of the Arbitration Committee of the IBA (2006-2008)  
 (ii) Member of the IBA Task Force on Ad Hoc Arbitrator’s Terms  
 (iii) Member of the IBA Task Force on the implementation of the New York Convention.  
 (iv) CO-chair, IBA Africa Arbitration Group  
 (v) Member of the Arbitration, Mediation, SEERIL, Telecommunications, Maritime, Capital Markets Committees of the IBA.  
 - Member – Chartered Institute of Arbitrators, Nigerian Branch  
 - Treasurer – ICC Nigerian National Committee  
 - Member of : the Advisory Board of the Journal of International Arbitration, the Lagos Chamber of Commerce and Industry, Capital Markets Solicitors Association, Nigerian Society of International Law, Nigerian Bar Association

### Current Position

Lawyer, International Arbitrator, Investment Consultant and Managing Partner, Dorothy Ufot & Co

### Professional Experience

International and Domestic Arbitration, Enforcement of Foreign Arbitral Awards, Litigation, Documentation of International Contracts, Oil & Gas, Joint Ventures, Securities and Capital Market Operations, Mergers & Acquisitions, Foreign Investments Consulting (FDI & FPI), Divestments, Banking & Finance, Sales and Distribution Contracts, Insolvency, Shipping, Corporate/Commercial Law.

### Arbitration Experience

Practical experience in both Institutional and Ad-hoc Arbitration having received several appointments as an Arbitrator from reputable arbitral institutions, Federal Government Parastatals, Major Multinational Oil Corporations, State Governments, Private and Public Limited Liability Companies in Domestic and International Construction Projects, Oil & Gas, Energy, LNG, Infrastructure Development Projects, Dredging Contracts, Telecommunications, Financial Services and Capital Market disputes, with the value of the disputes ranging from Four Billion Naira to USD 400 Million.

### **Publications**

1. Author of the Global Arbitration Review's (GAR) International Arbitration know-how Nigeria Chapter which can be viewed at the GAR Website at <http://www.globalarbitrationreview.com/know-how/topics/61jurisdiction/18/nigeria/>
2. Author of the Nigerian chapter of Getting The Deal Through Investment Treaty Arbitration, 2015.
3. Author of the Nigerian Chapter of Getting The Deal Through Arbitration 2014 and 2015.
4. Author of the ILO's legal Newsletter updates on International Arbitration – Nigeria Chapter which can be viewed at the ILO Website at <http://www.internationallawoffice.com/newsletters/details.aspx?r=25386>
5. The influence of the New York Convention on the development of International Arbitration in Nigeria.  
Journal of International Arbitration Volume 25, Number 6, December 2008. Published in Commemoration of the 50th Anniversary of the New York Convention 1958.

### **Languages**

Proficient in spoken and written English Language