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### **Educational/Professional Memberships**

B.A. Honours Jurisprudence, Worcester College, Oxford University, 1993  
Legal Practice Course, College of Law, Guildford, 1994  
Qualified Solicitor, England and Wales, 1997  
DIFC Courts, Registered Advocate  
International Centre for Dispute Resolution (ICDR), panel of international arbitrators  
Dubai International Arbitration Centre, listed as an Arbitrator  
Energy Arbitrators List, listed as arbitrator  
CPR Panel of Distinguished Neutrals  
Houston Maritime Arbitrators Association, listed in Roster of Arbitrators  
LCIA (London Court of International Arbitration)  
HKIAC List of Arbitrators  
Saudi Center for Commercial Arbitration, Roster of Arbitrators  
Emirates Maritime Arbitration Centre, Panel of Arbitrators

### **Current Position**

Partner, K&L Gates LLP, Dubai office

### **Professional Experience**

Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer, trainee solicitor, associate and senior associate, 1995-2005; London and New York.  
Fulbright & Jaworski LLP, senior associate and partner, 2005-2013; Houston, London and Dubai.  
Baker Botts LLP, partner, 2013-2018; Dubai.  
K&L Gates LLP, partner, 2018 to present.

### **Arbitration Experience**

- Sat as sole arbitrator, chair and co-arbitrator in ICC, DIAC, DIFC-LCIA, ADCCAC and ad hoc arbitrations
- Representing a Gulf country government organ in an *ad hoc* arbitration regarding the construction of a major social infrastructure project regarding claims for acceleration and prolongation costs
- Representing a contractor in a DIFC seat arbitration under the DIFC-LCIA rules relating to a dispute with a joint venture partner concerning MEP works for an airport
- Representing a Gulf country individual and sports club against their former adviser in a London seat LCIA arbitration regarding a sports-related development project and in English court proceedings
- Representing the Employer in a Dubai seat ICC arbitration involving a mixed-use tower in Dubai regarding claims for extensions of time, prolongation costs and counterclaims for liquidated damages and other losses
- Representing the Employer in a Dubai seat DIAC arbitration against the Contractor regarding the construction of a large scale residential housing project in Dubai concerning issues of delay, prolongation costs and variations
- Representing an hotel owner in a Cairo seat UNCITRAL arbitration against an international hotel management company regarding the termination of an hotel management agreement concerning an hotel in Cairo
- Representing an international organization in an UNCITRAL arbitration regarding the supply of goods and services by a Saudi Arabian company
- Representing a major U.S. oilfield services company in an Houston seat ICC arbitration against its joint venture partner concerning an oilfield services joint venture in the Middle East
- Representing a purchaser of units in the Burj Khalifa in a Dubai seat DIAC arbitration regarding cancelation of the purchase and payment issues
- Representing the seller of a Russian mobile telephone retail business in linked London seat LCIA arbitrations concerning payment and breach of warranty issues
- Representing a major U.S. chemicals manufacturer in a London seat ICC arbitration against its joint venture partner concerning a chemicals manufacturing joint venture in the Middle East
- Advising a global telecommunications company on enforcement of a foreign arbitral award and a foreign court judgment in the UK
- Representing a U.S. oil company in a London seat LCIA arbitration concerning a Joint Operating Agreement drilling costs dispute in respect of an oilfield offshore West Africa
- Advising a Chinese State-owned company in relation to a London seat LCIA arbitration involving 3D seismic survey services in connection with a proposed investment by the State-owned company in an oil field in Central Africa
- Representing a U.S. energy company in an ICSID arbitration in respect of its investment during privatization in an electricity generating company in a Latin American State arising out of additional tax assessments imposed by the State
- Acting for a Russian energy company in a London seat LCIA arbitration arising from its merger with another Russian energy company
- Representing a Russian energy company in a London seat UNCITRAL arbitration relating to crude oil supplies to a Central European oil refiner
- Acting for a Swiss oil trading company in a London seat UNCITRAL arbitration relating to crude oil supplies to a Central European oil refiner
- Acting for a U.S. energy company in its ICSID arbitration relating to gas transportation assets against a Latin American State under a bilateral investment treaty
- Acting for an international consortium in a Geneva seat ICC arbitration against a State relating to the transfer of power stations to private operation
- Representing a client in an ad hoc London seat insurance arbitration involving a number of major insurance entities in relation to claims of £500 million
- Advising a paper industry client on its potential claims against a Central Asian State under a bilateral investment treaty
- Defending an energy client in an UNCITRAL arbitration commenced by its drilling rig construction contractor
- Representing a South Asian State in an ICSID arbitration commenced by a Swiss entity under a bilateral investment treaty
- Representing a Spanish film distributor in a number of Los Angeles seat American Film Marketing Association arbitrations concerning the distribution of over 15 motion pictures and other programs

- Representing an African government authority in a Paris seat ICC arbitration relating to the construction of roads in the African State by an European contractor
- Acting for a U.S. medical products company in a Japan Commercial Arbitration Association arbitration against its joint venture partner in Japan
- Representing a U.S. entity providing business outplacement and counseling services in an AAA arbitration against its Japanese licensee
- Acting for an oil company in a London seat multi-party UNCITRAL arbitration against the operator of a Latin American offshore oilfield relating to cost-overruns under the Joint Operating Agreement
- Acting for a Middle Eastern energy company in a London seat LCIA arbitration relating to a fuel oil pipeline project in Pakistan
- Acting for a Western European State electricity body in a London seat arbitration concerning the long-term supply of liquefied natural gas from Africa under a take or pay contract

## Publications

- "Saudi Arabia," *The Dispute Resolution Review – 5th Edition*, February 2013 (co-author 2nd Edition, 2010, 3rd Edition, 2011 and 4th Edition, 2012)
- Chapter on International Arbitration - Liquefied Natural Gas (LNG): Outside Counsel Perspective, *International Commercial Arbitration Practice: 21st Century Perspectives*, 2010 (co-author)
- "Witness Evidence: Written or Oral, Who asks the Questions?" *Schriftenreihe der Deutschen Institution für Schiedsgerichtsbarkeit (German Institute of Arbitration)*, Vol. 26, on *The Taking of Evidence in International Commercial Arbitration*, pp. 33-43, April 2010 (co-author)
- "Effect of Party Insolvency on Arbitration Proceedings: Pause for Thought in Testing Times," *Transnational Dispute Management*, Vol. 7, Issue 1, April 2010; also published by the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators in *Arbitration*, Vol. 76, pp. 277-290, May 2010 (co-author)
- "Enforcement of Foreign Arbitral Awards in Russia: Improving, But Still Uncertain," *Oil, Gas & Energy Law Intelligence*, Vol. 7 - Issue 2, OGEL special issue on EU-Russia relations, May 2009 (co-author)
- "Dissenting Opinions in Arbitration Awards: More Trouble Than They are Worth?" *Mealey's International Arbitration Report*, Vol. 24, No. 5, May 2009 (co-author)
- "UK looks set to hang on to major arbitration role," *Insurance Day*, February 13, 2009 (co-author)
- Practice Note on "Hybrid, multi-tiered and carve out dispute resolution clauses," *PLC Arbitration*, February 2009 (co-author)
- "Arbitration and New Technologies: Electronic Disclosure in International Arbitration," *The International Comparative Legal Guide to: International Arbitration 2008*; also published in *CDR News*, March 2009 (co-author)
- "UNCITRAL Arbitration: New Rules on Transparency?" *Mealey's International Arbitration Report*, Vol. 23, No. 5, May 2008 (co-author)
- "Dell - The Case of the Hyper-Linked Arbitration Clause," *Mealey's International Arbitration Report*, Vol. 22, No. 11, November 2007 (co-author)
- "Interviewing Prospective Arbitrators," *Mealey's International Arbitration Report*, Vol. 22, No. 8, August 2007
- "Protecting Foreign Investments - Contract or Treaty?" *ICC UK Handbook*, 2005 (co-author)
- Contributed substantial research to 4th edition of Redfern & Hunter, *Law and Practice of International Commercial Arbitration*, 2004
- Author, chapter on *The Award in The Practitioner's Handbook on International Arbitration and Mediation*, 2002 (now in 3rd Edition, 2012)
- "The Operator's Limitation of Liability Under the 1995 AIPN Model Form International Operating Agreement - Have We Gone Too Far?" *AIPN Advisor* No. 213, November 2001; *Landman*, May/June 2002 (co-author)
- "Bilateral Investment Treaty Arbitration," *The Romanian Digest*, Vol. VII No. 4, April 2002 (co-author)
- "The 'Americanization' of International Arbitration?" *Mealey's International Arbitration Report*, Vol. 16, No. 4, April 2001 (co-author)
- "Force Majeure Events Overseas Can Leave Investors Poorer," *Energy Law*, July 23, 1998 (co-author)

## Languages

English

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