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Educational/Professional Memberships

Education

- LLM (Master of Laws) - Harvard Law School (2004)
- LLB (Bachelor of Laws) - University of the Philippines (Cum Laude, 1996)
- BS Biology (Bachelor of Science) - University of the Philippines (Magna Cum Laude, 1991)

Professional Membership

- National Secretary, Integrated Bar of the Philippines [IBP] (July 2015-present)
- Trustee & Corporate Secretary, Philippine Dispute Resolution Center, Inc. [PDRCI] (July 2013 – present)
- Trustee (and former Corporate Secretary), UP Women Lawyer’s Circle [WILOCI] (2012 to present)
- Member (and former Chairperson for ADR Committee), Philippine Bar Association (2010 to present)
- Member, International Council for Commercial Arbitration (ICCA) (2013 to present)
- Philippine Delegate, International Chamber of Commerce (ICC) – Commercial Crime Services FRAUDNET (2011 to present)
- Philippine Member/Delegate - ADR Standing Committee, ASEAN Law Association (2007 to present)

Current Position

Ms. Prodigalidad is a Senior Partner at the Angara Abello Concepcion Regala & Cruz (ACCRALAW), one of the largest institutional law firms in the Philippines. In addition to being a member of ACCRALAW’s Litigation and Dispute Resolution Department, Ms. Prodigalidad is an arbitrator of the PDRCI and the Philippine Construction Industry Arbitration Commission (CIAC). In 2013, Ms. Prodigalidad passed the *Fédération Internationale Des Ingénieurs-Conseils* (FIDIC) Dispute Board Adjudicator Assessment Workshop sponsored by FIDIC and the Japanese International Cooperation Agency and was one of four (4) Philippine delegates accredited as a dispute board adjudicator.

Professional Experience

Ms. Prodigalidad is actively in a variety of cases but specializes primarily in commercial litigation with particular focus on cross-border issues (intra-corporate disputes; banking, investments and securities; project finance; antitrust and competition issues; corporate rehabilitation and insolvency) and criminal matters relating to corporate activity (including white collar and other business-related crimes; anti-money laundering; anti-corruption and other FCPA issues). In addition, Ms. Prodigalidad has significant experience in the field of environmental law and construction. She headed the team of lawyers that drafted the Construction Contract and Project Conditions of Contract, based on FIDIC EPC template, for the South Metro Manila Skyway Stage 2 Project.

As to ADR, Ms. Prodigalidad encourages the availment of various modes of alternative dispute resolution (negotiation, mediation and arbitration particularly) and has successfully settled a substantial number of her contentious cases. Ms. Prodigalidad further assisted the Technical Working Group formed by the Philippine Department of Justice, which group drafted the Implementing Rules of Republic Act No. 9285, otherwise known as the Philippine ADR Act of 2004.

Arbitration Experience

Ms. Prodigalidad is involved in international commercial, domestic and construction arbitration. She has advised and handled, as an advocate, *ad hoc* and institutional (SIAC, ICC, HKIAC, PDRCI, CIAC) arbitrations involving primarily construction (both vertical and horizontal and whether arising from the principal construction contract or a subcontract). She has also handled and/or advised on arbitrations relating to infrastructure, property development, project finance, mining, supply and distribution agreements, telecommunications, and transportation. She has served as a co-arbitrator in an international commercial arbitration involving mining and investment agreements, which was administered by the PDRCI and chaired an arbitral tribunal in an *ad hoc* proceeding involving a distributorship agreement. She is currently the chair of a tribunal in a CIAC-administered arbitration involving dredging activities in a major harbour in the Philippines.

Publications

Ms. Prodigalidad has authored various scholarly articles relating to ADR, in general, and arbitration, specifically. In addition, she has written articles on antitrust law and intellectual property law. Among the ADR related publications are the following:

- (1) ***“ARBITRATION IN THE PHILIPPINES”***, co-authored with Victor P. Lazatin and published in ***“INTERNATIONAL COMMERCIAL ARBITRATION IN ASIA”***, eds. Ali, Shahla F. and T.B. Ginsburg, Juris Publishing Inc. (U.S.A., 2013);
- (2) ***“RECOGNITION AND ENFORCEMENT OF FOREIGN ARBITRAL AWARDS IN THE PHILIPPINES: CHALLENGES AFTER THE 2009 SPECIAL ADR RULES”***, Asian International Arbitration Journal, Vol. 6, No. 2, PAGES 101-133 (November 2010); and,
- (3) ***“ARBITRATION IN THE PHILIPPINES”***, co-authored with Victor P. Lazatin and published in ***“INTERNATIONAL COMMERCIAL ARBITRATION IN ASIA”***, eds. McConnaughay, P.J. and T.B. Ginsburg, Juris Publishing Inc. (U.S.A., 2002).

Ms. Prodigalidad has likewise published articles and, in various fora, delivered lectures and participated as a panellist on, among others, arbitration (such as enforcement of arbitral awards, interim measures of protection, and judicial intervention in Philippine ADR system,), competition law, debtor-creditor relations and remedies, corporate rehabilitation, intracorporate disputes, and insolvency.

Languages

English and Filipino