

**ARBITRATORS CAS ADD LISTS****I. Panel Presidents / Sole Arbitrators (not eligible for party nominations)**

Ms Susan Ahern SC (1972)

**Barrister (Ireland)** Eng  
Dublin / Ireland

Barrister at the Bar of Ireland; Arbitrator/Mediator at 33 Bedford Row, London Chambers (Door tenant); Chair of Cycling Ireland Audit Finance & Risk Committee of (2022- ); Senior Independent Director of the host organization for the 2023 Cycling World Championships (Scotland) (2022- ); EU Expert (sport), EU Commission appointment (EX2017D310797) (2021- ); Independent Deputy Chair of Irish Horseracing Regulatory Board Appeals Body (2021- ); Independent Judicial Chair at World Wheelchair Rugby (2020- ); Arbitrator at Sports Dispute Solutions Ireland (SDSI) (2020- ); Member of the Irish Bookmakers Appeal Committee (2020- ); Chair of the Sports Law Bar Association of Ireland (SLBA) (2020- ); Former Chair of Olympic Council of Ireland Judicial Committee; Former Executive Committee Member, Olympic Council of Ireland (2004-2014); Former international volleyball player for Ireland.

Mr David Benck (1967)

**Attorney-at-law (USA / Luxembourg)** Eng  
Birmingham, AL / USA

J.D.1993, University of Alabama; Attorney-at-law; General Counsel for Hibbett Sports; American Arbitration Association/International Centre for Dispute Resolution: Council Member, Co-Chair of Large Case Committee, and Co-Chair of the National Sports Advisory Committee; Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta, Board of Directors (Birmingham); Inaugural Member of the National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA), Independent Resolution Panel; USA Gymnastics, Former Member of Board of Directors; The World Games 2021 Birmingham, Founder and Board of Directors; The World Game 2017 Wroclaw, Anti-Doping Observer; US Anti-Doping Agency, Former Member of the Anti-Doping Review Board; Sports Lawyers Association, Member; Association of Corporate Counsel; Sport & Entertainment Lawyers Committee.

Mr John F. Boultee (1950)

**Lawyer (Australia)** Fr/Eng/Deu  
Sydney / Australia

Former Chief Executive of the National Sports Tribunal of Australia; LL.M – Master of Laws, London University; Former Barrister, former Secretary General of World Rowing (FISA); Former Director of the Australian Institute of Sport; Former Head of National Teams for Football Australia; Former High Performance Director of Volleyball Australia; Council Member of FISA 1998-2014, Executive Board Member of FISA 2004-2014, Chair of FISA Anti-Doping Tribunal 2014-2020; Member of the CAS Anti-Doping Division for the Olympic Winter Games Beijing 2022.

Mr Daniel F. Brent (1945)

**Attorney-at-law (USA)** Eng  
Princeton / USA

Juris Doctor; Full-time arbitrator and mediator since 1976; Member of the National Academy of Arbitrators; Arbitrator of salary disputes between the Major League Baseball and the Major League Baseball Players Association; Formerly Member of the Salary Arbitration Panel between the National Hockey League and the NHL Players Association; Arbitrator for the US Anti-Doping Agency.

Mr Patrice M. Brunet (1969)

**Attorney-at-law (Canada)** Fr/Eng  
Montréal / Canada

Attorney-at-law; Arbitrator with the Sport Dispute Resolution Centre of Canada (SDRCC) (1995- ); Lawyer/Ombudsperson for Canada at Olympic Games (1996, 2002, 2006); Session Member Canadian Olympic Committee; Former Legal Adviser to the ITU; Past President/Vice-President of national and provincial sports organizations.

Mr Paul David (1956)

**Barrister (United Kingdom)** Fr/Eng  
Auckland / New Zealand

Barrister in New Zealand, England and Wales; Senior Counsel; Chair of various sports disciplinary tribunals; Former Independent Counsel to Drug Free Sport New Zealand (2002–2019); Also represented athletes in anti-doping proceedings; Author of A Guide to the World Anti-Doping Code (Cambridge University Press).

Dr Bruno Di Pietro (1968)

**Lawyer (Italy)** It/Eng/Fr/Sp  
Rome / Italy

International PhD in law, Catholic University San Antonio of Murcia, Spain; Adjoint Professor of Civil Process Law at the University of Naples; Legal Advisor of the International Federation of Sports Medicine (2011- ); President of the Anti-Doping Commission of the Italian Federation of Sports Medicine (2017- ); Former Judge of the Federal Court of the Italian Swimming Federation (2012-2014).

Prof. Dr. Jens Ewald (1961)

**Professor (Denmark / New Zealand)** Eng  
Aarhus / Denmark

Dr. of Law, Professor (Sports Law); Former Head of Sports Law Research Unit, Institute of Law, Aarhus University; Former Member of the Board of the Institute of Sport (1998-2007); Former Chairman of the Dispute Resolution Committee, Danish Kayak & Canoe Federation (2000-2019); Former Vice Chairman Danish Sports Law Association (2001-2005); Former Chairman of the Board of Anti-Doping Denmark (2006-2012); Co-draftsman of the Ethics Code for Danish Competitive Sport (2007); Former Member the Political Commission, Danish Football Association (DBU) (2016-2017); Former Chairman of the Ethics Committee, the National Olympic Committee and Sports Confederation of Denmark; CAS Member (2015- ); Member of the CAS Anti-Doping Division at the Winter Olympic Games in Pyeongchang (2018); Member of the CAS Anti-Doping Division at the Asian Games, 2023, Hangzhou, China; Member of the CAS Anti-Doping Division at the Summer Olympic Games in Paris, 2024 (remote).

The Hon. Justice Hugh L. Fraser (1952)

**Judge (Canada)** Eng  
Ottawa / Canada

Chair, Board of Directors, Hockey Canada (2022- ); Arbitrator and Supernumerary Judge (2017- ); Former Judge at the Ontario Court of Justice 1993-2016; Former Member of the Canadian Human Rights Tribunal; Former Member of the Dubin Commission on Performance Enhancing Drugs in Sport; Adjunct Law Professor, and guest lecturer on legal aspects of sport; Competed in Olympics, Commonwealth Games, Pan American Games and International University Sports Federation (FISU) Games; Bronze medalist, 1975 Pan American Games; Chef de mission, Canadian team at the World Athletics Championships (1983); Former President, Sports Federation of Canada; Member of the CAS ad hoc Division for the Rio 2016 Olympic Games; Member of the IAAF Disciplinary Tribunal.

Mr David Grace QC (1953)

**Barrister and Solicitor (Australia)** Eng  
Melbourne / Australia

Master of laws; Queens Counsel; Barrister; Co-Chair, Criminal Law Committee Law Council of Australia; Member, Court of Honour and former Vice-President of Maccabi World Union; Director of Athletics Australia; Team Advocate of Australian Olympic Team Athens 2004; Member of CAS ad hoc Divisions Commonwealth Games Melbourne 2006 and Winter Olympic Games Vancouver 2010; President of Athletics Australia; Member of the IAAF Disciplinary Tribunal.

Mr Lachlan V. Gyles SC (1963)

**Barrister (Australia)** Eng  
Sydney / Australia

Barrister; Senior Counsel; Chairman Football Australia Disciplinary and Ethics Committee; Principal Member Thoroughbred Racing Appeals Tribunal (NSW); Acting Chairman National Rugby League Anti-Doping Tribunal and Appeals Committee; Judiciary Counsel National Rugby League Tribunal; Cricket NSW Disciplinary Sub-Committee.

Mr Pekka Ilmivalta (1970)

**Lawyer (Finland)** Eng  
Veikkaus / Finland

Head of Office, Nordic Legal & Compliance Finland Oy (2024- ); Former Executive Director of the Finnish Floorball Federation (2020-2024); Former Board member of Finnish Hockey League Ltd; Former President of Finnish Antidoping Agency (FINADA, 2012-2017); Former Chairman of Finnish Antidoping Panel (2008-2011), Former Member of Disciplinary Committee of Finnish Hockey League (1999-2008); Former arbitrator of the Arbitration Panel for Sports in Finland (2004-2008) and Former President of Finnish Ice Hockey Players' Association (2002-2004).

Dr Cristian Jura (1972)

**Lawyer (Romania)** Eng  
Bucharest / Romania

PhD in law; Lawyer; State Secretary; Professor of Public International Law; Legal Consultant, Amateurs and Non-Amateurs Football Players Association (ANAFPA); Arbitrator at The Court of International Commercial Arbitration, the Chamber of Commerce and Industry of Romania; Member of the Appeal Commission of National Anti-Doping Agency of Romania; Member in various anti-doping structures at international level; Member of European Commission against Racism and Intolerance (ECRI) at the Council of Europe.

Mr Markus Manninen (1977)

**Attorney-at-law (Finland)** Eng  
Helsinki / Finland

Attorney-at-law, L.L. Lic., M.Sc. (Econ.); Partner, Dispute Resolution, Hannes Snellman Attorneys Ltd, Helsinki, Finland; Chairman of the Regulation and Disciplinary Unit of the Finnish Basketball Association; Former Chairman of the Disciplinary Committee of the Football Association of Finland (2017-2022); Former member of the UFC and IRONMAN Arbitration Panels (2016-2021); Former member of the IBU Anti-Doping Hearing Panel (2014-2019); Former Chairman of the Finnish Center for Integrity in Sports FINCIS' Anti-Doping Supervisory Board (2015-2020); Former Vice Chairman of the Disciplinary Board of the Finnish Bar Association (2014-2018); Member of the CAS Anti-Doping Division at the Winter Olympic Games in PyeongChang (2018) and at the Summer Olympic Games in Paris (2024).

Prof. Matthew Mitten (1959)

**Professor of law (USA)** Eng  
Chicago / USA

Professor of Law and Executive Director, National Sports Law Institute at Marquette University Law School (Milwaukee, Wisconsin); Member of the American Arbitration Association (sports, commercial, and consumer arbitration matters), Fair Sports College Sports, JAMS Sports Program, and New Era arbitration and mediation panels as well as the Professional Fighters League and UFC anti-doping arbitration panels; Emeritus member, Board of Directors and former President (May 2015- May 2017), Sports Lawyers Association (USA); Former Professor of Law at South Texas College of Law (Houston, Texas); Former Attorney with Kilpatrick Townsend, LLP (Atlanta, Georgia); Former Chair, National Collegiate Athletic Association Competitive Safeguards and Medical Aspects of Sports Committee; Member, CAS Anti-Doping Division for the Olympic Games in Paris (2024) and Tokyo (2020) and CAS ad hoc Division for Winter Olympic Games in Sochi (2014).

Ms Petra Pocrnic Perica (1981)

**Arbitrator (Croatia)** Eng  
Gingins / Switzerland

PhD International Private Law, University of Zagreb; Academic Director (Master - International Sports Law) with the Swiss School of Business and Management Geneva (2020- ); Head of the Centre for Sports Law with the Croatian Olympic Committee (2013- ); Head of the Legal Department of the Croatian Olympic Academy (2013- ); President of the Arbitration Division at the Croatian Association for Civil Law (2016- ); Member delegate to the Council of Europe; Lecturer and professor; Former arbitrator at the Croatian Football Federation (2015-2018); Former Anti-Doping Appeal Committee member, NADO Croatia (2014-2019).

Ms Carol L. Roberts (1957)

**Arbitrator (Canada)** Eng  
Vancouver / Canada

Lawyer, Chartered Arbitrator and Mediator covering a variety of areas including sports, employment, human rights and personal injury; Member of the British Columbia International Commercial Arbitrator Centre's domestic and international arbitration and mediation panels; Member of the Sport Dispute Resolution Centre of Canada; Member of the anti-doping arbitration panels for the Ultimate Fighting Championships and the World Triathlon Corporation; Member of the CAS ad hoc Division for the Rio 2016 Olympic Games and the 2018 Pyeongchang Games; Figure Skating Judge for over 30 years with Skate Canada; Member of the International Floorball Federation's Ethics Commission.

Mr Murray Rosen QC (1953)

**Attorney-at-law (United Kingdom)** Eng  
London / United Kingdom

Deputy High Court Judge; Chancery Recorder; Arbitrator and Mediator; Barrister; Founding Chairman of the Bar Sports Law Group; Former Chairman and Director of the British Association for Sport & Law; Panel Chair with Sports Resolutions UK and the FA Disciplinary Commission.

Ms Hilikka Salmenkylä (1956)

**Attorney-at-law (Finland)** Eng  
Helsinki / Finland

Attorney-at-law at Juhani Salmenkylä Ky; Practising as a private attorney (1979- ); Member of the Board of the Finnish Association for Sports and Law; Former Member of the Board of the Finnish Antidoping Agency (FINADA); Arbitrator of the Finnish Sports Arbitration Board.

Ms Sylvia Schenk (1952)

**Attorney-at-law (Germany)** Eng/Deu  
Frankfurt-am-Main / Germany

Consultant / Attorney at Herbert Smith Freehills LLP; Labour Court Judge at the Labour Court Offenbach/Main (1979-1989); City Councillor for Legal Affairs, Housing and Sports, City of Frankfurt (1989-2001); 1972 German Champion 800m Athletics and participant Olympic Games Munich; Member of the Management Committee of the International Cycling Federation (UCI) (2000-2005) and of FIFA's Human Rights Advisory Board (2017-2020); Member of the External Judicial Experts Group of the Badminton World Federation (BWF), the Ethics Commission of the International Floorball Federation (IFF) and independent member of the IOC Advisory Committee on Human Rights.

The Hon. Patrick Smith (1949)

**Judge (Canada)** Eng  
Pass Lake, ON / Canada

J.D. University of Western Ontario; Canadian federally-appointed Judge of the Ontario Superior Court of Justice (2001-2019); Canadian federally-appointed Judge of the Territory of Nunavut (2010- ); Vice President of the International Ski Federation (FIS) (2018- ); FIS Council Member (2001- ); Chair of the FIS Anti-Doping panel since its inception; Former Chair of the FIS Legal Advisory Group and Member of the FIS Legal Committee; Former member of the Canadian freestyle ski association appeal tribunal.

Ms Martina Spreitzer-Kropiunik (1967)

**Judge (Austria)** Deu/Eng  
Vienna / Austria

Vice President of the Vienna Criminal Court, Vienna, Austria (2020-); Judge (president of a panel and single judge) at the Vienna Criminal Court (1995- ); Specialized in corruption, doping, drugs, organized crime and safeguarding and/or questioning vulnerable persons in hearings; Elected member of the EOC Ethics Commission (2021- ); Graduate of the FIFA Legal Executive Programme in Anti-Doping (2021); Member of the CAS Anti-Doping Division for the Olympic Winter Games Beijing 2022 and Olympic Games Paris 2024.

Dr Marco Steiner (1978)

**Lawyer (Switzerland)** Deu/Eng/Fr  
Krattigen and Lausanne / Switzerland

Founder and owner of korave.ch (2019- ); Managing Director of the International Boxing Association's Boxing Independent Integrity Unit (2023- ); Former Clerk with the Appeals Commission of the Aargau Football Association (2015-2023); Former Legal Counsel at litigating law firms (2017-2020); Former member of the Court of Arbitration of the International Canoe Federation (2009-2020); Former Deputy Director and Head Testing, Intelligence & Science at Antidoping Switzerland Foundation (2008-2017); Former Legal Counsel and Member of the Commission for the fight against doping of Swiss Olympic Association (2007-2008).

Mr Ercus Stewart (1949)

**Barrister (Ireland)** Fr/Eng  
Dublin / Ireland

Senior Counsel (Barrister) practising since 1970; Chartered arbitrator, C.I.Arb., London; Lecturer in law and arbitration at University College Dublin, Kings Inn (law school), Dublin 7, and Dublin Institute of Technology; Fellow, Chartered Institute of Arbitrators; Chairman JUST SPORT IRELAND, Sports Arbitration; Diploma in International Arbitration (UCD and DIT); Former Chairman, Broadcasting Complaints Commission; Committee Member, Irish Sports Council.

Mr John T. Wendt (1951)

**Professor (USA)** Eng  
Minneapolis / USA

B.A. Summa Cum Laude in Humanities, University of Minnesota; M.A. American Studies, University of Minnesota; J.D. William Mitchell College of Law; Professor Emeritus, Ethics and Business Law, Opus College of Business, University St. Thomas; JAMS, Horseracing Integrity & Welfare Unit, Anti-Doping and Controlled Medication Rule Violations Panel; American Arbitration Association Panels; Ladies Professional Golf Association (LPGA) Special Anti-Doping Panel; World Triathlon Corporation (WTC) Special Anti-Doping Panel.

Judge Mark L. Williams SC (1955)

**Judge (Australia)** Eng  
Sydney / Australia

Judge of District Court of New South Wales, Sydney (2013- ); B.Com, LL.B. University of New South Wales; Barrister and Senior Counsel specialised in commercial and insurance litigation, and significant role in sports related disputes (1980-2013); Regularly served as counsel, Tribunal Member or Chair of Tribunal in selection, disciplinary and anti-doping tribunals; Member of the CAS Anti-Doping Division at the Winter Olympic Games in Pyeongchang (2018).

## **II. Arbitrators: Special list Art. 23.5 WADC: WADC non-compliance issues**

### **Prof. Dr Jens Evald (1961)**

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Dr. of Law, Professor (Sports Law); Head of Sports Law Research Unit, Institute of Law, Aarhus University; Member of the Board of the Institute of Sport (1998-2007); Chairman of the Dispute Resolution Committee, Danish Kayak & Canoe Federation (2000-present); Vice Chairman Danish Sports Law Association (2001-2005); Chairman of the Board of Anti-Doping Denmark (2006-2012); Member the Political Commission, Danish Football Association (DBU) (2016-2017).

### **Mr Markus Manninen (1977)**

**Attorney-at-law (Finland)** Eng  
Helsinki / Finland

Attorney-at-law, L.L. Lic. M.Sc. (Econ.), Counsel, Head of Sports, Media and Entertainment Team, Hannes Snellman Attorneys Ltd. Chairman of the Finnish Center for Integrity in Sports FINCIS' Anti-Doping Supervisory Board. Chairman of the Disciplinary Committee of the Football Association of Finland. Member of the IRONMAN Arbitration Panel. Member of the UFC Arbitration Panel. Member of the IBU Anti-Doping Hearing Panel. Vice Chairman of the Disciplinary Board of the Finnish Bar Association.

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**Professor of law (USA)** Eng  
Milwaukee / USA

Professor of Law and Executive Director, National Sports Law Institute and LL.M in Sports Law Program for Foreign Lawyers at Marquette University Law School (Milwaukee, Wisconsin). Member of the American Arbitration Association Commercial and National Sports arbitration panels as well as the Ladies Professional Golfers Association, UFC, and United States Anti-doping Agency drug testing panels. Member, Board of Directors and former President (May 2015-May 2017), Sports Lawyers Association. Formerly professor of law at South Texas College of Law (Houston, Texas), attorney with Kilpatrick Townsend, LLP (Atlanta, Georgia), and chair, National Collegiate Athletic Association Competitive Safeguards and Medical Aspects of Sports Committee. Member, CAS ad hoc Division at Winter Olympic Games, Sochi, 2014.

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Judge Mark LLoyd Williams SC (1955)

**Judge (Australia)** Eng  
Haymarket / Australia

Judge of District Court of New South Wales; Barrister (1979-2013) - specialised in sports-related disputes; regularly served as member of tribunal or chairman of national federation appeals tribunals for various sports; Appointed by Australian Olympic Committee to be Chairman of Appeals Tribunals for various national federations prior to 2012 Olympic Games; Director of NSW Rowing (2008-2011), various FISA Masters and World Masters gold medals in rowing 1994-2014.