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**Date of birth:** 5 November 1949

**Resident:** Saar, Bahrain

**Nationality:** Swedish, French

**Academic qualifications:**

AB Harvard  
JD Yale (Editor, *Yale Law Journal*)  
DESS Paris

**Positions held:**

Partner, Three Crowns LLP (2014-2020)

Head of International Arbitration and Public International Law, Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer LLP (1993-2012)

Professor of Law, University of Miami (2008-2019); Emeritus (2019- )

Centennial Professor, London School of Economics (2009-2012)

President, International Council for Commercial Arbitration (2010-2014)

President, London Court of International Arbitration (2004-2010)

Vice President, ICC International Court of Arbitration (2009-2012)

Member, Permanent Court of Arbitration (2008- )

President, World Bank Administrative Tribunal (2006-2010)

President, European Bank (EBRD) Administrative Tribunal (2008-2016)

Judge, International Monetary Fund (IMF) Administrative Tribunal (2011-2020)

President, Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD) Administrative Tribunal (2010-2014)

Member, SIAC Court of Arbitration (Singapore) (2013-2019)

Member of the Board, American Arbitration Association (2010-2017)

ICSID Panel of Arbitrators (1998- )

**Professional experience:**

**Appointed arbitrator in some 250 cases, including:**

*Champion v Egypt* (ICSID), President

*Lidercón v Perú* (ICSID), President

*Cascade v Turkey* (ICSID)

*Indus Waters Kishenganga Arbitration (Pakistan v India)* (PCA)

*Adem Dogan v Turkmenistan* (ICSID), President

*Niko v Bangladesh* (ICSID)

*Renta 4 (Quasar de valores) v Russian Federation* (SCC), President

*ICM Registry v ICANN* (Independent Review Panel considering the refusal to register “.xxx” as an Internet top-level domain)

*Pantechniki v Albania* (ICSID), sole arbitrator

*Desert Line v Yemen* (ICSID)

*Channel Tunnel v UK and France* (PCA)

*Lemire v Ukraine* (ICSID)

*HEP v Slovenia* (ICSID)

*Econet Wireless v First Bank of Nigeria* (UNCITRAL), President

*GAMI v Mexico* (UNCITRAL/NAFTA), President

*Real Madrid v Internazionale Milano* (CAS),  
President

*Luchetti v Peru* (ICSID)

*Generation Ukraine v Ukraine* (ICSID),  
President

*Demco v SEB Trygg Liv* (SCC), President

*Anaconda v Fluor Australia* (Commercial  
Arbitration Act 1984, Victoria), President

*Azinian v Mexico* (ICSID), President

*Himpurna v Indonesia* (UNCITRAL), President

*Bridas (Yashlar) v Turkmenistan* (ICC)

CAS, ad hoc appeals panels at the Olympic  
Games in Atlanta (1996), Nagano (1998), and  
Sydney (2000)

**Counsel in cases on public record (*inter  
alia*):**

*Bank Melli & Bank Saderat v Bahrain* (PCA  
– for Bahrain)

*Peru v Chile* (ICJ – for Chile)

*ConocoPhillips v Venezuela* (ICSID – for  
ConocoPhillips)

*Burlington v Ecuador* (ICSID – for  
Burlington)

*Chevron v Ecuador* (PCA – for Chevron)

*Foresti et al v South Africa* (ICSID – for South  
Africa)

*Helnan v Egypt* (ICSID – for Egypt)

*Total v Argentina* (ICSID – for Total)

*Libananco v Turkey* (ICSID – for Turkey)

*Biwater v Tanzania* (ICSID – for Tanzania)

*Barbados v Trinidad & Tobago* (PCA – for  
Barbados)

*RSM v Grenada* (ICSID – for Grenada)

*E.ON Ruhrgas v Statoil Hydro* (ICC – for  
E.ON Ruhrgas)

*Saluka v Czech Republic* (UNCITRAL – for  
Saluka)

*Bahrain v Qatar* (ICJ – for Bahrain)

*Eritrea v Yemen* (PCA – for Eritrea)

*World Duty Free v Kenya* (ICSID – for Kenya)

*SGS v Pakistan* (ICSID – for Pakistan)

*Soufraki v UAE* (ICSID – for Soufraki)

*Gruslin v Malaysia II* (ICSID – for Malaysia)

*Ruhrgas v Marathon Oil* (ICC – for Ruhrgas)

*Klöckner v Cameroon* (ICSID – for Cameroon)

*Atlantic Triton v Guinea* (ICSID – for Guinea)

*LETCO v Liberia* (ICSID – for Liberia)

*SPP v Egypt* (ICC/ICSID – for SPP)

*CEA/Eurodif v Iran* (ICC – for CEA/Eurodif)

*LIAMCO v Libya* (ad hoc – for LIAMCO)

22 cases arising from the Olympic Games  
2002/2004/2006 (Court of Arbitration for  
Sport – for the International Olympic  
Committee)

**Books**

*The Unruly Notion of Abuse of Rights*,  
Cambridge University Press, 2020

*The Idea of Arbitration*, Oxford University  
Press, 2013

*Denial of Justice in International Law*,  
Cambridge University Press, 2005

*Guide to ICSID Arbitration*, Kluwer, 2004;  
2d edition 2011 (with L Reed and  
N Blackaby)

*International Chamber of Commerce  
Arbitration*, Oxford University Press; 3rd  
edition 2000 (with W L Craig and W W Park)

*International Commercial Arbitration*,  
Foundation Press, 2d edition 2015 (with W M  
Reisman, W L Craig and W W Park)

**Miscellaneous**

Senior Special Fellow, United Nations  
Institute for Training and Research, UNITAR

(Geneva) (1995-2000); Adviser to a number of Governments with regard to legislation and treaties (continuing)