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Current

Swiss Arbitration Association (ASA). Geneva/Zurich, Switzerland (September 2012-present).
Executive Director

ASA (Association suisse de l'arbitrage, Schweiz. Vereinigung für Schiedsgerichtsbarkeit, Associazione svizzera per l'arbitrato) is a non-profit association promoting arbitration as a preferred means of alternative dispute resolution.

Arbitration / Legal and Sports Advisory Services. Geneva/Lausanne, Switzerland (2011-present).

- CAS (Court of Arbitration for Sport). Numerous appointments as chair, sole arbitrator and co-arbitrator (2013-).
- ICC (International Chamber of Commerce Arbitration Court). Appointments as chair and sole arbitrator (2015-).
- AAA (American Arbitration Association) Sports Panel.
- ASOIF (Association of Summer Olympic International Federations): Member, Governance Task Force (2015-); Member, ASOIF Legal Consultative Group (2009-2017).
- IAAF (International Association of Athletics Federations): Member, IAAF Working Group on Governance and Integrity Reform (2016-); Member, IAAF Legal Commission (2016-).
- FISA (World Rowing Federation): Member, Ethics Committee (2015-).
- IWF (International Weightlifting Federation): Chair, Anti-Doping Pool (2016-17).

Experience

FEI (Fédération Equestre Internationale). Lausanne, Switzerland. (March 2005-October 2011).
CEO & Secretary General (August 2007-October 2011)
Deputy Secretary General (COO) & General Counsel (November 2006-August 2007)
General Counsel (March 2005-November 2006)

Independent Legal Advisor. Geneva/Lausanne, Switzerland. (July 2004-March 2005).

CNET Networks, Inc. (now CBS Interactive). Vevey, Switzerland. (July 2000-June 2004).
General Counsel, Associate Vice President
Member of the Board of Directors, Company Secretary, CNET Channel Services S.A.

Baker & McKenzie. New York, New York, USA. (Summer 1998; September 1999-June 2000).
Litigation / Arbitration Associate.

Lenz & Staehelin. Geneva, Switzerland. (Summer 1997).
Summer Associate

World Economic Forum. Geneva/Davos, Switzerland. (1993-1999).
Programme Manager & Consultant

Education

Duke University School of Law. Durham, North Carolina (1996-1999).
J.D. (Juris Doctor) awarded May 1999.
Member, New York Bar.
Articles Editor (elected), *Duke Journal of Comparative and International Law*.
Duke/Geneva Institute in Transnational Law. Geneva, Switzerland (Summer 1997).

Haverford College. Haverford, Pennsylvania (1989-1993).
B.A. (Bachelor of Arts) in Economics, awarded May 1993.

International School of Geneva. Geneva, Switzerland.
I.B. (Bilingual International Baccalaureate) awarded June 1989.

Other

English, French: Mother tongues. **Spanish, German:** Conversant.
Nationalities: Switzerland, USA.
Member, ASDS (Swiss Sports Law Association).

Selected Publications / Speaking

- "The ICRC: An Alibi for Swiss Neutrality?", *Duke Journal of Comparative and International Law*, Volume 9 (Spring 1999).
- Panelist, "Can Sports be Saved from Banned Performance Enhancements?", *Duke University School of Law International Conference*, June 2008).
- "Systematizing Good Governance," *XIII Olympic Congress Contributions*, September 2009, p. 326.
- Keynote speaker, "Sharing Control: working with event owners within your sport", *SportAccord International Federation Forum*, November 2010.
- Panelist, "Governance and accountability of sports organizations", *Executive Master in European Sport Governance (MESGO)*, November 2010.
- "Fédérations sportives – Gouvernance: la fin d'un époque?", *Jurisport*, April 2011 (with Mikael Rentsch).
- Panelist, *LawAccord 2012* (SportAccord Convention), *Good Governance in Sport*, May 2012.
- Discussion leader and moderator, *ASOIF-CIES International Federation Governance Seminar*, April 2013.
- Lecturer, Sports Arbitration and Governance, *Lucerne University Transnational Legal Studies Programme*, May 2014.
- Keynote speaker, *Worthiness: what will it take to govern world sport in the coming years?*, Geneva 2014 International Sports Convention (ISC) Sports Law Expo, December 2014.
- Keynote speaker, *Latest Trends in Sports Law in Europe and the United States – Views from Both Sides of the Atlantic*, Leagues and Federations: Governance of Sports, UIA/ABA Conference, Miami March/April 2016.
- ASOIF General Assembly 2016 (*SportAccord Convention 2016*), presentation of the ASOIF Governance Task Force project to member International Federations, Lausanne April 2016.
- Panelist, Swiss Sport Law Days, *L'éthique au cœur des débats: les fédérations sportives doivent-elles sanctionner ou réformer?* (with François Carrard, Independent Chairman, 2016 FIFA Reform Committee), Macolin/Maggingen November 2016.
- Keynote speaker, *Assessing Progress on the Road to Improved Sports Governance Culture*, Geneva 2016 International Sports Convention (ISC) Sports Law Expo, December 2016.
- Panelist, Sports Governance Workshop, *Tackling Doping in Sport 2017*, London, March 2017.
- Guest Lecturer, Sports Arbitration, *Duke-Geneva Institute in Transnational Law*, July 2017.
- Keynote speaker, Area Representation, *Athletics Connect*, London, August 2017.
- Guest Lecturer, Sports Arbitration, *ELSA Arbitration Summer School*, Geneva, August 2017.
- Moderator, Governance Best Practices Panel, *ASOIF International Federation Governance Workshop*, Lausanne, October 2017.
- Panelist, New Frontiers in Sports Arbitration, *Seoul ADR Festival / Asia Pacific ADR Conference*, November 2017.
- Panelist, Faster, Higher, Stronger — and Fairer? The Growing Impact of the Court of Arbitration for Sport (CAS) on International Sport, *Inter-Pacific Bar Association Annual Conference*, Manila, March 2018.