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### EDUCATION

#### GEORGETOWN UNIVERSITY LAW CENTER

*Master of Laws in International Business and Economic Law*  
*Certificate in International Arbitration and Dispute Resolution*

GPA: 3.8/4.0 (Honors: Distinction and Dean's List)

Relevant Courses: International Commercial Arbitration, Arbitration in Latin America, International Litigation and Arbitration: A Practitioners Approach, Corporations.

Activities: Vice-President, Foreign Lawyers at Georgetown (FLAG); Board Member, Georgetown International Arbitration Society (GIAS); Member, Georgetown International Law Society (GILS)

Washington, D.C., USA

May 2020

#### UNIVERSIDAD CATÓLICA SANTA MARÍA LA ANTIGUA (USMA)

*Degree in Law and Political Science*

GPA: 2.5/3.0 (*Cum Laude*)

Relevant Courses: Commercial Contracts (A), Alternative Dispute Resolution (A), Public International Law I & II (A), Private International Law I & II (A).

Honors and Awards: First Place, Intra-Faculty Debate Competition (2016); Valuable Contribution to University Life (2015)

Activities: Fellow, Center for the Study of the Presidency and Congress (2018); Board Member, Harvard World Model United Nations (2018); Board Member, Law Students Association (2015)

Moot Courts: International Rounds of the Phillip C. Jessup International Law Moot Court Competition, International Law Students Association/White & Case (2017); International Rounds of the Inter-American Human Rights Moot Court Competition, American University Washington College of Law (2015)

Panama City, Panama

January 2018

### WORK EXPERIENCE

#### LOVILL LAW FIRM

*Associate*

Panama City, Panama

May 2020 – Present

- Representing two Mexican conglomerates in an ICSID Arbitration claim under the Mexico-Panama BIT and insolvency proceedings before Panamanian courts - \$300 million
- Representing a private individual in an annulment application to vacate a final award issued by a Rabbinical Tribunal before the Supreme Court of Panama - \$150 million
- Advising a US investor for an ICSID Arbitration claim pursuant to the Panama-U.S. BIT and Panama-U.S. FTA, for lack of protection of beachfront property investment - \$100 million
- Advising a Mexican corporation for a CECAP Arbitration claim against a Panamanian corporation in an energy dispute – \$10 million.
- Representing a Colombian investor in a CECAP Arbitration claim against a Panamanian State Entity for breach of contract in a landfill and power plant operation in Panama City – \$66 million
- Representing an Ecuadorian state-owned entity in asset recovery actions against Ecuadorian and Panamanian individuals for state contracts procured through corruption. – \$6 million
- Representing an Ecuadorian state-owned entity in a civil controversy matter for the recovery of monies arising out of a contract with a Panamanian corporation from the trial to the appellate stage. – \$120 million
- Representing a corporation in the grocery stores and supermarket industry in parallel proceedings against a financial entity for damages arising out of banking electronic services before civil courts and the Superintendency of Banks of Panama. – \$2.5 million
- Currently assisting a North American state entity in a civil and criminal case involving fraudulent activities against foreign nationals in Central America. – \$20 million
- Assisted a Dutch multinational corporation on the commencement of ICC arbitration proceedings for a dispute arising out of a distribution contract with a local distribution company. – \$13 million
- Assisted an Ecuadorian state-owned entity in an annulment proceeding of a foreign award in the Supreme Court of Panama. – \$27 million
- Assisted before the Supreme Court of Panama in a complex civil controversy matter for an Ecuadorian state-owned entity. Conducted research on state immunity, *jure imperii* and *jure gestionis* under international law, and applicable procedural legal concepts in the use of an *Amparo*. – \$12.9 billion
- Represented two corporations in an international commercial arbitration under CeCAP Rules, involving the construction and development of an international hotel project in Panama City. – \$4 million

## **DECHERT LLP**

*Legal Extern in the International Arbitration Group*

Washington, D.C., USA  
January 2020 – April 2020

- Assisted in the representation of a South American State in an UNCITRAL arbitration against a North American mining company. The dispute arose from the State's revocation of a license to explore and exploit a gold mine due to environmental damage and the protection of indigenous communities. Worked on the Counter-Memorial on the Merits and reviewed the mining concessions.
- Assisted in the representation of a South American State in an ICSID Annulment Proceeding against Swiss investors. The dispute arose out of a coal concession contract. Worked on the drafting of the Memorial on Annulment, reviewed the factual background of the dispute, and researched on principles of international law applied to evidence in international courts.
- Conducted research regarding nationality requirements for investors under the ICSID Convention and a Bilateral Investment Treaty for an UNCITRAL arbitration.
- Assisted in research on investment arbitration in financial services by reviewing, analyzing, and preparing statistics on ICSID, UNCITRAL, and PCA awards. Reviewed the applicable standards for the quantification of damages in investment disputes.

## **SECRETARIAT OF THE INTERNATIONAL COURT OF ARBITRATION OF THE ICC**

*Intern in the Latin American and the Iberian Peninsula Team*

Paris, France  
July 2018 – September 2018

- Drafted briefs for members of the ICC Secretariat's case management teams containing research on pathological arbitration clauses, validity, and enforceability of arbitral awards, and challenges of arbitrators.
- Compiled statistics and assisted with new statistics of ICC Arbitration in Latin America, particularly in Brazil.
- Reviewed and analyzed the Terms of Reference sent by arbitral tribunals to ensure compliance with ICC Rules.
- Assisted in the drafting of the Spanish version of the 2018 Rules of ICC as Appointing Authority in UNCITRAL or Other Arbitration Proceedings, as well as preparing the first draft document detailing these Rules to the parties.

## **LOVILL LAW FIRM**

*Attorney in the Dispute Resolution Department*

Panama City, Panama  
May 2016 – April 2020

- Represented and assisted in the representation of clients in civil, commercial, and maritime cases before civil courts and arbitral institutions in more than thirty (30) disputes.
- Reviewed litigation and arbitration case files in civil, criminal, maritime, commercial, and labor tribunals.
- Assisted in researching on annulment proceedings, arbitration agreements, *kompetenz-kompetenz* doctrine, and international public policy in Panamanian Supreme Court case law.

## **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

**Bar Admissions:** New York (June 2022); Republic of Panama (February 2018)

**Recognitions:** Chambers and Partners Global and Chambers and Partners Latin America (2023 and 2024): Associate to watch; Legal 500: Rising Star (2024)

### **Speaking Engagements:**

- Speaker, Democracy and the Rule of Law, Impacta Foundation, Panama, 2023.
- Speaker, Starting a Career in Arbitration, 13th Central American and Caribbean Convention of Arbitration Centers, Panama, 2023.
- Speaker, Reflections of Youth in a Democratic Panama, Electoral Tribunal of the Republic of Panama, Panama, 2023.
- Moderator, Diversity in Arbitration, Panama Young Arbitrators and *Colegio Nacional de Abogados*, Panama, 2023.
- Speaker, Use of Comparative Law in International Law and Investment Protection Law, *Conferencia Latinoamericana de Arbitraje* (CLA -40) and International Academy of Comparative Law, Asunción, Paraguay, 2022.
- Speaker, Cross-Border Successions, Event organized by the Tax and Legislation Committee, AmCham Panama, 2022.
- Panelist, Reorganization as a Legal Mechanism for Companies in the Face of Crisis and Bankruptcy Proceedings in Panama, LOVILL Webinar Series, Panama, 2020.
- Organizer, Georgetown International Arbitration Month, Georgetown Law, Washington, D.C., 2020.
- Guest Speaker, Function and Operation of the International Court of Arbitration of the International Chamber of Commerce and Its Secretariat, IV Congress of Public International Law, University of Panama, Panama, 2018.

**Language Skills:** Spanish (native), English (fluent)

**Other Memberships and Fellowships:** Founder and Executive Committee Member of Panama Young Arbitrators (Present); UNIDROIT Correspondent for Panama (Present); Judge, International Rounds of the Philip C. Jessup International Law Moot Court Competition; Member, Hispanic Bar Association of the District of Columbia (2019-2020); Member, Inter-American Bar Association (2019); Member, Panama Bar Association (2018-present); Member, ICC Global Internship Alumni Network (2018-present); Member, CSPC Presidential Fellows Alumni Group (2017-present)