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Educational / Professional Memberships

Dr. Peter holds two PhD and master degrees in Law and Religious Science, an LL.M. degree in South East European Law and European Integration (Karl-FranzensUniversity of Graz, Austria) and a master degree in Applied (Business) Ethics. He was admitted to the Austrian Bar and is Independent Arbitrator. Dr. Peter is listed as arbitrator at the following arbitration institutions: Singapore International Arbitration Centre (SIAC Reserve Panel), Shanghai International Arbitration Centre (SHIAC), Hainan International Arbitration Centre (HIAC), Thailand Arbitration Centre (THAC), Badan Arbitrase Nasional Indonesia (BANI) and Vienna International Arbitral Centre (VIAC). Moreover, Dr. Peter is a Fellow of the Singapore Institute of Arbitrators (SIArb), the Austrian-Chinese Legal Society (Vienna), the Asian Institute of Alternative Dispute Resolution (FAIADR) and the Bali International Arbitration and Mediation Center (BIAMC). He is member of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators (CIArb) and the Austrian Arbitration Association (ArbAut). Furthermore, he is a committee member of the SIArb Publications & Website Committee.

Current Position

Associate Professor, Shanghai University of Political Science and Law

Professional Experience

Specialisation: International Arbitration, International Trade, Corporate Governance, Corporate Social Responsibility, Environmental Law, Construction Law

Arbitration Experience

Dr. Peter has gained extensive experience both in common (in particular English, US and Singapore law) and civil law (in particular Austrian, German, Chinese, Bulgarian and European law). He worked as a lawyer for several Austrian law firms in the areas of economic/corporate law and international arbitration. Furthermore, for around two years he worked as a Registered Foreign Lawyer in Singapore representing international clients as lead counsel in several arbitral proceedings administered by the Singapore International Arbitration Center (SIAC).

Publications

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- 10) *Peter*, Die prozessuale Kompetenz von Schiedsgerichten zur rechtsgestaltenden Vertragsanpassung nach österreichischem Recht, SchiedsVZ (German Arbitration Journal) 1/2017, 17. This article answers the question, whether arbitral tribunals seated in Austria are authorized to render arbitral awards containing a constitutive contractual adaptation on the basis of price adaptation clauses in long-term agreements. *Peter*, Die prozessuale Kompetenz von Schiedsgerichten zur rechtsgestaltenden Vertragsanpassung nach österreichischem Recht [The Procedural Competence of Arbitral Tribunals for a Constitutive Contractual Adaptation Pursuant to Austrian Law], SchiedsVZ (German Arbitration Journal) 1/2017, p. 17. This article answers the question, whether arbitral tribunals seated in Austria are authorized to render arbitral awards containing a constitutive contractual adaptation on the basis of price adaptation clauses in long-term agreements.
- 11) *Peter*, Cross-examination und document production nach US-amerikanischem Vorbild in internationalen Schiedsverfahren mit Sitz in Österreich: Kollision mit österreichischem Schiedsverfahrens- bzw. Prozessrecht? [Cross-Examination and Document Production Pursuant to the US-American Model in International Arbitration Proceedings Based in Austria: Collision with Austrian Arbitration and Procedural Law?] SchiedsVZ (German Arbitration Journal) 4/2016, p. 199. This article deals with the application of Anglo-American principles in evidentiary proceedings in international arbitration. The article examines in its first part if cross-examination is legally permissible in arbitral proceedings taking place in Vienna. The second part focuses on document production and provides a case study on the gas storage market.
- 12) *Kutschera/Frenzel/Peter*, Beteiligungserwerb durch Tausch gegen eigene Aktien nach österreichischem Recht [The Acquisition of an Equity Interest in Exchange of Treasury Shares Pursuant to Austrian Law], in Cascante/Spahlinger/Wilske (Ed.) Global Wisdom on Business Transactions, International Law and Dispute Resolution, Festschrift für Gerhard Wegen zum 65. Geburtstag (2015), p. 241.
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Languages

English, German