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International-disputes expert with a broad range of experience in international-law matters

Experience

Rimantas has extensive experience in international arbitration, particularly in disputes arising under bilateral and multilateral investment treaties and high-value commercial agreements. He serves as a consultant and/or representative to numerous private parties and foreign governments, and his experience includes representing clients in commercial and investment arbitrations administered under ICSID, UNCITRAL, SCC, ICC, LCIA, and other rules. He also regularly sits as an arbitrator or expert in international disputes, and he is listed as a recommended arbitrator by numerous arbitral institutions around the world.

In addition to his international and high-value arbitration work, Rimantas represents clients in high-profile lawsuits, including cases heard by the Court of Justice of the European Union and the European Court of Human Rights.

He also advises clients on international investment and energy law, FIDIC construction disputes, international human rights law, international trade law and sanctions, and international public law matters.

Rimantas is recommended by international ranking services such as GAR100, Who's Who Legal Arbitration, Who's Who Legal Commercial Litigation, and Chambers and Partners.

Working languages: English, Russian, Lithuanian

Education and Memberships

The University of Cambridge, Certificate & Diploma in International Relations

Harvard Business School, Diploma in Negotiations

Queen Mary University of London, PhD in Investor-state Arbitration and Public International Law

Vilnius University, PhD in Investor-state Arbitration

National University of Singapore, Visiting scholar (International Arbitration)

Columbia Law School, Visiting scholar (International Arbitration)

University of Edinburgh, LL.M. in International Commercial Law

Paris Arbitration Academy, Diploma in International Arbitration

Memberships:

Lithuanian Bar Association

Chartered Institute of Arbitrators

European Federation for Investment Law and Arbitration

Swiss Arbitration Association

Young International Arbitration Group (London Court of International Arbitration)

Young Arbitrators Forum (ICC)

Russian Arbitration Association

Singapore International Arbitration Centre

Columbia International Arbitration Association

Practice highlights

2024

- Successfully represented Lithuanian investor in treaty arbitration against the Kyrgyz Republic
- Represented Srbijagas before the Lithuanian Supreme Court on extension of arbitration clause

2022

- Successfully defended foreign investors and local companies from EUR 240 million claim
- Represented Lithuanian company in ICC construction arbitration and Swedish arbitral award annulment proceedings
- Success in defense of EUR 240 million claim filed by the State's against foreign investors and local companies

2021

- Representing Lithuanian investor in investor-state arbitration against the Kyrgyz Republic

2020

- Another LCIA arbitration win
- A second win in an LCIA Arbitration
- Represented the client in a complex case before the Vilnius Regional Court
- Successfully represented JP Srbijagas in cross-border litigation

2018

- High value construction arbitration

2017

- Represented Gazprom, a major player of international energy industry

2016

- Case before the Supreme Administrative Court of Lithuania
- Successfully represented one of the major Serbian energy companies
- Successfully defended Gazprom in major SCC arbitration

2015

- Successfully represented Gazprom before the Supreme Court of Lithuania
- Represented a waste management company in a complaint to the European Commission
- Represented Gazprom before the Court of Justice of the European Union

2014

- Arbitral Award Enforcement before the Supreme Court of Lithuania
- Represented a company acting in the energy sector

2013

- Arbitration clause dispute before the Supreme Court
- Represented Lithuanian Gas in the international scope energy dispute
- Arbitral award recognized in the Court of Appeal of Lithuania
- Represented an energy company regarding the recognition and enforcement of an arbitral award
- Represented the Italian wine producer in the investment arbitration

2012

- Defended the Italian wine producer before the Supreme Court of Lithuania
- Advised the Privatisation Agency of Serbia