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About

Maarten Draye specializes in international arbitration and complex litigation. A member of the Brussels Bar, he advises and represents clients in a wide range of fields and industries before arbitral tribunals and state courts, including in arbitration-related litigation. He has experience as presiding, sole and co-arbitrator as well as emergency arbitrator.

He has been involved in over 75 arbitrations governed by various procedural and substantive laws under a variety of arbitration rules (ICC, LCIA, UNCITRAL, ICSID, SCC, Swiss, CEPANI, CRCICA, DIS, NAI, SIAC, Hamburg CC and OHADA) as well as ad hoc.

He is co-author of *Arbitration in Belgium: A Practitioner's Guide*, co-editor-in-chief of *b-Arbitra*, teaches international commercial arbitration at KU Leuven, and co-chairs CEPANI's Academic Committee.

Chambers & Partners describes him as a "sole practitioner [who] demonstrates experience acting as both arbitrator and arbitration counsel in high-profile commercial arbitrations and enforcement proceedings" (*Arbitration, Global and Europe*, 2026). Lexology Index names him a Thought Leader in arbitration (2026), having listed him in every edition since 2017.

Nationality

Belgian

Languages

Dutch (native)
English (fluent)
French (fluent)
German (good)

Bar Admissions

Brussels (2007)

Professional experience

Member of the Brussels Bar, Brussels (Belgium)

2025-present Draye Law
2007-2025 Hanotiau & van den Berg (partner since 2019)

KU Leuven, Leuven (Belgium)

2024-present Guest Lecturer International Arbitration

b-Arbitra – Belgian Review of Arbitration (WoltersKluwer)

2020-present Co-Editor-in-Chief

CEPANI, Brussels (Belgium)

2023-present Member of the Board of Directors
2026-present Co-Chair Academic Committee

Brussels Bar School, Brussels (Belgium)

2017-2021 Lecturer in Arbitration

ICHEC Brussels Management School, Brussels (Belgium)

2014-2015 Lecturer in International Commercial Law and Dispute Resolution

Wilmer, Cutler, Pickering, Hale & Dorr, London (U.K.)

2007 Intern in the London Arbitration department

Education

Queen Mary, University of London

2005-2006 LL.M. in International Business Law
Honours: Member of Willem C. Vis Commercial Arbitration Moot Team (Vienna, 2006) – 1st prize overall, honourable mention for both claimant and respondent memoranda

KU Leuven

2004-2005 Master in Management Economics
1999-2004 Master of Laws (*Lic. Jur.*)

Additional professional activities

Working Group for the Revision of the Belgian Arbitration Law - Expert advising the Department of Justice (2021-2024)

UNCITRAL Working Group II | Representative for CEPANI (since 2016)

CEPANI | Member (since 2013)

LCIA | Member (since 2017)

ICC Belgium Commission on Arbitration and ADR | Member (since 2013)

ICC Commission on Arbitration and ADR | Member representing Belgium (2013-2024)

ITA Board of Reporters; ICCA Yearbook | Reporter for Belgium

Alumni & Friends of the School of International Arbitration (AFSIA) | Chair (2010-2025, member since 2008)

Experience (selection)

As Arbitrator

- **Distribution** – President of the Tribunal in a distribution dispute in the medical appliances sector (ICC – Seat Amsterdam – Dutch law)
- **Post-M&A** – President of the Tribunal in a post-M&A dispute in the meat byproducts sector between the Belgian subsidiary of an international group and Belgian and UK entities (CEPANI – Seat Brussels – Belgian law)
- **Post-M&A** – President of the Tribunal in a post-M&A dispute in the pharmaceutical sector between a French and a German company (Hamburg Chamber of Commerce Rules – Seat Hamburg – French and German law)
- **Post-M&A** – President of the Tribunal in a dispute between a Dutch and a Swiss company (NAI Rules – Seat Amsterdam – Dutch law)
- **International Sale of Goods** – Sole Arbitrator in dispute between a UAE seller and a French buyer in the electronics sector (ICC – Seat Paris – Dutch law)
- **Agency** – Sole Arbitrator in a dispute between a Danish principal and a Belgian agent relating to the termination of an agency agreement in the biotechnology sector (CEPANI – Seat Brussels – Belgian law)
- **Agency** – Sole Arbitrator in a dispute between a German principal and a US agent relating to the termination of the agency agreement in the pharmaceutical sector (ICC – Seat Hannover – German law)
- **Post-JV** – Sole Arbitrator in a post-JV dispute in the automotive sector between three Belgian entities (CEPANI – Seat Brussels – Belgian law)
- **Post-Settlement** – Sole Arbitrator in a post-settlement dispute between a Belgian and a Chinese party under Belgian law in the energy sector (CEPANI – Seat Brussels – Belgian law)
- **Services/Banking** – Sole arbitrator under CEPANI Rules in a services dispute between two Belgian entities under Belgian law in the banking and real estate sector (CEPANI – Seat Ghent – Belgian law)
- **Construction/JV** – Co-Arbitrator in a construction-related JV dispute between a German and a Belgian company in the military sector (CEPANI – Seat Brussels – Belgian and US law)
- **Emergency Arbitration** – Emergency Arbitrator in relation to urgent measures requested by a Belgian entity and individual against the subsidiary of a US multinational in the bunkering sector (CEPANI – Seat Brussels – Belgian law)
- **Emergency Arbitration** – Emergency Arbitrator in relation to urgent measures requested by a Swiss subsidiary of a Swedish group against an Italian entity in relation to a logistics and distribution contract (ICC – Seat Paris – Swiss law)

As Counsel (Arbitration)

- **Construction** – Representing a Bulgarian-led consortium against the EU concerning the construction of a courthouse relating to a FIDIC Yellow Book contract (ICC – Seat Brussels – EU and Belgian law)
- **Aviation** – Representing a Belgian/French aircraft engine maintenance provider against an Indonesian airline in a dispute concerning aircraft engine maintenance (ICC – Seat Paris – New York law)
- **Distribution** – Representing a UK kitchenware supplier against a Belgian distributor (LCIA – Seat London – English law)
- **Post-M&A** – Representing a US multinational condiments manufacturer against a group of European and African companies and individuals concerning a post M&A dispute (ICC – Seat Brussels – Belgian law)
- **Manufacturing** – Representing a Belgian subsidiary of a French group in a dispute against a subsidiary of a Japanese multinational in relation to a supply agreement (CEPANI – Seat Brussels – Belgian law)
- **Defense/Licensing** – Representing a US/French JV against a German entity in a licensing dispute in the defense industry (ICC – Seat Brussels – Belgian law)
- **Sports/Licensing** – Representing a Belgian entity in a sports related licensing dispute (CEPANI – Seat Brussels – Belgian law)

- **Sports/Corporate** – Representing a Belgian entity in an intra-corporate dispute in the sports sector (Belgian Arbitration Court for Sports (BAS) – Seat Brussels – Belgian law)
- **Construction** – Representing a German JV against a French JV in a construction dispute (ICC – Seat Luxembourg – Luxembourg law)
- **International Sale of Goods** – Representing a Hong Kong entity against an Albanian entity in a dispute regarding the international sale of goods (SIAC – Seat Brussels – Belgian (incl. CISG) and Albanian law)

As Counsel (Litigation)

- **Setting Aside/Enforcement** – Representing a sovereign State in setting-aside and enforcement proceedings in The Netherlands and Belgium regarding arbitral awards rendered in a PCA arbitration under the Energy Charter Treaty
- **Engineering** – Representing the Belgian subsidiary of a US multinational engineering company against a group of companies concerning a soil remediation dispute before the Belgian Courts under Belgian law
- **Enforcement** – Securing an attachment for an Israeli distributor against the Belgian principal in support of an ICC Arbitration
- **Wholesale & Distribution** – Representing a Belgian retail wholesaler against a US food manufacturer in distribution disputes in the Benelux under Belgian and Dutch law before the Belgian and Dutch courts
- **Insurance** – Representing a UK trade financing company against a Belgian credit insurer in an insurance dispute before the Belgian Courts under Belgian and Danish law
- **Setting aside** – Representing and advising a Swiss party in setting aside and enforcement proceedings against a Ukrainian party before the Belgian and the Swiss Courts involving Belgian, Swiss and Ukrainian law
- **Enforcement** – Defending a Belgian subsidiary of a Finnish international group in enforcement proceedings against a Dutch entity under the New York Convention

Recognitions

- **Thought Leader – Lexology Index Arbitration 2026**
“Maarten is extremely competent, smart and diligent” “He is a very approachable and pragmatic lawyer” “He is excellent!”
- **Ranked (Band 3: Arbitration) – Chambers & Partners Arbitration Guide 2026 (Global/Europe)**
“Sole practitioner Maarten Draye demonstrates experience acting as both arbitrator and arbitration counsel in high-profile commercial arbitrations and enforcement proceedings” “Maarten Draye has a ton of experience”
- **Nominee – Best Arbitrators Belgium 2026 (Leaders League)**
Recognized in the category “Excellent” in Leaders League’s best arbitrators for Belgium ranking
- **Thought Leader – Lexology Index Arbitration 2025 (former Who’s Who Legal)**
“He is a thorough, rigorous and highly knowledgeable lawyer” “Maarten is making a real name for himself” “He knows his cases from the inside out”
- **Nominee – Best Arbitrators Belgium 2025 (Leaders League)**
Recognized in the category “highly recommended” in Leaders League’s best arbitrators for Belgium ranking
- **Thought Leader – Who’s Who Legal, Global Leaders Arbitration 2024**
“Maarten is a rigorous and thoughtful arbitrator” “He is an exceptional talent with a rare international arbitration experience” “He is great to work with”
- **Nominee – Best Arbitrators Belgium 2024 (Leaders League)**
Recognized in the category “highly recommended” in Leaders League’s best arbitrators for Belgium ranking
- **Nominee – Who’s Who Legal, Global Leaders Arbitration 2023**
“He is a big name among international arbitration practitioners” “Maarten Draye is a knowledgeable arbitration lawyer”
- **Nominee – Best Arbitrators Belgium 2023 (Leaders League)**
Recognized in the category “excellent” in Leaders League’s best arbitrators for Belgium ranking
- **Nominee – Leaders League 2023 (International Arbitration | Commercial Litigation – Belgium)**
Ranked as part of both Hanotiau & van den Berg’s *“leading”* international arbitration practice and its *“excellent”* commercial litigation practice in Leaders League’s 2023 rankings for Belgium

- **Nominee – Who’s Who Legal, Global Leaders Arbitration 2022**
“One of Belgium’s best arbitration practitioners” “Maarten is always well prepared to handle complex cases (in a variety of languages)” “He is very knowledgeable in international commercial arbitration and a true pleasure to work with” “Maarten is a brilliant advocate and arbitrator”
- **Nominee – Private Practice Powerlist 2022 Arbitration Benelux (Legal 500)**
 Listed as one of the leading arbitration practitioners in the Benelux region
- **Nominee – Leaders League 2022 (International Arbitration | Commercial Litigation – Belgium)**
 Ranked as part of both Hanotiau & van den Berg’s *“leading”* international arbitration practice and its *“highly recommended”* commercial litigation practice in Leaders League’s 2022 rankings for Belgium
- **Nominee – Best Arbitrators Belgium 2021-22 (Leaders League)**
 Recognized in the category “excellent” in Leaders League’s best arbitrators for Belgium ranking
- **Nominee – Who’s Who Legal, Future Leaders Arbitration 2021**
“He has the knowledge and experience to be one of the next leaders in international arbitration” “One of the foremost young arbitration practitioners in Belgium” “At ease before Belgian courts and before tribunals worldwide” “Maarten will be a big name in the next generation of international arbitration practitioners” “He has expert knowledge of Belgian law”
- **Nominee – Who’s Who Legal, Future Leaders Arbitration 2020**
“Maarten Draye is credited with ‘expert understanding of Belgian law’, and ‘has the knowledge and experience to be one of the next leaders in international arbitration’”
- **Nominee – Best Arbitrators Belgium 2020 (Leaders League)**
 Recognized in the category “rising star” in Leaders League’s best arbitrators for Belgium ranking
- **Nominee – Who’s Who Legal, Future Leaders Arbitration 2019**
“Maarten Draye at Hanotiau & van den Berg stands out as ‘one of the go-to people in Belgium for international commercial arbitration’. He wins praise as ‘a professional and true arbitration leader to watch’”
- **Nominee – Who’s Who Legal, Future Leaders Arbitration 2018**
- **Nominee – Who’s Who Legal, Future Leaders Arbitration 2017**
“The two name partners of Hanotiau & van den Berg are internationally renowned in this sector, and their colleagues in this edition share their reputation for quality. [...] Maarten Draye ‘has done a lot of good work’ and has ‘broad experience on both sides of the bench, as counsel, sole arbitrator and as secretary sitting with the greats of his firm’”

Books

- ***Arbitration in Belgium - A Practitioner’s Guide*** (Co-editor Niuscha Bassiri), Kluwer Law International, The Hague, 2016, 688 p. www.wolterskluwer.com
- Second edition forthcoming, Kluwer Law International, 2027.

Book Chapters

- Chapter “De vernietiging van arbitrale uitspraken naar Belgisch recht”, in W. Vandenbussche et al. (eds.), *Arbitrage, bemiddeling en andere vormen van conflictafhandeling* vandaag en morgen, WoltersKluwer, 2023, pp. 141-225 (on setting aside of arbitral awards under Belgian law)
- Chapter “Als wachten geen optie is – urgentiearbitrage” in W. Vandenbussche et al. (eds.), *Arbitrage, bemiddeling en andere vormen van conflictafhandeling* vandaag en morgen, WoltersKluwer, 2023, pp. 109-139 (on emergency arbitration)
- Chapter “Abrahammetje spelen in de arbitrage? Bezint voor ge begint – Over procedurele fraude in internationale arbitrage” in D. Matray & E. Van Campenhoudt (Eds.), *L’arbitrage et la fraude – Arbitrage en fraude*, WoltersKluwer, 2020, pp. 63-114 (on procedural fraud during arbitration proceedings)
- Chapter “No Do-Overs, No Take-Backs? A Belgian Perspective on Res Judicata and Arbitration” in D. De Meulemeester, M. Berlingin, B. Kohl (eds.), *Liber Amicorum CEPANI 1969 – 2019*, Wolters Kluwer 2019, pp. 111-125
- Chapter “The Arbitral Secretary: Unnecessary Nuisance or Unsung Hero – A Practitioner’s View” in W. Van Baren & D. De Meulemeester (eds.), *Arbitral Secretaries – Reports from the Joint NAI-CEPANI Colloquium held on October 5, 2017, 2018*, Wolters Kluwer, pp. 81-99 (co-author Emily Hay)

- Chapter “Who won it anyway? – the relevance of a discrepancy between amounts claimed and awarded in the allocation of arbitration costs - Commentary on the Interim Final Award in CEPANI Arbitration no. 22068”, in X., *Collection of CEPANI arbitral awards – Procedural aspects*, Brussels, Bruylant, 2015, pp. 52-64
- Chapter “Good things might come to those who wait, but not to those who wait too late - issues surrounding the late submission of new evidence – Commentary on the Second Interim Final Award in CEPANI Arbitration no. 22068”, in X., *Collection of CEPANI arbitral awards – Procedural aspects*, Brussels, Bruylant, 2015, pp. 33-51
- Chapter “Expect the Unexpected – Avoiding Possible Pitfalls in National Arbitration Laws” in C. Müller A. Rigozzi and S. Besson (eds.), *New Developments in International Commercial Arbitration 2014*, Zurich, Schulthess, 2014, pp. 1-41 (co-author Olivier Caprasse)
- Chapter “Brussels” in M. Ostrove, C. Salomon and B. Shiffman (eds.), *Choice of Venue in International Arbitration*, Oxford, Oxford University Press, 2014, pp. 15-44 (co-author Pascal Hollander)
- Chapter “Belgium” (2013) in D. Campbell (ed.), *Remedies for International Sellers of Goods* (2nd edition), New York, Juris Publishing, 2010 (looseleaf), 40 p.

Publications

- “Effective Judicial Review vs. Arbitral Autonomy: On the Interpretation of EU Public Policy, the CJEU is Referee – Reflections on *Seraing* (Case C-600/23)”, *TBH/RDC* 2025/10, pp. 1294-1316
- “Belgian courts may not issue anti-arbitration injunctions” (*RA, SA and GA v Federatie Der Belgische Diamantbeurzen vzw*), [Lexis Nexis](#) case analysis, February 2026.
- Arbitration Guide - Belgium (November 2025) in A. Omran, IBA (International Bar Association) Arbitration Committee Arbitration Country Guide (co-author Pascal Hollander), available at [ibanet.org](#).
- “CJEU’s Advocate-General Calls for a Separate Approach to Forced Arbitration and Pleads for a Full Court Review of CAS for Compatibility with EU Law”, [Kluwer Arbitration Blog](#), 6 March 2025.
- “Advocaat-generaal bij het HvJ EU pleit voor mogelijkheid tot toetsing van arbitrale uitspraken in sportaangelegenheden aan het volledige EU-recht”, [TBH/RDC Actualiteit](#), January 2025 (on EU law and mandatory arbitration/sports arbitration)
- “Belgian courts may not conduct a *de novo* review of arbitral awards on public policy grounds” (*Manchester Securities LLP v Republic of Poland*), [Lexis Nexis](#) case analysis, August 2024
- Book Review, “L. Demeyere – Hoe commerciële conflicten managen?”, *b-Arbitra* 2024/1, p. 295
- “Belgium’s Supreme Court Overturns Decades-Old Precedent and Allows Disputes About the Termination of Exclusive Distribution Agreements to Be Settled by Arbitration”, [Kluwer Arbitration Blog](#), 15 September 2023 (co-author Pascal Hollander)
- Country report for Belgium on local requirements for the extension of an arbitration clause to, and enforcement of an arbitral award against, a non-signatory, IBA (International Bar Association), 19 July 2021, available at [ibanet.org](#)
- “‘Retour à la case départ !’, ou l’autorisation du juge des saisies comme préalable obligatoire à toute saisie de biens ou avoirs de puissances étrangères, de banques centrales étrangères, et d’autorités monétaires internationales” – note sous Cass. 20 décembre 2019, *TBH/RDC* 2020/5, pp. 634-642 (co-author Benjamin Jesuran) (on pre-enforcement requirements)
- “CEPANI Celebrates Golden Anniversary with Three Days of Events and a New Set of Arbitration Rules”, [Kluwer Arbitration Blog](#), 19 November 2019 (co-author Emma Van Campenhoudt)
- “The Three Card Trick – Reflections on Third Party Opposition in Arbitration, Arbitrability and the Belgian Arbitration Law’s Transitional Regime in light of CFI Brussels (Fr.), 12 April 2018”, *b-Arbitra* 2019/1, pp. 117-171
- “The Future of ISDS: Can’t See the Wood or the Trees”, [Kluwer Arbitration Blog](#), 28 February 2019 (co-author Emily Hay)
- “Caught Somewhere in Time – Time Limits for Opposing Enforcement and Seeking Annulment of Arbitral Awards before Belgian Courts”, *b-Arbitra* 2018/2, pp. 331–353
- “Brussels Court Holds Arbitration Agreement in FIFA Statutes Invalid: Final Call or Half-Time Whistle for CAS Arbitration in Sports Disputes?”, [Kluwer Arbitration Blog](#), 20 October 2018 (co-author Benjamin Jesuran)
- Country Guide on “Belgium” (2018) in P. Hollander & S. Martinez (eds.), IBA (International Bar Association) Arbitration Committee Arbitration Country Guide (co-author Pascal Hollander)

- “A Reason is a Reason and a Time Limit a Time Limit. Or is it?” – The Arbitral Tribunal’s Duty to Provide Reasons and Abide by Applicable Time Limits to render its Award – Reflections on Court of First Instance of Brussels (Fr.) 23 February 2017, b-Arbitra 2017/1, pp. 127-147
- “‘How did it get so late so soon?’ – The Arbitral Tribunal’s Duty to Timely render an Award” – Reflections on Court of First Instance of Antwerp 24 June 2014, b-Arbitra 2015/2, pp. 285-308
- Book Review “Stavros Brekoulakis – Third Parties in International Commercial Arbitration”, b-Arbitra, 2013/1, at p. 190
- Country Guide on “Belgium” (2012) in L. Schaner & D. Arias (eds.), IBA (International Bar Association) Arbitration Committee Arbitration Country Guide, previously available online at www.ibanet.org (co-author Pascal Hollander)
- “Belgium: Brussels Bar Lifts the Traditional Prohibition on Preparatory Contacts Between Attorneys and Witnesses in Arbitration”, Juriste International 2012/2, at p. 49 (co-author, Pascal Hollander)
- “Belgium: Brussels Bar Lifts the Traditional Prohibition on Preparatory Contacts Between Attorneys and Witnesses in Arbitration”, in 29 ASA Bulletin 2011/2, at p. 496 (co-author, Pascal Hollander)
- “Brussels Bar lifts the traditional prohibition on preparatory contacts between attorneys and witnesses”, in Arbitration News - Newsletter of the International Bar Association Legal Practice Division, Vol. 16 No. 1 (March 2011), at p. 80 (co-author, Pascal Hollander)
- “Eureko v. Poland - Brussels Court of Appeal Upholds Dismissal of Poland’s Challenge to Former ICJ President”, in YIAG (Young International Arbitration Group of the London Court of International Arbitration) E-Letter December 2008, previously available at www.lcia.org

Speaking Engagements

- Guest lecture, “The law applicable in international arbitration”, Ghent University advanced master course on private international law, 28 April 2026
- Speaker, JUC legal Training Institute Real Estate, Antwerp, 4 November 2025 (on arbitration in construction disputes)
- Guest lecture, “The law applicable in international arbitration”, Ghent University advanced master course on private international law, 28 April 2025
- Speaker, “Enforcement of awards in practice: navigating the challenges”, CEPANI40 Event, Brussels, 6 February 2025
- Speaker, 5th Athens International Arbitration Forum, Athens, 21 November 2024 (on public policy and enforcement of arbitral awards)
- Speaker, Workshop on arbitration CEPANI – LCMSA (KU Leuven), Leuven, 26 March 2024
- Speaker/Moderator, 10 years of b-Arbitra – 10 years of UNCITRAL Model law in Belgium, Brussels, 16 November 2023
- Speaker (intervention), 2023 NAI Annual General Meeting, Post M&A Disputes and Arbitration, The Hague, 13 September 2023
- Speaker, 7th School of International Arbitration Alumni Conference 2023 on “Make International Arbitration Efficient Again”, London, 16 June 2023
- Speaker, *The current state of technology in hearings*, 17 May 2023. London International Disputes Week 2023, London, 17 May 2023
- Speaker, *Piercing the Bubble : When Outsiders Discover Arbitration*, Paris Arbitration Week 2023, Paris, 28 March 2023
- Speaker, *VPG/CEPANI-seminariereeks ADR en Arbitrage*, Brussels, 29 October 2022 (on emergency arbitration and setting aside of arbitral awards)
- Speaker, *Geschillenbeslechting in internationale handel via arbitrage - stand van zaken en practica*, VOKA Webinar, 16 June 2021 (on dispute resolution through arbitration in international trade relations)
- Speaker, CEPANI Colloquium, *L’arbitrage et la fraude – Arbitrage en fraude*, Brussels, 26 November 2020
- Speaker, *What’s the Seat got to do with it? Paris – Brussels – Geneva/Zürich*, Paris Arbitration Week 2020, Webinar, 8 July 2020
- Speaker, CCLS 40th Anniversary School of International Arbitration *Roundtable Discussion*, Webinar, 18 June 2020
- Speaker, CEA-40 event on *jurisdiction and evidence in sports arbitration*, Brussels, 21 February 2020

- Speaker/Moderator, NAI & Young NAI - End-of-Year meeting on *Expedited Proceedings*, Amsterdam, 12 December 2019
- Speaker, 5th School of International Arbitration Alumni Conference 2019 on *"Trends in Construction and Energy Arbitration – What is next?"*, London, 14 June 2019
- Moderator, *Battle of Jurisdictions, Seats and Arbitral Institutions*, Panel on the Role of International Institutions, CEPANI40/NAI Jong Oranje/DIS40, Amsterdam, 15 February 2019
- Guest Lecturer, Queen Mary Online International Dispute Resolution Programme, Guest lecture on *"Setting the Scene - Drafting Enforceable and Efficient Arbitration Agreements"*, Webinar, 6 December 2018
- Faculty Member, *Young ICCA/CEPANI 40 Skills Training Workshop on Cross-examination in International Arbitration*, Brussels, 14 September 2018
- Speaker, 4th School of International Arbitration Alumni Conference 2018 on *"Containing the Beast - Can new forms of arbitration and the implementation of new technology keep arbitration costs under control and lead to more efficient dispute resolution?"*, London, 15 June 2018
- Speaker, 6th World Litigation Forum London on *The future of international arbitration: what changes are on the horizon?*, London, 12 June 2018
- Speaker, Le Café des Arbitres on *60 Years New York Convention: Dreams Hope and Challenges*, Paris, 28 May 2018
- Speaker, ASA Below 40 Fall Event on *"Prayers for relief in international arbitration"*, Zürich, 17 November 2017
- Speaker, Joint NAI-CEPANI Colloquium on *"Arbitral Secretaries"*, Rotterdam, 5 October 2017
- Speaker, Institut des Juristes d'Entreprise / Instituut voor Bedrijfsjuristen on *"Submitting your disputes to arbitration: a costly nightmare or the way to efficiently handle business disputes?"*, Brussels, 22 June 2017
- Moderator/Speaker, 3rd School of International Arbitration Alumni Conference 2017: *"Due Process Paranoia and Justice...Fairy tales or reality in international arbitration?"*, London, 9 June 2017
- Speaker, ICC YAF Conference on *"Arbitrating Intra-Corporate Disputes"*, Brussels, 9 December 2016
- Speaker, ICDR Y&I / Georgetown International Arbitration Society Seminar, Washington D.C., 24 October 2016
- Moderator, 2nd School of International Arbitration Alumni Conference 2016: *"Regulation of International Arbitration and The Role of Specialist Knowledge"*, London, 10 June 2016
- Speaker, ICC YAF Conference on *"Commercial arbitration involving states, perfectly normal and normally perfect"*, Amsterdam, 13 October 2015
- Speaker/Moderator, 1st Alumni and Friends of the School of International Arbitration Conference *"The Procedure of International Arbitration: How Effective are the Tools?"*, London, 22 April 2015
- Speaker, VIS Moot Alumni Association/Linklaters, Generations in International Arbitration Conference on *"Multi-Contract and Multi-Party Arbitration: A Big Troublemaker for Arbitration"*, Vienna, 11 April 2014
- Speaker, CEPANI 40/ Vlaamse Conferentie bij de balie te Antwerpen symposium on *"Arbitrage in de praktijk"* (Arbitration in practice), Antwerp, 11 March 2014
- Moderator, DAV/AFSIA Conference on *"Germany as Seat of Arbitration"*, Frankfurt, 10 March 2014
- Speaker, VKW Limburg/CEPANI breakfast seminar on *"Geschillenbeslechting door Arbitrage"* (Resolving disputes through Arbitration), Hasselt, 6 April 2011
- Speaker, CEPANI 40/KULAK symposium on *"Arbitrage in de praktijk"* (Arbitration in practice), Kortrijk, 8 October 2009