

ADRIEN CANIVET

CURRENT ROLE

Counsel | International
Arbitration | LALIVE London

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PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

Paris, 2012
England & Wales, 2016

DIRECTORIES/RANKINGS

Lexology, Arbitration
(England), "Future Leader"
(since 2023)

EDUCATION

Paris II, Masters, 2008
Oxford, MJur, 2007
Paris II/Oxford, Law degree,
2006

LANGUAGES

English and French
(bilingual)
Spanish (Proficient)

PROFILE

I am a dual-qualified Counsel at LALIVE in London with around fifteen years of experience in international arbitration and mediation, investor-State disputes, public international law and cross-border litigation.

I have acted for clients in high-stakes disputes across various sectors, including energy, construction, banking and defence. My experience covers disputes governed by the laws of both civil and common law jurisdictions, under a variety of seats in Europe and Asia and a variety of arbitration rules (including the ICC, LCIA and SIAC).

EXPERIENCE

LALIVE LONDON | COUNSEL (since January 2025) | 2021 - present

Acting in high-value, complex commercial and investment treaty arbitrations across multiple industries, including energy and construction, under a variety of seats and arbitration rules.

LINKLATERS LONDON | MANAGING ASSOCIATE | 2013 - 2021

Acted in London and Singapore seated arbitrations under a variety of rules, as well as in cross-border litigation, predominantly in the energy and banking sectors. Advised investors on their potential rights and remedies under bilateral and multilateral investment treaties.

HOGAN LOVELLS PARIS | ASSOCIATE | 2011-2012

Acted in Paris-seated international arbitrations, predominantly in the defence and aeronautics sector.

PUBLICATIONS

- The impact of Mali's revised legislation on foreign mining companies (*Lexology*, 2023)
- *Ambiente Ufficio v Argentina*, ICSID Case No. ARB/08/9 (ICSID Reports, 2021)
- Digital disputes: new rules to offer fast and effective resolution (*PLC*, May 2021)
- English High Court confirms that indirectly held contract rights fall within the scope of a BIT (9 January 2020) (*ArbitrationLinks*)
- Experts publish "toolkit" to help arbitrators deal with issues of corruption and money laundering (6 August 2019) (*ArbitrationLinks*)
- Service by diplomatic channels is mandatory to enforce award against a State in the UK (6 February 2019) (*Arbitration Links*)
- High Court restates test for extending the time to challenge arbitral awards (15 August 2017) (*ArbitrationLinks*)
- Chapter 10 (France), *EU Mediation Law & Practice Handbook* (OUP, 2012), p.112

- *Les modifications récentes du règlement CIRDI, in La procédure arbitrale relative aux investissements internationaux: aspects récents* (Anthemis, 2010), p.175;
- *Opinion dissidente et secret du délibéré, note following the decision of the Paris Court of Appeal of 9 October 2008, Revue de l'arbitrage, 2009 (2), p. 352*

ACADEMIC POSITIONS

- Paris-Dauphine University, English Contract and Tort Law, Lecturer (2019-2022)