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New York, 2006

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BIOGRAPHY

Lorraine de Germiny joined LALIVE in 2014 and in 2021 was promoted partner of LALIVE (London) LLP. Her main area of practice is international arbitration, including commercial and investment treaty arbitration with particular experience in the energy and construction sectors. She has acted as counsel or arbitrator in a number of international arbitral proceedings, either *ad hoc* (including UNCITRAL) or administered (under the rules of the ICC and ICSID), governed by various procedural and substantive laws.

She is a member of several professional associations (including the CFA-40, ArbitralWomen, ICDR Y&I and LCIA YIAG) and one of the founding members of and Secretary and Legal Officer of Women in Mining Switzerland. She is also on the list of arbitrators with the Court of Arbitration for Art (CAfA).

Before joining LALIVE, Ms. de Germiny practiced international arbitration at King & Spalding in Paris (2009-2014) and at Dewey & LeBoeuf in Paris and New York (2006-2009). In addition, she completed secondments to the Hong Kong International Arbitration Centre and to UNESCO in 2008 and 2012, respectively.

Ms. de Germiny holds a *Licence* with honors from the University of Rennes, a J.D. (Juris Doctor) *cum laude* from Tulane University Law School and an LL.M. from Columbia Law School where she was named a Harlan Fiske Stone scholar.

PUBLICATIONS

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Bucharest University of Economic Studies

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Bucharest, 21 October 2019

Speaker: Types of Sovereign Risk

CFA-40

Environmental Law and Arbitration

Paris, 1 October 2019

Speaker: Environmental Law and Investment Arbitration

CARDS (the Centre for Advanced Research in Dispute Settlement)

Tour de Arbitration conference

Paris, 4 February 2019

Speaker: The Art of Cross-Examination in International Arbitration: Do's and Don'ts

Young ITA

The ICSID Secretariat's Proposals for Rule Amendments: The Times They Are A-Changin'

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Panelist: The ICSID Secretariat's Proposals for Rule Amendments: Transparency and Special Procedures

CEPANI-40 & Young ICCA

Skills Training Workshop on Cross-examination in International Arbitration

Brussels, 14 September 2018

Panelist: Do's and Don't's of Cross-Examination

ITA Workshop and Annual Meeting

Multiple Proceedings, Multiple Parties and International Arbitration: What a Tangled Web We Weave

Dallas, 20 June 2018

Panelist: Human Rights and Environmental Disputes in International Arbitration

Center for International Legal Studies

10th Biennial International Arbitration Symposium

Salzburg, Austria, 7 June 2018

Moderator: Corruption

Juris Conferences

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Washington DC, 6 March 2018

Speaker: Parallel Proceedings

AJJA Conference

After the Final Award – A new Battle on the Horizon?

Stockholm, 17 June 2017

Speaker: Enforcement of Annulled Awards – Is there an Afterlife? A U.S. Perspective

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Speaker: Security for Costs and Third-Party Funding

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Speaker

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Speaker: Latest Developments regarding the Application of Most-Favoured Nation Clauses by Investment Arbitration Tribunals

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Panellist: Ethics and Counsel Duties to Tell the Truth

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