

DARIA KUZNETSOVA

BAR ADMISSION:

Qualified to practice law in Russia, June 2015
Attorney and Counselor at Law, New York State Bar, August 2021

EXPERIENCE:

CMS Cameron McKenna Nabarro Olswang LLP, London, UK
Associate, Litigation & Arbitration, September 2021 – present

Daria's dispute resolution experience includes commercial and investment arbitrations under the LCIA, ICC, SCC, ICAC, ICSID, and UNCITRAL rules. Daria's experience covers a range of sectors, including energy, construction, and mining. She has represented the clients in project disputes involving Russia, Central Asia, the Middle East, and Africa.

Addleshaw Goddard, London, UK
Associate, Commercial Disputes, February 2021 – August 2021

White & Case, Miami/Washington DC, USA
LL.M. Practicum, International Arbitration, January 2020 – May 2020

Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer, Moscow, Russia
Associate, Dispute Resolution, November 2017 – July 2019

Law Clerk, October 2014 – October 2017

EDUCATION:

University of Miami School of Law, Coral Gables, Florida
LL.M. in International Arbitration, May 2020

Lomonosov Moscow State University, Law Faculty, Moscow, Russia
Master of Laws in Private Law, June 2017

Lomonosov Moscow State University, Law Faculty, Moscow, Russia
LL.B., June 2015

PUBLICATIONS:

Daria Kuznetsova et al., *A Commentary to Articles 230-235 of the Arbitrazh Procedure Code of the Russian Federation and Article 9 of the European Convention on International Commercial Arbitration of 1961, in Recognition and Enforcement of Foreign Arbitral Awards in Russia and ex-USSR States* (Aug. 2019)

LANGUAGES:

Russian (native); English (fluent)

REPRESENTATIVE MATTERS

- Representing an American technology company offering energy and water resource management services against a UAE ICT infrastructure and services integration company in a DIFC-LCIA arbitration relating to an alleged breach of a Teaming Agreement.
- Representing the largest private Indian construction company in parallel UNCITRAL and ICC proceedings with an African state and its ministry of transportation in relation to a USD 3 billion port and rail project.
- Represented the largest Russian energy company in SCC and ICSID arbitration against Georgia, relating to the breach of Georgia's undertakings with regard to the adjustment of electricity tariffs following Georgia's currency depreciation.
- Represented the client in LCIA arbitration, related to the building of skyscrapers in Moscow. The proceedings involved parallel litigations in courts of Cyprus and discovery proceedings in the US.
- Represented a subsidiary of the largest Russian infrastructure company in several arbitrations before the International Commercial Arbitration Court at the Chamber of Commerce of the Russian Federation arising from construction of a railway in Libya.
- Represented investment fund in SIAC arbitration arising from a contract for development, manufacturing and supply of smartphones.