

## Maria A. Arboleda

Senior Associate  
Washington, D.C.

### Biography

Maria Arboleda advises clients in many industries, including agriculture, steel, energy, and consumer products sectors. She is a dual-qualified civil law and common law attorney, representing clients before international arbitration tribunals under various rules and institutions, including the International Centre for Settlement of Investment Disputes (ICSID), International Chamber of Commerce (ICC), the Arbitration Rules of the United Nations Commission on International Trade Law (UNCITRAL), and the Bogota Chamber of Commerce Arbitration and Conciliation Centre.

Maria regularly represents companies and governments in international trade litigation before the U.S. Court of International Trade, the World Trade Organization (WTO), and U.S.-Mexico-Canada Agreement (USMCA) panels; as well as in administrative proceedings before the U.S. Department of Commerce, the Chinese Ministry of Commerce, the Colombian Ministry of Industry, Commerce and Tourism, and other authorities in LatAm in a wide range of industries, including aircraft, steel, agriculture, forestry, and mining.

Prior to joining Hogan Lovells, Maria was an associate at a leading dispute resolution team in a Colombian law firm and a member of a leading international arbitration team at a law firm in Paris.

Maria served as the Director for the Young Forum of the Colombian Arbitration Committee and as a member of the board of the Young Arbitrators'



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### Languages

English  
Spanish

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### Practices

International Arbitration  
International Trade and Investment

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### Industries

Aerospace and Defense  
Energy and Natural Resources

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### Education and admissions

### Education

Network of the Arbitration and Conciliation Centre of the Bogota Chamber of Commerce. She is also a frequent speaker in various forums, including the American Law Society, Young ICCA, Bogota Chamber of Commerce, ICC YAF, among others.

Maria received an LL.M. from Columbia Law School, where she was a recipient of the Parker School Certificate for Achievement in International and Comparative Law. She co-chaired the Columbia Arbitration Day 2014-15 and was a member of the Columbia International Arbitration Academy Board.

## Representative experience

Secured a victory for a major investment fund in the Boeing - Bombardier Civil Aircraft From Canada countervailing duty dispute.

Representing the government of Ontario in the Softwood Lumber countervailing duty dispute, including U.S., NAFTA, CUSMA, and WTO proceedings and appeals.

Represented an investor in an investment treaty arbitration against a Latin American state.\*

Representing a state entity in a commercial arbitration under the ICC rules.

Secured a victory for U.S. Grains Council and U.S. corn and ethanol producers and traders in both Peruvian countervailing duty disputes of corn and ethanol from the U.S.

Secured a victory for Brazilian producer in a wood mouldings and millwork products antidumping duty dispute.

\*Matter handled prior to joining Hogan Lovells.

## Latest thinking and events

### ■ News

- Foreign investors should consider treaty protections when structuring their investments abroad

LL.M., Columbia Law School, Parker School Certificate for Achievement in International and Comparative Law, 2015

Law Degree, Universidad del Rosario, 2011

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## Memberships

Board, Young Arbitrators' Network, Arbitration Centre of the Bogota Chamber of Commerce

Member, Asociación Latinoamericana de Arbitraje (ALARB)

Member, International Bar Association (IBA)

Member, ICC Young Arbitrators Forum (YAF)

Member, LCIA Young International Arbitration Group (YIAG)

Member, Young ICCA

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## Bar admissions and qualifications

Licensed as a Special Legal Consultant, District of Columbia

New York

Colombia

District of Columbia

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## Court admissions

U.S. Court of International Trade

U.S. Court of Appeals, Federal Circuit

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- News
  - Hogan Lovells International Trade and Investment team ranked Tier 1 by The Legal 500 U.S. 2023
- News
  - Dispute settlement - it's what's for dinner: A menu for dispute settlement in the Asia Pacific region
- News
  - Hogan Lovells secures second ITC victory for Brazilian steel, third key ITC victory in 2022
- Press releases
  - Hogan Lovells secures important ITC victory for Brazilian steel products
- Press releases
  - Hogan Lovells secures Court of International Trade victory for Brazilian wood mouldings producer Araupel S.A.