

Juliana De Valdenebro Garrido

Senior Associate
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Biography

Juliana de Valdenebro-Garrido handles international commercial and investment arbitration disputes from beginning to end, and is already a recognized leader in the international arbitration community. She has a rare skillset that distinguishes her from her peers: she is an experienced civil law attorney who is equally versed in common law, and is an especially effective advocate before international arbitration tribunals. Juliana is a skilled advocate having handled client disputes, numerous hearings, and arbitrations during the course of her career throughout the United States, Latin America, and beyond.

Clients regularly turn to Juliana for her distinct arbitral know-how, strategic acumen, and relentless pursuit of their best interests. She has amassed a long list of arbitration wins before various arbitral institutions and rules, such as International Chamber of Commerce (ICC), International Centre for Settlement of Investment Disputes, as well the United Nations Commission on International Trade Law (UNCITRAL) rules and has worked on a number of post-arbitral proceedings ranging from annulment to enforcement of awards. Most recently, Juliana was the lead associate in six arbitration hearings in six months which proved to be an important accomplishment.

Juliana currently serves as an International Chamber of Commerce (ICC) Young Arbitrators Forum (YAF)



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Languages

English
Spanish

Practices

International Arbitration
Our legal work in Latin America

Industries

Manufacturing and Industrials
Energy and Natural Resources

Education and admissions

Education

representative for North America, a role where the ICC appoints those future leaders to be ambassadors of the leading arbitral institution. She is also a frequent speaker in the most relevant forums, including ICC Miami, GAR Live – Future Leaders, the Conferencia Latinoamericana de Arbitraje, ICC NEW York, IBA Arb40, among others.

Before joining Hogan Lovells, Juliana practiced at a leading firm in Bogotá, Colombia, where she focused on domestic and international arbitrations. She received her LL.M. from Harvard Law School, where she co-founded HIALSA and received the Dean's Award for Community Leadership.

Representative experience

Representing a Central American country in investment treaty arbitration related to the expropriation of real estate assets for an ecotourism project.

Representing a Central American country in investment treaty arbitration administered under the rules of the ICSID related to the expropriation of a mining concession.

Representing a Central American country in investment treaty arbitration related to the expropriation of a trading house in violation of securities law.

Representing an investor against the Dominican Republic related to the expropriation of a concession to operate a sanitary landfill.

Advising a Central American country in the negotiation of the investment chapter of a free trade agreement with China.

Representing client in ICC arbitration seated in Miami in relation to a breach of contract pertaining to an accounts receivable contract.

Representing a government entity in an ICC dispute related to public utility services.

Awards and rankings

■ Lexology Client Choice Awards, *Law Business Journal*,

Juris Doctor, Florida International University, magna cum laude, 2021

LL.M., Harvard Law School, Dean's Award for Community Leadership, 2015

Law Degree, Universidad de Los Andes, magna cum laude, 2010

Memberships

Member, Young ICCA Mentoring Program, 2015-2016

Member, International Chamber of Commerce Young Arbitrators Forum

Bar admissions and qualifications

Florida

2024

- Rising Star, *Latinvex*, 2021
- Latin America's Rising Legal Stars, *Latinvex*, 2020

Latest thinking and events

- Awards & rankings
 - Juliana De Valdenebro Garrido selected as a North America Regional Representative for the ICC Young Arbitrators Forum (YAF)
- News
 - COVID-19: will State measures give rise to a new set of investment claims?
- Hogan Lovells Events
 - Women in Arbitration Reception
- Published Works
 - Coffee, Anyone? An Insider's Look at the Gender Disparity in International Arbitration *ILLP Review 2019-2020: The State of Diversity and Inclusion in the Legal Profession*
- Published Works
 - Coffee, Anyone? An Insider's Look at the Gender Disparity in International Arbitration *2018 Review of the Institute for Inclusion in the Legal Profession*
- Published Works
 - A Legal Framework Is Only as Good as Its Implementation: The Conflation of Grounds for Denying Enforcement and Vacating Arbitral Awards in Industrial Risk *International Law Quarterly, International Law Section of the Florida Bar*