

CURRICULUM VITAE

Name

Gregor Kleinknecht LL.M. MCI Arb

Educational and Professional Qualifications

Professional Qualifications: Rechtsanwalt (Frankfurt a.M., Germany) (1995) and Solicitor (England and Wales) (1996); Panellist (ADR.eu) (2006), Panel Neutral (WIPO Arbitration and Mediation Centre) (2005), Accredited Mediator (ADR Group) (2003), Member of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators (1999). Education: studied law Cologne and Freiburg i.Br., Germany, and Geneva, Switzerland (1985-1991); first state exam in law (1991), second state exam in law (1995), LL.M. (London) (1993), Qualified Lawyers Transfer Test (1996).

Languages

English and German.

Experience with respect to IP / domain names

Partner at Hunters Solicitors in London, specialising in contentious and non-contentious IP law and in complex international commercial arbitration, litigation and ADR. Advised and represented clients in numerous domain name disputes and claims for trade mark infringement and passing off. Advising on brand protection strategies, trade mark clearance, and the creation, protection and exploitation of IP rights. Experienced panellist for domain name disputes and commercial arbitrator. Corporate LiveWire Intellectual Property Lawyer of the Year - UK (2014). Widely published author of articles and book chapters on IP related topics.

Membership in professional bodies

The Law Society, Rechtsanwaltskammer Frankfurt a.M., Member of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators, Deutsche Institution fuer Schiedsgerichtsbarkeit (DIS), INTA, International Bar Association (IBA), Union Internationale des Avocats (UIA), American Bar Association (ABA) Section of International Law, and others.