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NATIONALITY Costa Rican national

- PROFESSIONAL**
- Member of the ICSID Panel of Arbitrators and Conciliators for Costa Rica
 - Member of the National Eligible Arbitrators for International Trade Agreements
 - Former Minister of Foreign Trade of Costa Rica (2018-2020)

- 2020 – to date **DJ ARBITRAJE**
San José, Costa Rica. Independent firm
Principal
- 2018 - 2020 **GOVERNMENT OF COSTA RICA**, Minister of Foreign Trade
In charge of the accession process of Costa Rica to the OECD; responsible for the definition of trade and foreign direct investment policies; chair of the board of the exports promotion agency, PROCOMER
- 2015 - 2018 **DJ ARBITRAJE**
San José, Costa Rica. Independent firm
Consultant, counsel and arbitrator
- 2014 - 2015 **LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF COSTA RICA**
Congressional advisor
- 2013 - 2014 **GOVERNMENT OF COSTA RICA**
Advisor to the Minister of Finance, advisor on congressional matters and political affairs
- 2011 - 2013 **DJ ARBITRAJE**
Santiago, Chile. Independent firm; consultant, counsel and arbitrator
- 2009 - 2010 **BOFILL MIR & ALVAREZ JANA**
Santiago, Chile. Senior Associate in international arbitration
- 2007 - 2009 **CAREY & Cía.**
Santiago, Chile. Special Counsel for international arbitration
- 2004 - 2007 **INTERNATIONAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE (ICC)**
Based in Santiago, Chile
First Director for Latin America of the ICC International Court of Arbitration
- 2000 - 2004 **ICC**
Paris, France
- Counsel, ADR team
 - Deputy Counsel, Latin American team
- 1999 – 2000 **SHEARMAN & STERLING**
Paris, France
Intern in the international arbitration team
- 1996 – 1998 **GOVERNMENT OF COSTA RICA**
Director of the Office and Advisor to the First Vice President of the Republic

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ACADEMIA

- 2018 **LEAD UNIVERSITY, COSTA RICA**
Co-professor on International Trade
- 2017 – 2018 **ICC INTERNATIONAL COURT OF ARBITRATION**
Co-editor-in-chief, ADR Bulletin
- 2004 -2013 **UNIVERSIDAD DE CHILE**
Professor Heidelberg – Universidad de Chile LL.M.
- 2006 -2013 Guest professor of the “International Commercial Arbitration” course of the Universidad de Chile Law School

EDUCATION

- 2020 **CEDR**
Training course for mediators in Investor-State disputes (30 hrs)
- 1998 – 1999 **GEORGETOWN UNIVERSITY**
Washington, D.C., United States
LL.M. in International Law (graduated with distinction; Fulbright scholar)
President of F.L.A.G. (“Foreign Lawyers at Georgetown”)
- 1991 - 1997 **UNIVERSIDAD DE COSTA RICA**
San José, Costa Rica
- Law Degree (thesis with distinction)
 - Participation in the *Philip C Jessup International Moot Court Competition* (first Latin American team to attain quarter-finals)

- PUBLICATIONS**
- Press articles
 - More than 20 publications on international arbitration. For a complete list, see www.djarbitraje.com

- ACKNOWLEDGMENTS**
- Chambers & Partners, Latin America (2011- 2012)
 - Who’s Who of International Arbitration (2009-2011-2012)
 - Who’s Who of International Litigation (2011-2012)
 - GAR 65 under 40 (2011)

- ASSOCIATIONS**
- Co-moderator OGEMID discussion group
 - Latin American Arbitration Association, ALARB
 - International Arbitration Institute
 - ICC Latin American Arbitration Group
 - Costa Rican Bar Association
 - Vice President of the ICC ADR and Arbitration Commission (2017-2018)

LANGUAGES Bilingual Spanish and English; fluent French and advanced Portuguese