

ANDREW JEFFRIES

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ABOUT ANDREW

Andrew Jeffries is an experienced arbitrator and arbitration counsel, dealing with a broad range of commercial disputes. Since retiring from Allen & Overy in 2011, he has pursued his career as an independent arbitrator, and also as an external training consultant on arbitration and dispute resolution. He sits as party-appointed, sole and presiding arbitrator.

He has sat as arbitrator in disputes across the globe covering in particular energy, infrastructure and construction projects, joint ventures, manufacturing and licensing, finance and general commercial trading. In Asia-Pacific this includes disputes concerning power stations, major infrastructure construction, electronics manufacture licensing and copyright, a food processing complex and a variety of joint venture, sale & purchase and other commercial arrangements.

Since 1989 he has also acted as counsel in numerous arbitrations worldwide. Within Asia-Pacific this has included such matters as a power plant dispute in Hong Kong, a Hong Kong import/export business, a disputed offshore oil unitisation, the operation of two Philippines geothermal power plants, the Manila water and sewerage system, construction and operation of a Korean chemical plant and a Singapore incinerator plant, development of a PRC toll road network, and ISDA swaps arbitrations in the PRC.

He has acted as arbitrator or counsel under all the major arbitration rules and institutions, including LCIA, ACICA, KLCA (now AIAC), ICC, ICSID, HKIAC, SIAC, CIETAC, and AAA. He is a panel arbitrator for ACICA, SIAC, AIAC and VIAC. He is a UK Civil Higher Court Advocate and conducted arbitrations as lead advocate.

In 2003 he was appointed a Deputy Registrar of the High Court of Hong Kong. He was the author of Enforcement of Arbitration Awards in China for Sweet & Maxwell's Arbitration in China, A Practical Guide. He sat as a Hong Kong Council Member for the ICC and was part of the Hong Kong Department of Justice committee on reform of the Arbitration Ordinance of Hong Kong. He was a member of the Law Reform Commission of Hong Kong, and the Law Society of Hong Kong Council.

He also acts as a training consultant, in particular for CIArb, teaching dispute resolution subjects, including commercial arbitration and advocacy. He provides bespoke training to law firms and professional bodies and is a preferred tutor for the AIAC Academy.

He is an accredited Expert Determiner with Resolution Institute, Australia
Born 1965



QUALIFICATION

- Fellow, CIArb 2007
- Fellow, AIADR 2018
- Solicitor, Hong Kong 2000
- Civil Higher Court Advocate, England & Wales 1997
- Solicitor, England and Wales 1990

POSITIONS HELD

- Independent Arbitrator 2011-date
- Partner, Joint Global Head of Corporate Litigation, Allen & Overy LLP, London 2008-2011
- Partner, Head of Asian Arbitration 1999-2008
- Allen & Overy LLP, Hong Kong 1998-1999
- Partner, Allen & Overy LLP, London 1990-1998
- Associate, Allen & Overy LLP, London