

MEDIATOR INFORMATION

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	Fluent in Vietnamese, English			
<u>Fields of legal expertise</u>				
Arbitration Law, Maritime Law, Marine Insurance Law, and Commercial Law. Maritime and Cargo Claims. Carriage of Goods by Sea and Logistics. Commercial Disputes and Commodities Trade. Marine and International Trade. Insurance and Re-insurance. Charter parties and Shipbuilding. ADR and Commercial Mediation. International Commercial Litigation.				
<u>Types disputes have been resolved</u>				
He has regularly been asked to resolve disputes arising from international sale contracts, service contracts, shipping agency contracts, consultancy and design contracts, business co-operative agreements, supply contracts, joint venture contracts, marine insurance policies, M&A transactions, supply chain and logistic service contracts, leasing contracts, partnership agreements, contracts of carriage of goods by sea, loan agreements, etc				
<u>Career</u>				
13/07/2018- present	Founding Director of ADR Vietnam Chambers LLC.			
10/1997 - present	Senior Partner of Dzungsr & Associates LLC, a boutique shipping and ADR law firm in Vietnam.			

07/2016 - 02/2017	Short Term Technical Consultant at Vietnam Governance for Inclusive Growth Program (GIG): working with an US retired judge to provide a training workshop on New York Convention 1958 for the Supreme People’s Court of Vietnam.
04/2015- 06/2017	Local Consultant for advisory services in alternative dispute resolution for IFC, a member of the World Bank Group: working with international consultants to design a Bench Book for Supreme People’s Court of Vietnam in the settlement of court cases involving mediation and arbitration matters.
02/2014 - 02/2017	Member of Editorial Team of the Ministry of Justice of Vietnam’s Drafting Board of Governmental Decree No. 22/2017 on Commercial Mediation in Vietnam: drafting the first legislation on commercial mediation in Vietnam.
14/07/2010 - 21/01/2016	Member of Policy Making Board of the Ministry of Justice’s Project No. 123 to establish a professional training center for lawyers meeting international economic integration, a division of Judicial Academy: drafting and commenting on the training program specially designed for international commercial lawyers in Vietnam.
23/06/2010 – 28/07/2011	Member of the Drafting Committee of the Ministry of Justice of Vietnam (“MOJ”) and in charge of drafting Governmental Decree No. 63 guiding the application of new arbitration law 2010 replacing the previous legislation on arbitration in 2003.
03/10/2009 – 07/2011	Visiting Lecturer on International Commercial Arbitration course at the Diplomatic Academy of Vietnam (“DAV”) of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Vietnam.
03/02/2009 – present	Visiting Lecturer on Arbitrating and Mediating Skills at the Judicial Academy of the Ministry of Justice of Vietnam.
12/2008 – 17/06/2010	Member of the Standing Editorial Board of the Drafting Committee of the Arbitration Law of the Vietnam Lawyers Association (“VLA”), in charge of drafting the new arbitration law 2010 replacing the previous legislation on arbitration in 2003.

28/08/2006 – 31/12/2011	Co-Founder, Vice-President, and Arbitrator of the Pacific International Arbitration Center (“PIAC”), a non-profit alternative dispute resolution organization in Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam: Acting as one of 10 board members and vice-president of PIAC to plan, manage and administer the operation of arbitration center.
01/03/2010 – 30/04/2010	Member of Transportation Group of The Prime Minister’s Special Task Force on Administrative Reform (“Project 30”) and in charge of reviewing administrative formalities in maritime activities.
01/3/2000 – 30/4/2000	Expert of Vietnam National Maritime Administration (“Vinamarine”) of Ministry of Transportation (“MOT”) of Vietnam in Hanoi: Acting as an assistant to the Chairman of Vinamarine in the field of international co-operation on maritime administration.
8/1995 – 10/1995	National Legal Consultant of UNCTAD’s project for multi-mode transports in Vietnam: Advising UNCTAD’s experts on transport law of Vietnam.
1993 – 1994	Assistant Director of Center for Scientific Research and International Co-operation of State Economic Arbitration of Vietnam (now restructured as Economic Tribunal of Supreme People’s Court of Vietnam): Assisting Director in studying new law and promote international co-operation with international institutions.
1991 – 1993	Law Lecturer of school for training arbitrators of State Economic Arbitration (now restructured as the Academy of Court of Supreme People’s Court of Vietnam): rendering lectures in field of contract law and commercial dispute resolution.
<u>Membership of Professional Associations</u>	
29/9/2020 – 03/07/2023	Member of ICC Task Force on Arbitration and ADR: Track 4: national Courts and ADR.
13/2/2020 – present	Mediator on the Panel of Hainan International Arbitration Court (HIAC)’s International Mediation Center of China.
27/06/2017 – present	Member of the International Council for Commercial Arbitration (ICCA).

8/6/2017 – 30/6/2021	Vietnamese Member of the International Court of Arbitration of the International Chamber of Commerce (ICC) and ICC Commission on Arbitration and ADR
18/04/2017 - present	Senior International Mediation Expert of Mainland – Hong Kong Joint Mediation Center.
16/03/2012 & 16/07/2021 - present	Member and then appointed as Vice President of the Research Council of The Vietnam International Arbitration Center (VIAC) at The Vietnam Chamber of Commerce and Industry (VCCI); researching arbitration matters for guiding arbitral tribunals to apply VIAC's Rules of arbitration
03/2014 - present	Member of the Arbitration Committee of the International Bar Association (“IBA”). Member of Bar Association of Hanoi, Vietnam.
21/04/2009 - present	Graded Member of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators (CIArb), East Asia Branch.

Specialization

Mr Nguyen Manh Dzung was trained on alternative dispute resolution (ADR) by law professor-Loukas Mistelis of the Queen Mary Law School, University of London (UK) and mediator - Christopher Newmark, former chairman of the ICC Commission on Arbitration and ADR.

Mr Nguyen Manh Dzung is also an editorial member of the Drafting Committees of both Chapter 33 of the Civil Procedure Code of Vietnam (CPC 2015) on the recognition of mediated settlement agreements and the Governmental Decree 22/2017/ND-CP dated 24th February 2017, the first legislation on commercial mediation in Vietnam. He was a deputy director of the Vietnam Mediation Center (VMC), the first mediation institution in Vietnam and has just been appointed to be a member of ICC Taskforce on ADR and Arbitration. Mr Nguyen closely works together with international experts to build the legal framework and train human resources in both commercial mediation, court-annexed mediation and investment mediation in Vietnam. He is listed as Mediator of Vietnam Mediation Center (VMC) of Vietnam, Mainland-Hong Kong Joint Mediation Center (MHJMC) of Hong Kong, China and Japan International Mediation Center (JIMC) in Kyoto, Japan. Mr Nguyen is a visiting lecturer on mediation skill at the Judicial Academy of the Ministry of Justice of Vietnam. He published many articles, book chapters and research papers on mediation and been regularly invited to speak at the various academic forum.

Academic/ Professional Qualifications

14/04/2009	Certificate of Passing the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators Award Writing Examination with a mark of 79% organised by the School of International Arbitration, Queen Mary, University of London (UK) in conjunction with Chartered Institute of Arbitrators (CIArb).
01/11/2008	<p>LL.M in Comparative and International Dispute Resolution issued by School of International Arbitration, Queen Mary, University of London (UK)</p> <p>LL.M Thesis: <i>“An Attempt to Identify the Essential Characteristics of Major Regional Arbitration Institutions and New Trends in the Asia - Pacific Region”</i>.</p> <p><u>Advisor:</u> Prof. Loukas A. Mistelis, LLB, MLE, Dr Iuris, MCIArb, Advocate Clive M Schmitthoff Professor of Transnational Commercial Law and Arbitration, Director of School of International Arbitration, Centre for Commercial Law Studies, Queen Mary, University of London.</p> <p><u>LL.M Modules:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ QLLM043 INTERNATIONAL AND COMPARATIVE COMMERCIAL ARBITRATION ▪ QLLM051 INTERNATIONAL COMMERCIAL LITIGATION ▪ QLLM064 INTERNATIONAL TRADE AND INVESTMENT DISPUTE SETTLEMENT <p>Optional Module: ALTERNATIVE DISPUTE RESOLUTION (ADR)</p>
11/04/2002	Practicing Certificate issued by the Minister of Justice of Vietnam.
18/03/1997	Certificate of Attendance for Ministry of Justice’s course for training practicing skills of lawyers.
1996	Certificate of Attendance for Galbraith’s Shipping Course, UK
25/09/1990	<p>LL.B issued by Hanoi University of Law, Vietnam.</p> <p>LL.B Thesis: <i>“The application of injunctions provided in the Criminal Proceeding Code of Vietnam”</i></p> <p><u>Supervisor:</u> Mr. Nguyen Ngoc Huyen, PhD, former Deputy Director of the Judicial Academy of Vietnam</p>

<u>Professional Awards</u>	
2024	Named in Vietnam Top's 100 Lawyers 2022 by Asia Business Law Journal (A-List).
2023	Awarded a certificate of merit by the Vietnamese Minister of Justice for my significant contribution to implementing Law on Lawyers in Vietnam in the last fifteen years!
2023	Recognised as a Global Leader and National Leader for the Vietnam Jurisdiction in the prestigious Transport- Shipping and Arbitration fields. This recognition comes from the Who's Who Legal and Global Arbitration Review (GAR).
2023	Recognised as an Arbitrator of Excellence for his outstanding contribution to the Vietnam International Arbitration Centre (VIAC) and a Mediator of Excellence for his remarkable efforts at the Vietnam Mediation Centre (VMC).
2023	Named in Vietnam Top's 100 Lawyers 2022 by Asia Business Law Journal
2022	Elite Practitioner in Dispute Resolution by Asia Law
2021	Vietnam's Top 100 Lawyers by Asia Business Law Journal
2021	Elite Practitioner in Dispute Resolution by Asia Law
2020	Leading lawyer in the Dispute Resolution Practice by The Legal 500 Asia Pacific 2020.
2017	Leading dispute resolution lawyer in Chambers Asia Pacific 2017 Guide.
2016	Market leading lawyer in dispute resolution & litigation, shipping, maritime & aviation in Asia law Profiles 2016 Edition
2014/2015/2016/2017	Recommended Lawyer for Vietnam Jurisdiction in the International Who's Who of Transport /Shipping Lawyers
2014/2015/2016	Leading lawyer in the Dispute Resolution Practice by The Legal 500 Asia Pacific
2009/2010/2011	Recommended Lawyer for Vietnam Jurisdiction in the International Who's Who of Shipping & Maritime Lawyers
2003/2004	"Recommended Dispute Resolution Practitioner in Vietnam" by Practical Law Company's Global Counsel 3000

2002	Annual Conference of Bar Association of Thai Binh province, Vietnam: “ <i>Award for Significant Contribution to the Successful Development of Legal Practice</i> ” by local government of Thai Binh province
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