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Kseniya is an experienced disputes resolutions attorney, representing a wide-range of clients in complex international commercial and investment arbitrations, as well as English and off-shore litigation. Her practice focuses on complex cross-border financial and shareholding structures, disputes on joint ventures and foreign investments, as well as large infrastructure projects, including oil and gas pipelines.

Kseniya has over 10 years' experience covering a broad range of contentious matters, as well as general commercial matters.

She has significant experience advising major banking and financial institutions, manufacturing and supply clients, as well as private individuals in high-value complex commercial international litigation and arbitration, as well as in bilateral investment treaty cases. She has been involved in a broad range of matters, in particular involving allegations of gross breaches of commercial contracts, misuse of funds, misappropriation of assets and shareholder disputes in general.

Kseniya's fluency in four languages (English, Russian, Spanish, and French), has proven many times to be an invaluable and difficult-to-find asset for an international practice. Kseniya has represented clients from multiple jurisdictions such as the United Kingdom, Russia, India, Dubai, Switzerland, the United States, China, Nigeria, the Netherlands, Haiti, and the Bahamas. In addition to her experience with English high court litigation and international arbitration administered under ICC, LCIA, HKCIA, SCC, and ICSID rules, she has also represented clients in pleadings in the Cayman Islands, BVI, and The Bahamas. More specifically, she was part of a team acting for U.S. mining company Dominion Minerals in a \$268 million ICSID claim against Panama over the loss of a copper mining concession. Moreover, she represented a private equity company in an HKIAC dispute with its Chinese joint venture partners over a mixed-use property development.

Kseniya has also represented clients in injunctive proceedings, in particular relating to freezing injunctions, and has a particular interest in issues relating to fraud and money laundering, as well as the UK Bribery Act.

Recent Experience

Credentials

EDUCATION

Kseniya received a B.A. and an M.A. from the University of Cambridge. She received a Postgraduate Diploma in Law (PGDL) from Oxford University.

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