



# RAQUEL MACEDO MOREIRA

Lawyer, Research Associate, Lecturer

**NATIONALITIES:** Portuguese / Brazilian

**BAR ADMISSIONS:**

- Member of the Brazilian Bar (OAB/SP), 2016
- Member of the Italian Bar (Ordine degli Avvocati di Milano) , 2021
- Currently pursuing qualification as a Solicitor in England and Wales

**EDUCATION:**

- Master in Contract, Claim and Delay Management in Construction Works, POLITECNICO MILANO, Italy (*summa cum laude*)
- LL.M. International Business Law, ULB, Belgium (*magna cum laude*)
- J.D. equivalent, Universidade de São Paulo (USP), Brazil

**LANGUAGES:**

- Portuguese, English, Italian (native or bilingual proficiency)
- French, Spanish (working knowledge)

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## EXPERIENCE

*See Raquel Macedo Moreira's full portfolio of cases [here](#)*

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| <b>May 2023 - present</b>  | <b>Independent Practitioner, RMM Dispute Resolution</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Acting as arbitrator in international commercial disputes.</li><li>• Secretary of the arbitral tribunal and consultancy on international commercial disputes, mainly focused on commercial contracts, intellectual property and construction matters.</li></ul> |
| <b>Oct 2023 - present</b>  | <b>Research Associate, Centre of Construction Law &amp; Dispute Resolution, King's College London, UK</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Academic research on dispute resolution methods, mainly adjudication, dispute boards and arbitration.</li><li>• Academic support on the centre's active courses, e.g. MSc and FIDIC Summer School.</li></ul>  |
| <b>Apr 2024 - present</b>  | <b>Adjunct Lecturer, LL.M. in International Business Law, ULB, Belgium</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Creation, development and delivery of the Moot Court Arbitration Seminar course.</li></ul>   |
| <b>Feb 2022 - Apr 2023</b> | <b>International Arbitration Associate, ARBLIT, Italy</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Assisted partners acting as arbitrators in commercial and investment cases.</li></ul>   |
| <b>Oct 2017 - Jan 2022</b> | <b>International Arbitration Associate, De Berti Jacchia, Italy</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Worked as counsel in high-value arbitrations.</li><li>• Activities included strategizing, drafting, cross-examining and client management.</li></ul>  |
| <b>Jul 2015 - Sep 2016</b> | <b>Research Assistant, Prof. Carlos Eduardo Stefen Elias, Brazil</b>  |
| <b>Nov 2013 - Jul 2015</b> | <b>Trainee, Lucon Advogados, Brazil</b>   |

## SELECTED CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE FIELD

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### PUBLICATIONS

- *Prova Pericial em Arbitragens de Construção: Reflexões para o Contexto Brasileiro*, to be published in 2025 (book title and publisher forthcoming)
- *2024 Dispute Board International Survey*, King's College London, December 2024 (co-authored with Prof. Renato Nazzini)
- *A nova reforma da Lei de Arbitragem Italiana*, Revista de Arbitragem e Mediação, No. 75, Issue 4, 2022
- *A Permanent Body of Adjudicators as ISDS Reform: Can We Still Call it Arbitration?*, International Journal of Arbitration, Mediation and Dispute Management, Vol. 88 Issue 2, 2022
- *COVID-19 and the Impact on International Arbitration*, De Berti Jacchia Studio Legale, 11 May 2020 (co-authored with Avv. Michelangelo Cicogna and Avv. Marco Seregni)
- *Religion as Qualification: Can the appointment of arbitrators be based on religion?*, article presented at the 10th ICC YAF-YAAP Joint Conference in Vienna, May 2018
- *The Détachement of International Arbitration: Reflections on the Existence of an Arbitral Order Détaché*, Revista Brasileira de Arbitragem, Issue 52, Kluwer Law International, 2016

### EVENTS & PRESENTATIONS

- Moderator at "Inside the 32nd Vis Moot Problem: Procedural and Applicable Law Issues", organized by AA40 and Arbit, Rome (Feb 2025)
- Speaker at "Trends in Dispute Boards and Adjudication", organized by Fenwick Elliott (Feb 2025)
- Presenter at "2024 Dispute Board Report Unveiling" with interview of Prof. Renato Nazzini and Sir Vivian Ramsay (Dec 2024)
- Speaker at "Seminário Dispute Board", organized by Unisinos, Porto Alegre (Nov 2024)
- Moderator at "International Construction Disputes – Bridging the Gap between Common Law and Civil Law", organized by Pinheiro Neto, São Paulo (Oct 2024)
- Speaker at "Brazilian Chapter of CEIA at SPAW – Current Issues in Arbitration and Dispute Boards with Public Administration", São Paulo (Oct 2024)
- Moderator at "Young ICCA Skills Workshop Enforcement of Arbitral Awards", São Paulo (Oct 2024)
- Moderator at "Construction Arbitration – Perspectives from Brazil and the Middle East", organized by Arbitration Channel (May 2024)

### THOUGHT LEADERSHIP

**UK Chapter Coordinator** – AA40 The Italian below40 Arbitration Association (April 2025 – present)

**Mentoring Co-director** – Young ICCA Mentoring Programme (October 2024 – present)

**Creator** – A-LIST: the Celebrities of the Arbitration Cases (available [online](#))

**Co-Founder of IADG** – International Arbitration Discussion Group (April 2023 – 2024)

**Founding Member of ND Arb** – Núcleo de Debates em Arbitragem (October 2021 – November 2024)

**Coach of the King's College London** – Day of Crisis Competition (January 2024 – May 2024)

**Mentee and Group Advisor** – Young ICCA Mentoring Programme (January 2018 – December 2023)

**Coach of the Bocconi University** – Willem C. Vis Moot (October 2017 – April 2023)

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