



Antje Baumann is an arbitration practitioner with over 23 years of experience in advising clients in complex, high-value commercial disputes. She is primarily serving as an arbitrator in international proceedings, encompassing a broad spectrum of legal systems and subject matters. Antje's core areas of specialization include disputes arising from post-M&A transactions, joint-ventures, energy sector matters, as well as IP/IT and licensing disputes, in addition to broader commercial contract conflicts.

Antje's professional expertise is widely recognized in leading national and international rankings. Who's Who Legal refers to her as "one of the go-to arbitrators of her age", "extremely skilled", "one of the superstars", and "very experienced and great to work with". The German legal publication JUVE praises her as "prudent and meticulous" and commends her ability to "excel in large-scale cases". In a 2024 JUVE feature, she was named one of Germany's most experienced arbitrators, and notably, the youngest with a track record of 115 appointments.

In 2019, Antje founded BAUMANN Resolving Disputes, a boutique law firm specializing in dispute resolution. Prior to this, she spent a decade in the International Arbitration Practice Group at Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer. Antje holds a PhD in Law from the University of Osnabrueck and a Master of Laws (LL.M.) degree from the UC Berkeley School of Law. She is admitted to practice law in Germany and in the State of New York, USA, and is also a trained and active business mediator.

Beyond her legal practice, Antje is an honorary professor at the University of Osnabrueck, where she lectures on negotiation, conflict management, and international arbitration. A highly regarded speaker, she is regularly invited to present at international conferences and contributes actively to the scholarly discourse – among other roles, she is co-editor of the "Practitioner's Handbook on International Commercial Arbitration" (Oxford University Press) and author of the Commentary on the ICC Rules. Antje also serves as Chair of the Hamburg Arbitration Circle (HAC e. V.), a non-profit association of Hamburg-based lawyers, judges, and arbitrators committed to promoting arbitration practice in the region. Since 2024, she has been a member of the ICC Court of Arbitration, where she is entrusted with, among other responsibilities, the scrutiny of arbitral awards and the review of procedural decisions made by arbitral tribunals.

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