

# SIMC Specialist Mediator's Curriculum Vitae

#### **Personal Particulars**

First Name

Douglas

Surname

Freeman

Designation

**Managing Partner** 

**Organisation** 

Law Offices of Douglas K. Freeman

### **Educational/Professional Background**

2007 to date Managing Partner, Law Offices of Douglas K. Freeman

2002-2007 Sullivan & Cromwell LLP, New York & Tokyo

2002 Columbia Law School, J.D. (Notes Editor, Columbia Law Review, James Kent Scholar)

1997-1999 Hamada Law Office, Tokyo

1996 Legal Training and Research Institute, Supreme Court of Japan

1990 University of Tokyo, Faculty of Law, LL.B.

Japanese and New York qualified lawyer with extensive practice experience in both jurisdictions

Ranked No. 5 nationally in the 2017 Nikkei Corporate Lawyers' Survey–Dispute Resolution Division

#### **Mediation**

- Served as mediator in JCAA mediation between Japanese and Hong Kong parties (2017)
- Served as co-arbitrator of three-member tribunal in JCAA arbitration concluded by mediation under the JCAA Mediation Rules (2016)
- Served as co-arbitrator of three-member tribunal in JCAA arbitration including mediation proceedings under the JCAA Mediation Rules (2014-2016)

#### **Arbitration**

- Serving as co-arbitrator of three-member tribunal in JCAA arbitration (2017-)
- Serving as co-arbitrator of three-member tribunal in two ICC arbitrations (2018-)
- Served as sole arbitrator in two JCAA arbitrations (2014-2016)
- Served as sole arbitrator in two ICC arbitrations (2012-2015)
- Served as chairman of three-member tribunal in two JCAA arbitrations (2013-2016)
- Served as co-arbitrator of three-member tribunal in JCAA arbitration (2014-2015)
- Served as co-arbitrator of three-member tribunal in three ICC arbitrations (2009-2015)

#### **Mediation Education and Training**

Attended Advanced Masterclass for Arbitrators held by ICC in Paris (2011) Qualified as CIArb Fellow (2013) SIMC Specialist Mediation Workshop (2018)

## Some Professional Affiliations

Member, New York State Bar Member, Daini Tokyo Bar Association Chair, ClArb Japan Chapter Member, JCAA Procedural Advisory Committee