

# Hassan Saeed Abaragh



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## **Qualification**

Hassan Saeed is graduated with a Master of Laws in English and North American Business Law (LL.M) from Paris 1, Sorbonne University in 1995. He obtained a Master of Laws in International and European Community Law (LL.M), in Paris 10, Nanterre University in 1994. He holds also a Diploma of Japanese Culture and Civilization from Shimane University, Matsue, Japan, 1999.

## **Professional Experience**

Hassan started his career as trainee in the Arbitration Court of the International Chamber of Commerce (ICC) then worked in White and Case. He has over 20 years of experience in international business law and dispute resolution in France, Japan, UAE and GCC countries. In 2013, he co-founded in Abu Dhabi (UAE) the International Consultant Law Office (ICLO), a boutique law firm focusing on arbitration and international business law member of MARCALLIANCE, a leading independent law firms network operating in 20 countries.

His principal place of practice is Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates but he also has extensive experience in advising and assisting clients throughout the EU, East Asia, GCC and MENA region. He is advising many international clients regarding their projects in UAE and GCC region and is also the counsel of numerous local clients for their expansion abroad.

Hassan is experienced with in Civil Law, Common Law and Japanese Law. His working languages are English, French and Arabic and he has a solid knowledge in Italian and basic knowledge in Japanese and Spanish. He works and has worked jointly with many international law firms on projects in or related to GCC/MENA Region.

Hassan sits also as arbitrator and appears as counsel and co-counsel in national and regional arbitrations. He is also actively involved in the development of arbitration's practice in the UAE and MENA region. His practice focuses primarily on Investment Law, Arbitration, Construction and Infrastructure, Regulation and Compliance, intellectual property, Energy Law, Technology Law, Corporate and Commercial Litigation.

Hassan has published a number of articles and co-launched the first "*UAE Arbitration Yearbook*" edited by the "International Consultant Law Office" (ICLO).

**Memberships**

International Bar Association, Arbitration Law Committee, member  
International Bar Association, Technology Law Committee, member  
Emirates Japan Marketing Council (EJMC), board Member.