

Curriculum Vitae

Leonardo Ohlrogge

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Name	Leonardo Ohlrogge
Citizenships	Brazilian German
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Admissions	Brazil (2011) Portugal (2019) Switzerland - EU/EFTA List (2021)

EDUCATION

09/2014 – 08/2018	Ph.D. University of St. Gallen (Switzerland)
02/2017 – 06/2017	Visiting Researcher Geneva Graduate Institute (Switzerland)
09/2013 – 08/2014	LL.M. Goethe-Universität Frankfurt am Main (Germany)
04/2014 – 07/2014	German & International Arbitration Course Goethe-Universität Frankfurt am Main (Germany)
03/2005 – 08/2011	LL.B. Pontifical Catholic University of Rio Grande do Sul (Brazil)
04/2008 – 09/2009	Exchange Student (Three Semesters) Albert-Ludwigs-Universität Freiburg im Breisgau (Germany)

EXPERIENCE IN EUROPE

02/2019 – Present	MLL Legal – Zurich (Switzerland) Senior Associate
11/2016 – 12/2018	Patocchi & Marzolini – Geneva (Switzerland) Associate
06/2016 – 08/2016	Pestalozzi – Zurich (Switzerland) Foreign Associate
03/2016 – 05/2016	Schellenberg Wittmer – Zurich (Switzerland) Arbitration Trainee
12/2015 – 02/2016	Wilmer Cutler Pickering Hale and Dorr – London (UK) Legal Intern
09/2014 – 08/2015	University of St. Gallen (Switzerland) Research Assistant
05/2014 – 07/2014	Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer – Frankfurt (Germany) Foreign Intern
10/2012 – 10/2013	Heuking Kühn Lüer Wojtek – Frankfurt (Germany) Visiting Lawyer

EXPERIENCE IN BRAZIL

08/2009 – 09/2012	Sergio Müller & Advogados Trainee Associate (Litigation and restructuring proceedings)
10/2006 – 11/2007	Court of Appeal of the State of Rio Grande do Sul Intern (Criminal law)
08/2005 – 09/2006	District Court of Porto Alegre Intern (Civil law)

LECTURER POSITION

2023 – 2026	Federal University of Bahia Guest Lecturer (Master and Ph.D. Programme)
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ARBITRATION ORGANIZATIONS

Young ISTAC	Mentoring Programme Mentor 2026 – 2027 (4 th Cycle)
Young ICCA	Regional Representative (Europe) Term 2024-2026
Young ICCA	Mentoring Programme Group Advisor (Mentor Ms Anne Hoffmann) 2024 – 2025 (11 th Cycle)
Swiss Arbitration	Ambassador (Brazil)

PUBLICATIONS

Revista de Arbitragem e Mediação	OHLROGGE/MARTINS COSTA, Taking of Evidence in International Arbitration (Revista de Arbitragem e Mediação, Vol. 90/2026, to be published) – PT
Book Chapter	OHLROGGE, Respondent's Default and the Conduct of Arbitration Proceedings, <i>in</i> : NASCIMBENI/RANZOLIN (eds.), Temas de Mediação e Arbitragem (March 2026) – PT
Revista de Arbitragem e Mediação	OHLROGGE/SAMPAIO, Bifurcation in International Arbitration (Revista de Arbitragem e Mediação, Vol. 90/2026, pp. 97-118) – PT
Book	Consentimento na Arbitragem Multiparte e Multicontrato (August 2025)
Revista Brasileira de Arbitragem	OHLROGGE, Note: A. AG v. B. Limited, Federal Supreme Court of Switzerland, 1st Civil Law Chamber, Case No. 4A_19/2023, 12 July 2023 (Revista Brasileira de Arbitragem, Vol. 21/2024, No. 83, pp. 108-117) – PT

Revista de Arbitragem e Mediação	OHLROGGE/SAMPAIO, Multi-Contract Arbitration: Interpretation of the Objective Scope of the Arbitration Agreement (Revista de Arbitragem e Mediação, Vol. 83/2024, pp. 159-184) – PT
Revista de Arbitragem e Mediação	TRITTMANN/OHLROGGE, Disclosure of Third-Party Funding in International Arbitration, Revista de Arbitragem e Mediação (Vol. 80/2024, pp. 93-111) – EN
Book Chapter	OHLROGGE/SALTON, Witness Statements in International Arbitration, <i>in</i> : GUANDALINI/LESSA (eds.), Provas e Arbitragem (June 2023) – PT
Revista Brasileira de Arbitragem	OHLROGGE/SALTON, Note: Kout Food Group v. Kabab-Ji SAL. Cour de cassation, Pourvoi N° 20-20.260, 28 September 2022 (Revista Brasileira de Arbitragem, Vol. 19/2022, No. 76, pp. 140-153) – EN
ASA Bulletin	HANOTIAU/OHLROGGE, 40 th Year Anniversary of the Dow Chemical Award (ASA Bulletin, Vol. 40/2022, No. 2, pp. 300-308) – EN
Young Arbitration Review	BOLLER/OHLROGGE, Multi-Contract Arbitration Arising from Contracts and Subcontracts: Where to Set the Threshold for Finding Consent? (Young Arbitration Review 2021, 43/2021, pp. 94-98) – EN
Revista Brasileira de Arbitragem	OHLROGGE/BORCHARDT, Practical Aspects of the Document Production Phase in International Arbitration under the IBA Rules (Revista Brasileira de Arbitragem, Vol. 18/2021, No. 70, pp. 46-78) – PT
Revista de Arbitragem e Mediação	OHLROGGE/SALTON, Applicable Law to the Arbitration Agreement in International Arbitration (Revista de Arbitragem e Mediação, Vol. 67/2020, pp. 241-268) – PT
Book	Multi-Party and Multi-Contract Arbitration in Brazil (June 2020) – EN

SELECTED CASES

ARBITRATOR

ICC Rules	Sole Arbitrator in a dispute between Chinese and Italian parties over a subcontract relating to electrical installation works (Italian law Seat in Italy)
ISTAC Rules	Sole Arbitrator in a dispute between Russian and Turkish parties over a sales agreement in the food industry (Swiss law Seat in Istanbul)
CAMERS Rules (Brazil)	Sole Arbitrator in a Brazilian domestic dispute relating to the acquisition of an educational institution (Brazilian law – <i>ex aequo et bono</i> Seat in Porto Alegre)
ISTAC Rules	Sole Arbitrator in a dispute between Turkish and Georgian parties over an agreement for the sale of EPDM seals (Turkish law Seat in Istanbul)
Swiss Rules	Co-arbitrator in a dispute between Dubai and Georgian parties over an agreement for the sale of galvanized wire (Swiss law Seat in Geneva)
Swiss Rules	Sole Arbitrator in a dispute between Swiss, Polish and Scottish parties over an agreement for the sale of galvanized wire (Swiss law – CISG Seat in Geneva)
Swiss Rules	Co-arbitrator – between Swiss and Albanian parties over an agreement for the sale of wire rods (Swiss law Seat in Geneva)

SECRETARY / ASSISTANT

ICC Rules	Secretary to the arbitral tribunal in a post-M&A dispute in the energy industry between French and Spanish parties (French law Seat in London)
ICC Rules	Assistant to a co-arbitrator in a post-M&A dispute between Israeli and Swiss parties involving an agreement for patent transfer in the dental industry (Swiss law Seat in Zurich)
Swiss Rules	Assistant to a Sole Arbitrator in a dispute between two European parties over sale of machine equipment (Swiss law Seat in Zurich)
DIAC Rules	Assistant to a co-arbitrator in a dispute between Dubai companies over an agreement for infrastructure works (UAE law Seat in Dubai)
ICC Rules	Assistant to a co-arbitrator in a construction dispute between German and Romanian parties (Romanian law Seat in Geneva)
DIS Rules	Assistant to the Presiding Arbitrator in a dispute between German parties over an agreement for telecommunications services (German law Seat in Munich)

COUNSEL

Swiss Rules	Counsel in a dispute between Belgian and Egyptian parties over a charter party agreement (Swiss law Seat in Zurich)
ICC Rules	Counsel in a dispute between U.S. and Swedish parties over an agreement in the clinical research industry (Swiss law Seat in Zurich)
Swiss Rules	Counsel in a dispute between Swiss and Italian parties over a services agreement in the SMS industry (Swiss law Seat in Geneva)
ICC Rules	Co-counsel in two parallel disputes between a Turkish business partner and an aircraft manufacturer over a consultancy agreement (French law Seat in Geneva)
ICC Rules	Counsel in a dispute between German and French parties over a consultancy agreement related to engines for nuclear power plants (Swiss law Seat in Zurich)
ICC Rules	Counsel in a dispute between German and Moroccan parties over a subcontract relating to the construction of a power plant (Swiss law Seat in Paris)
ICC Rules	Counsel in a dispute between German and South Korean parties over an agreement for the sale of turbines (Swiss law – CISG Seat in Geneva)
ICC Rules	Co-counsel in a dispute between Italian and Croatian parties over amounts relating to the transfer of a football player (US law Seat in Geneva)
ICC Rules	Co-counsel in a dispute between Belgian and Swiss parties over a distribution agreement in the pharmaceutical industry (Swiss law Seat in Zurich)

LCIA-DIFC Rules	Co-counsel in a dispute between German and Dubai parties over a consultancy agreement related to an initial coin offering – ICO (UAE law Seat in Dubai-DIFC)
ICC Rules	Counsel in a dispute between a Brazilian business partner and a French company over a consultancy agreement relating to the sale of communication satellites (Dutch law Seat in Amsterdam)
ICC Rules	Counsel in a post-M&A dispute involving BVI and Austrian parties in the semiconductor industry (Swiss law Seat in Zurich)
ICC Rules	Counsel in a dispute between US and Austrian parties over the sale of unmanned aerial vehicles (Swiss law Seat in Zurich)

SETTING-ASIDE PROCEEDINGS

Switzerland	Setting-aside proceedings in a dispute arising from a sales agreement involving Brazilian and English parties (Swiss Rules Seat in Geneva)
Switzerland	Setting-aside proceedings in a dispute arising out of a Bilateral Investment Treaty between Western European investors and an Eastern European State (<i>ad hoc</i> arbitration Seat in Geneva)

SELECTED SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS

EVENTS

05/2026	Global Co-chairs' Circle Conference (Zurich) Client Handling Across Cultures – EN
03/2026	Swiss Arbitration & Wald (São Paulo) Document Production or not, that is the question: Brazilian and International Perspectives – PT
10/2025	ABEArb (São Paulo) CAMARB Moot Case Discussion – Jurisdiction – PT
09/2025	Arbitration Channel/Swiss Arbitration From Kickoff to Final Whistle: Brazil-Switzerland Interplay in Sports Arbitration (Org.) – EN
05/2025	Young ICCA (Zurich) Practical Case Management Techniques for Young Arbitrators (Org.) – EN
10/2024	ABEArb (São Paulo) CAMARB Moot Case Discussion - Jurisdiction
10/2024	Open Talks Siqueira Castro (São Paulo) IBA Guidelines on Conflicts of Interest in Practice (Speaker) – PT
09/2023	LATAP First Annual Conference (Paris) Arbitration in Brazil: Trending Topics (Moderator) – EN
06/2023	Rising Arbitrators Initiative's Welcoming Event (Online) Informal discussion (Moderator) – EN
07/2022	ELSA Arbitration (Geneva) Cross-Examination Moot (Arbitrator) – EN
02/2021	CAMAGRO (Webinar) Joinder (Speaker) – PT
10/2020	CIArb (Webinar) Class and Multi-Party Arbitration (Speaker) – PT

07/2020	USP-RB (Webinar) Multi-Party Arbitration (Speaker) – PT
06/2020	UFBA (Webinar) International Arbitration (Speaker) – Legal Framework – PT
06/2020	CBAr (Webinar) Consent in Multi-Party & Multi-Contract Arbitration (Speaker) – PT
11/2019	ICC YAF (Zurich) Damages: Dealing with Quantum in Arbitration (Moderator) – EN
10/2019	Young ICCA (São Paulo) Skills Training Workshop on Cross-examination (Arbitrator) – EN
10/2019	PUCRS (Porto Alegre) Document Production in International Arbitration (Speaker) – PT
12/2017	UFBA (Online) Extension of Arbitration Clauses to Non-signatories (Lecturer) – PT

LECTURES

02/2026	UFRGS (Porto Alegre) Taking of Evidence in Int. Arbitration – PT
02/2026	UERJ (Rio de Janeiro) Taking of Evidence in Int. Arbitration – PT
02/2026	UERJ (Online) Assessment of the Subjective Scope of the Arbitration Agreement – PT
10/2025	CJA-CBMA (Online) Extension of the Arbitration Agreement in Shareholder Disputes – PT
05/2025	Maldives Moot Court Society (Online) Arbitral Awards – EN
01/2025	UFRJ (Online) Document Production – PT
12/2024	UERJ (Online) "Extension" of the Arbitration Agreement – PT
12/2024	UFRGS (Online) Document Production – PT
10/2024	UFBA (Salvador) Introduction to Arbitration – PT
10/2024	UNISINOS (Porto Alegre) Taking of Evidence in Int. Arbitration – PT
05/2024	UFRGS (Online) Introduction to Arbitration – PT
03/2024	UFRGS (Porto Alegre) Arbitration & Corporate Governance – PT
09/2023	UFBA (Salvador) Arbitration and Shareholders Disputes – PT
09/2023	UFBA (Salvador) International Arbitration – PT
09/2023	FGV (Rio de Janeiro) Document Production – PT
06/2022	PUCRS (Porto Alegre) CISG – PT
04/2022	UFBA Arbitration Course (Online) Multi-Party Arbitration – PT
10/2021	Baiana Post-Graduation Course (Online) Int. Arbitration – PT

12/2017 UFBA (Online) | Extension of Arbitration Clauses to Non-signatories – PT

MOOT COURTS

ARBITRATOR

Since 2020 Arbitrator (Competitions and/or pre-moots)
Vis Moot / Brazilian Arbitration Competition

COACH

2024 Federal University of Bahia
Vis Moot

2019 Pontifical Catholic University of Rio Grande do Sul
Vis Moot / Brazilian Arbitration Competition / FDI

2015 – 2018 Federal University of Bahia
Vis Moot / Brazilian Arbitration Competition

LANGUAGES

Portuguese	Native
English	Fluent
German	Fluent
Spanish	Intermediate (Passive)
French	Basic