

RESUME

HANS VAN HOUTTE

ABOUT

Independent Arbitrator

Professor International Arbitration, Leuven Law School

Vice-Chairman Appeals Committee – European Patent Office

Hans van Houtte acted as chairman, sole arbitrator or party-appointed arbitrator in over 200 international arbitration proceedings.

EDUCATION

- Dr. Jur., University of Leuven - magna cum laude 1969
- Licence European Law, University of Leuven – magna cum laude 1970
- LLM, University of Harvard – 1971
- Diploma cum laude, Academy International Law of The Hague – 1977
- Doctor, University of Leuven – 1978
- Fellow Chartered Institute of Arbitrators – London (FCIArb.)
- Membre de l'Institut de Droit International

WORK

President Iran-United States Claims Tribunal – The Hague (2011- 2017)

Judge Iran-United States Claims Tribunal – The Hague (2018- 2020)

Avocat (1970- 2009)

Litigation Partner Stibbe – Brussel (1990 – 1999)

Professor, Chair of International Public Law and European Law (1980-1990)

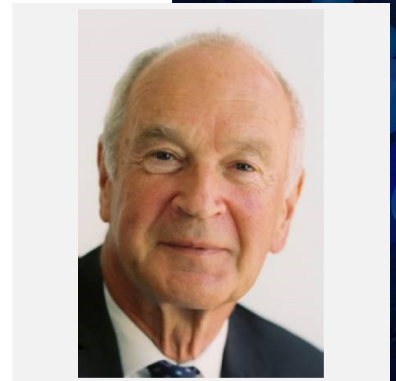
Professor, Chair of International Business law and Conflict of Laws (1990-2009)

President Eritrea-Ethiopia Claims Commission – The Hague (2001-2009)

International Commissioner - Real Property Claims Commission (Bosnia), (1996-2003).

Member of the United Nations Compensation Commission, Geneva (1998-2001)

Arbitrator and Senior Judge at the Claims Resolution Tribunal for Dormant Bank Accounts (Switzerland) (1998-2002).



Appointments as arbitrator by ICSID, the International Chamber of Commerce (ICC), the London Court of International Arbitration (LCIA), the American Arbitration Association, the Permanent Court of Arbitration, the European Development Fund , CEPANI, the Netherlands Arbitration Institute, the Polish Chamber of Foreign Trade, the Vienna Arbitration Centre, the United Nations, Association française d'Arbitrage, the Geneva Chamber of International Commerce, etc.

Acted as counsel in numerous arbitration proceedings (ad hoc arbitration, ICC, CEPANI, LCIA, Chambre arbitrale de Paris, UNCITRAL).

The subject matters covered include i.a. state contracts, turn-key projects, construction, engineering, public works (e.g. dam , power plant, roads, subway), investment contracts, BIT's, joint ventures, IT, share evaluations, international sales, agency and distributorship, transfer of technology, patents, cooperation agreements, software developments, shipping of goods, oil contracts , antitrust issues, mergers and acquisitions, securities trade, economic sanctions, export insurance, rescheduling of public debts, UN Boycott, NAFTA, etc.

Standing arbitrator for Agreements regulating the cigarette trade, concluded between the European Union and ten European Member States as well as by the Republic of Colombia, and four cigarette consortia (2007- 2015).

Tribunal Appointed Expert in Guyana vs. Suriname (The Hague - 2006).

Appointing Authority in UNCITRAL arbitrations.

Listed Member of Arbitrators Panel of i.a. Vienna Arbitration Centre, Kuala Lumpur Regional Centre for Arbitration, Hong Kong Arbitration Centre, etc.

RECOGNITION

Was bestowed the title of 'Baron' by H.M. the King of the Belgians for his contribution to international dispute settlement (Royal Decree July 10, 2016).

