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#### **PROFILE**

Broad legal background with in-depth experience in research and representation, and an unwavering commitment to protecting client interests. Demonstrated expertise in business and commercial law, corporate financing, and transactional structuring. Solid aviation transactional portfolio, catering to the local Romanian and wider European market. International arbitration pioneer and founder of Bucharest International Arbitration Court (BIAC). Fully licenced to practice by New York State and Bucharest, with right of appearance before all courts. Fluent in English and French languages.

#### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

IORDACHE PARTNERS, Bucharest, Romania

**IORDACHE** (@ PARTNERS

Managing Partner, 2015–Present

Represents clients in a variety of cases, specialising in business and commercial law advice, contract drafting and dispute handling. Manages cases from inception through completion. Partners with colleagues to draft requests to secure documents, interrogatories, and discovery responses. Copyrights public messages for clients, as well as designing and executing all communication materials for the organisation. Successfully supervises teams of lawyers and administrative staff, as well as handling the full spectrum of practice management challenges.

- Transformed and repositioned the law firm, from a family office into a cutting-edge independent firm.
- Built and established key international alliances.
- Instrumental in setting up the Bucharest International Arbitration Court in 2016, under the auspices of AmCham, Romania.

EVERSHEDS LINA & GUIA SCA, Bucharest, Romania

EVERSHEDS

Partner, 2009–2015

Managed a portfolio of clients, providing expertise in complex corporate finance and transactional structuring. Counselled clients in a variety of procedures, including ICC, CACI, ad hoc and ICSID. Acted as a liaison among clients and opposing attorneys to achieve client goals.

- Appointed full equity partner in one of the most prestigious international law firms on the market.
- Generated new practice areas such as air law and international arbitration.

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IORDACHE & IORDACHE SCA, BUCHAREST, ROMANIA **PARTNER**, 2006–2009

**IORDACHE (@) PARTNERS** 

Predominantly advised a major real estate company, handling all commercial, corporate and banking legal work. Oversaw a team of 3-5 lawyers, inspiring and encouraging initiative and trust. Provided staff with constructive guidance at every step and facilitating upward feedback. Performed a variety of administrative functions, and interfaced with individuals involved in litigation proceedings.

- Achieved financing work in excess of €300M with sixbanks.
- Represented the largest real estate complex development in the region, successfully delivering all commercial properties on the project.

SALANS-MOORE & ASSOCIATES SCA (now DENTONS), Bucharest, Romania

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### **International Attorney**, 2009–2015

Joined the Bucharest office, fresh from graduate school and having passed the New York Bar. Performed high-level, complex work in International Tax, Competition and Antitrust, Banking and Finance, Energy, and Real Estate.

• Established strong working relationships, and built confidence and respect among colleagues and market leaders.

#### **EDUCATION AND CREDENTIALS**

PhD (Pending)

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON – London, UK Research in Cognitive Sciences and Legislation

**LLM** (2005)

University College London – London, UK *International Business Law /Comparative Law* 

**LLB** (2004)

UNIVERSITY COLLEGE LONDON – London, UK

**BA (Honours)** (2001)

MOUNT ALLISON UNIVERSITY – Sackville, Canada International Relations & French Studies; One year at Université de Strasbourg, France

Diplôme d'Université (2000)

Universite de Strasbourg – Strasbourg, France *French history, law and culture* 

Bar Membership New York State Bucharest Bar

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#### PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

Administrative Council of the Bucharest International Arbitration Court (BIAC), Member, 2015 - Present

CHARTERED INSTITUTE OF ARBITRATION, Member, 2013 - Present

NEW YORK STATE BAR ASSOCIATION, 2006 – Present Current Chair of the *Romanian Chapter* of the International Section

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

1. Iordache, Adrian & Danes, Raluca, the "Romanian Chapter" of *International Arbitration*, GLI, 2016.

#### **CONFERENCES**

**Speaker and Convener**, International Conference on International Energy Litigation, Wolters Kluwer, Bucharest, with Dr Anna de Luca & HE Iuliana Boghez, Minister-Counsel, 2015

**Speaker and Convener**, Practical Seminar on the Uses of Common Law 'Boilerplate' in Continental Contracts, Wolters Kluwer, Bucharest, with Dr Vlad Peligrad, 2016

Speaker, BIAC Launch Conference, AmCham Romania & Wolters Kluwer, Bucharest, 2016