

CURRICULUM VITAE

Name

Prof. Dr. George Georgiev Dimitrov

Educational and Professional Qualifications

Education: PhD in ICT Law from Katholieke Universiteit Leuven, Belgium; Master of Law from Sofia University "St. Kliment Ohridski", Sofia, Bulgaria; Certificate for Specialized mediation skills training from American Bar Association (ABA/CELLI), USA; Certificate for Specialization on American and International Law, Victor Folsom Fellow from the Center for American and International Law, Dallas, Texas, USA; Certificate for Economics of the Financial Sector Advanced Programme from University of Delaware, USA; Completed Qualification Program on Microcomputer Technology and Programming from Technical University, Sofia, Bulgaria.

Professional experience in legal services: 1993 - onwards: Co-founder, Managing Partner, Lawyer at Dimitrov, Petrov & Co. Law Firm. Head of ICT Law Practice Group & IPR Law Practice Group; 2001 - onwards: Co-founder, Chairperson and Senior Legal Expert at Law and Internet Foundation; 1996 - 1997: Legal Advisor at ZPAD Elite Ins.

Professional experience in the field of alternative dispute resolution (ADR): 2009 – onwards: Panelist, arbitrating commercial disputes at the International Commercial Arbitration Court at the Legal Interaction Alliance; 2008 – onwards: Panelist, arbitrating commercial and civil disputes at the Arbitration Court at the Bulgarian Microenterprises Association; 2007 - onwards: Panelist at the Czech Arbitration Court.

Academic experience: 2009 – onwards: Professor in ICT Law (since 12/2014) at the University of Library Science and Information Technologies, Sofia, Bulgaria; 2014 – onwards: Professor in ICT Law and Telecommunications Law at the University of National and World Economy; 2011 – onwards: Professor in ICT Law and Telecommunications Law, Faculty of Telecommunications/Faculty of Computer Systems and Management at the Technical University of Sofia, Bulgaria; 2009 – onwards: Professor in ICT Law, Faculty of Mathematics and Informatics at the University of Veliko Tarnovo "St. Cyril and St. Metodius"; 2004 – onwards: Professor in ICT Law, Faculty of Mathematics and Informatics at Sofia University "St. Kliment Ohridski"; 2000 – 2004: Lecturer in Obligations Law and Civil Law, Faculty of Law at Sofia University "St. Kliment Ohridski".

Languages

Bulgarian, English, Russian, Spanish

Experience with respect to domain names related Arbitration/ Mediation

2007 - onwards: Panelist, .eu domain ADR, Czech Arbitration Court. *Panelist in the following cases:* No. 05384 - eprimo.eu, from 2009; No. 04218 - olympiacos.eu, from 2007.

Articles with respect to domain names: Dimitrov, G., Legal Nature and Protection of Domain Names, Market and Law Magazine, February 2002 (BG)

		<i>As Arbitrator/Mediator</i>	<i>As Legal Representative</i>
<i>National</i>	<i>Mediation</i>		

	Arbitration		
International	Mediation		
	Arbitration	X	

Experience with respect to IP related Mediation/Arbitration

Books with co-authorship with respect to IP: Dimitrov, G., Ognyanov, M., Nikolaeva, P., et.al., The Regulatory Framework and the State of Intellectual Property Protection and Fight against Cybercrimes in Bulgaria. Analysis, Law and Internet Foundation, Sofia, 2006, (BG).

Membership in professional bodies

<p><i>2014 – to date</i> Regional representative for Bulgaria of the International Technology Law Association (ItechLaw)</p>
<p><i>2012 – to date</i> Member of the Meritas Board of Directors</p>
<p><i>2011 – to date</i> Member of the World International Technology Lawyers (World IT Lawyers)</p>
<p><i>2007 - to date</i> Member of the International Technology Law Association (ItechLaw)</p>
<p><i>2002 - to date</i> Member of the International Bar Association (IBA)</p>
<p><i>1997 - to date</i> Member of the Council of Sofia Bar Association</p>