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EDUCATION

- Jan 2016 **Ph.D in Private Law, Paris II *Panthéon- Assas* University**
Under the supervision of Professeur France Drummond
Subject: Risk transfer contracts: a new legal category?
Summa cum laude
- 2009 - 2010 Masters II in Private and Business Law
Saint-Joseph University, Beirut, Lebanon
Mémoire under the supervision of Professeur Richard Chémaly
Subject: The freedom to issue all types of stocks in joint stock corporations
- 2005 - 2009 Masters I in Business Law, *Saint-Joseph* University, Beirut, Lebanon, in
collaboration with University Lyon III, *Jean Moulin*
- Bachelor in Lebanese and French law, *Saint-Joseph* University, Beirut,
Lebanon
Top of the Class
- 2005 Lebanese and French Baccalaureate, Mathematics Section
Collège *Notre Dame de Jamhour*, Beirut, Lebanon
With Distinction

WORK EXPERIENCE

- 16 June 2021- Present **Associate**, Jeantet, Paris France
Arbitration and Projects
- Nov 2015-
June 2021 **Associate**, *Leboulanger & Associés*, Paris, France
International Arbitration
- Jan 2019-Present **Lecturer**, Paris I, Sorbonne University (France), L.L.M. Business Law,
Arab Countries & Middle East, Banking Law, and Masters I “Insolvency
procedures”
- Oct 2012-
June 2015 **Assistant Professor** Paris II, *Panthéon- Assas* University
Subjects taught: Civil Law, Corporate Law, Bankruptcy Law, Credit and
Payment Instruments
- Sept 2009-
June 2011 **Apprentice Lawyer**, *Hage Chahine* Law Cabinet, Beirut, Lebanon
Civil Law and Commercial Law

LANGUAGES

Arabic (mother tongue)
French (bilingual)
English (bilingual)

CONFERENCES AND WEBINARS

- 27 Jan 2022** *The specificities of Lebanese arbitration law in comparison with French arbitration law, Seminar of the French Association of doctors-of-laws (AFDD) on the “outreach of Lebanese law”*
- 15 June 2021** *Arbitration in the Greater-China region: a comparative analysis with French law and the example of maritime disputes, Webinar in partnership with Ecole de Formation du Barreau (EFB) and the Société de Législation Comparée*
- 28 Jan 2021** *International Arbitration: General Presentation and Comparative Approach, Webinar, Ecole de Formation du Barreau (EFB)*
- 28 May 2020** *The influence of French law in the MENA region: the Lebanese example, Webinar, Société de législation comparée, Paris, France*
- 18 Jan 2020** *Will the Development of International Business Mediation after the Singapore Convention steal arbitration’s light? 27th World Forum of Mediation Centres, Milano*
- 6 Dec 2019** *The contemporary Lebanese law and legal system: an example of the French legal transplant, School of Oriental and African Studies (SOAS), University of London*
- 20 Sept 2019** *Contract law at the rescue of a pathological waiver of the action to set aside the award, Paris I, Sorbonne University (France)*
- 29 Oct 2018** *Arbitration and Insurance: a redefinition of arbitrability, Paris I, Sorbonne University (France)*
- 20 Sept 2018** *Enforcement versus Annulment: Should Annulment Proceedings Remain a Public Policy Requirement in Arab Countries? ICC YAF, Beirut, Lebanon;*
- 19 June 2018** *Safeguarding the enforcement of arbitral awards, Beirut Bar Association, Beirut, Lebanon*

PUBLICATIONS

- 25 Aug 2021** *The Acceleration of the Development of International Business Mediation after the Singapore Convention, European Business Law review, Volume 32, n°4, 2021, pp. 769-800.*
- 29 Jan 2021** *UN and EU Sanctions Versus US Sanctions: Two Different Yardsticks Commentary on the Decision of the Paris Court of Appeal (International Commercial Chamber) (5th Pole, Chamber 16) of 3 June 2020, No. 21/2020, Journal of International Arbitration, Volume 38, Issue 1 (2021), pp. 71 – 82.*
- 30 Sept 2020** *Singapore Convention Series: The “Sharia-Compliance” Requirement to Safeguard Enforcement of Mediated Settlements in the MENA Region (co-written with David Lutrán), Kluwer Mediation Blog; <http://mediationblog.kluwerarbitration.com/2020/09/30/singapore->*

14 Sept 2020	Mediation: a Culturally Well-Established Dispute Resolution Mechanism in the MENA region gaining in momentum (co-written with David Lutran), <i>International Journal of Arab Arbitration</i> , Volume 12, No. (1), 2020, p.23.
22 July 2020	L'influence du droit français dans la zone MENA, <i>Revue internationale de droit comparé</i> , 2020-2, pp.1-9.
15 July 2020	Commentary of the Cairo court of appeal's decision of 3 June 2020 setting aside the "Al-Kharafi" award, <i>JusMundi Blog</i> ; https://blog.jusmundi.com/commentary-on-the-cairo-court-of-appeals-decision-in-al-kharafi-vs-libya/
8 July 2020	Transnational Public Policy in Investment Arbitration, <i>Wiki Note</i> , <i>JusMundi</i> , https://jusmundi.com/en/document/wiki/en-transnational-public-policy
15 June 2020	Le droit des contrats au secours d'une clause « pathologique » de renonciation au recours en annulation, <i>AJ Contrat</i> , 2020, n°6, p.280
29 May 2020	Fast track arbitration: a time-efficient procedure that could hinder the award? <i>Jus Mundi Blog</i> ; https://blog.jusmundi.com/fast-track-arbitration-a-time-efficient-procedure-that-could-hinder-the-award/
Jan/Feb 2019	Arbitration and Insurance: a redefinition of arbitrability, <i>Bulletin Juridique des Assurances</i> , n° 61
Nov 2016	Risk transfer contracts: a new legal category? <i>LGDJ-Le Point Delta</i>
