

PROFILE

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Background/Relevant
Employment History:

Merchant Navy navigator (6 years), shipbroker (3 years), freight trader operating despondent owned vessels (10 years), commodity trader (12 years); since 2004 trade consultant advising on soft commodity markets. Familiar with operations of vegetable oil tankers, futures, documentary credits, arranging insurance on cargoes and P and I for chartered vessels.

Active, but part time arbitrator since 2000, full time since 2014. Fulfil trade representative role for cases/hearings, including case handling.

Trade Sector Experience: Trading/shipping palm oil, soft commodities, procurement and design of food processing factories.

Languages: English

Arbitration Institution
Alignments:

FOSFA Panellist
Fellow of the CI Arb London. GAFTA, LMAA, LCIA,
MMTA Freeman Worshipful Company of Arbitrators
Honorary Secretary Commodity Arbitration Club

FOSFA Section
Alignment:

Oilseeds, Oils and Fats