

## ARBITRATORS PROFILE

<b>Name   Surname</b>	Elena Bit-Avragim
<b>Date of Birth</b>	09.11.1969
<b>Citizenship</b>	Kyrgyz Republic
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<b>Current position</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Manager Partner, “VERITAS” Law Agency LLC</li> </ul>
<b>Territory of practice</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Kyrgyz Republic, EAEU countries</li> </ul>
<b>Education</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Kyrgyz State University, Law Faculty, Diploma in Law</li> <li>○ Practical Law Institute, USA. Internship.</li> </ul>
<b>Membership in professional associations</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ National Mediation Center</li> </ul>
<b>Professional experience</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ 2014 at present: Partner, Manager Partner “VERITAS” Law Agency LLC.</li> <li>○ 2001-2013: Deputy General Director, Member of the Management Board OJSC “RSK Bank”.</li> <li>○ 1994-2001: Director of the Legal Department, National Bank of the Kyrgyz Republic.</li> <li>○ 1992-1994: Leading specialist of the Ministry of Justice of the Kyrgyz Republic.</li> </ul>
<b>Specialization</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Civil law, Banking law and financial system, Corporative law and Dispute resolution</li> </ul>
<b>Experience in arbitration as: arbitrator, secretary, party representative, expert, specialist</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Advising and representing a private investor in a dispute with a large oil company regarding the collection of debt under a purchase and sale agreement in the International Commercial Arbitration Court at the Chamber of Commerce and Industry of the Russian Federation.</li> <li>○ Advising and representing a private foreign investor in the International Court of Arbitration in Affiliation with the Chamber of Commerce and Industry of the Kyrgyz Republic (ICA CCI) in a dispute with a commercial bank regarding the enforcement of surety agreements (guarantees) and loan agreements.</li> <li>○ Representation of a domestic company in the ICA CCI in a dispute with an insurance company regarding recognition of an insured event and payment of insurance compensation.</li> <li>○ Representation of a domestic company in the ICA CCI in a dispute with a commercial bank regarding the recognition of obligations as fulfilled and the release of property from collateral.</li> </ul>

- Consideration by the ICA CCI as the sole arbitrator of disputes arising from contractual and other civil legal relations, including debt collection and others.
- Participation in the three arbitrators when considering ICA CCI disputes arising from contractual and civil law relations.
- Participation as the chairman of the court of arbitrators ICA CCI in the consideration of various disputes arising from civil law relations.
- Member of the Expert Council of the ICA CCI.

### Ratings

Chambers&Partners, a leading rating agency in the field of law firms, indicates that according to client reviews, Elena was included in the rating due to strong feedback from the market. She is experienced in handling litigation and arbitration matters across a range of sectors. An interviewee admires her "deep knowledge of the legislation and persistence in achieving results»

### Publications

Year	Publication theme	Place of publication
2017-2020	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Settlement agreement in arbitration proceedings.</li> <li>○ Surety in arbitration practice.</li> <li>○ Challenge of an arbitrator in arbitration practice.</li> </ul>	Annual collection of articles of the International Court of Arbitration "Arbitration in the Kyrgyz Republic: Modern challenges and solutions"
2021	<p>Winner of the competition for the best publication in the annual collection of articles of the International Court of Arbitration "Arbitration: current changes and long-term trends".</p> <p>Topic of the article: "From the practice of considering one dispute in an arbitration court"</p>	

### Participation in conferences, seminars, workshops, etc.

Year, in what capacity	Theme	Place
2004-2016 Seminar participant	Educational seminars and trainings on the topics: International commercial arbitration, Practical issues of conducting cases in commercial arbitration, From the drafting of the arbitration clause to the execution of the arbitral award, Laws, regulations and practices and others	Bishkek
2016	"Arbitration court. From the drafting of the arbitration clause to the execution of the award"	Training Center for Advocate of Kyrgyzstan, Bishkek

<p>2017-2023 Seminar and conference participant</p>	<p>International conferences and training on the topics: Commercial arbitration, Prospects for the development of arbitration institutions in Central Asia, Arbitration is a modern tool in resolving business disputes, Arbitration at the brink of change: traditions, technologies, trends and others</p>	<p>Bishkek</p>
<p><b>Language</b></p>	<p><b>Level</b></p>	
<p>○ English</p>	<p><input type="checkbox"/> Native  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Suitable for conducting proceedings and drafting an arbitration award  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Suitable for reading case materials</p>	
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