



Jayems Dhingra

International Chartered Arbitrator
Accredited Adjudicator | Accredited Mediator
ADNDRC & WIPO Neutral
Distinguished Panel of Arbitrators, THAC
Chartered Valuer and Appraiser (CVA)
Senior Accredited Director (SID)

LL.M. (IP Laws) | M. Sc. (Maritime Studies) |
M. Tech (Knowledge Engineering) | MBA |
First Class CoC (MCA, UK) | B. E. (Elect) |

Executive Summary

With a wealth of over four decades of experience, Jayems Dhingra is a seasoned professional in the ADR field. His expertise spans various industry verticals, including Shipping, Marine, Offshore, Construction, Technology, Trading, Oil & Gas Exploration & Production, Petrochemical Process Plants and Power Plant Construction Projects, Logistics & Warehousing, Oil & Gas Pipelines, Infrastructure Development Projects (Ports, Offshore Supply Bases, Oil & Gas Terminals, Highways, and Airports etcetera), EPCIC Contracts, and Shipyards. He has provided services in Southeast Asia, Africa, the Middle East, the Americas, and Europe.

Jayems Dhingra is a respected figure in the ADR field, serving as a director and member of the boards of various professional organizations, including Management, Governance Councils, and Committees. His professional affiliations, including Distinguished Panel of Arbitrators of THAC Thailand, Fellow of the Asian Institute of ADR, and Member of the Singapore Institute of Directors (M.S.I.D.), underscore his standing in the ADR field.

Jayems is further qualified and accredited as a Certified International Arbitrator, a Chartered Arbitrator, a Sports arbitrator under CAS Rules, a WIPO Neutral, an Australian Communications and Media Authority (ACMA) Bargaining Code Arbitrator, an Accredited Adjudicator, and an Accredited Mediator. He is admitted to the international panels of arbitrators and neutrals with WIPO, Geneva; ACMA, Australia; JIAC (Jamaica); HKIAC Hong Kong; AIAC, Malaysia; AIADR, Malaysia; KCAB, Seoul, South Korea; ICA, Delhi, India; ICC (Singapore); SISV, Singapore; SCMA, Singapore; SCCA, Saudi Arabia; VIAC Vienna, Austria; Thailand Arbitration Centre (THAC), and Mediator with AIAC Malaysia, and CMC, Singapore.

Jayems undertakes special assignments to conduct audits and valuations of intangible properties, involving proprietary processes for licensed production and licensing of intellectual property rights (IPRs) in patents, trademarks, and industrial designs. He is frequently engaged in assignments such as due diligence, acquisitions, mergers, resolving various operational issues, technology transfer, reviewing agency services contracts, cost controls, and enhancing Supply Chain Management. He has also been conferred the title of Chartered Valuer and Appraiser (CVA) by IVAS and SAC (ACRA) under the stringent requirements of the global valuation standards-setting body, the International Valuation Standards Council (IVSC).

Jayems holds degrees and postgraduate qualifications like LL.M. (IP Laws), GCIA (Arbitration and Contracts Laws), M. Sc. (Maritime Studies), Master of Technology (Knowledge Engineering), MBA (General Management), Bachelor's degree (Electrical Engineering), and Marine Engineering, including the Chief Engineer's First-Class Certificate of Competency (MCA, UK) in compliance with the latest IMO STCW Regulations.

I. Personal Data

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| Name | Jayems Dhingra | | Nationality | Singapore |
| Operating Region | <i>Singapore, Malaysia, Hong Kong, Asia Pacific, Middle East, EU, and the USA</i> | | | |
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Contextual Overview of Expertise

48 Years of practical experience comprising:

- ✚ 25 years as an Arbitrator, Adjudicator, Mediator, Independent ADR Practitioner, Course Director for Competency Development Courses, and Management Consultant.
- ✚ Five years as “Managing Director” (Singapore & Malaysia); five years as “General Manager” (Singapore & Malaysia); and 13 years in Projects, Operations, and Plant Management as an Engineer (Ships, Marine Infrastructure, Electrical, M & E, Automation, Power & Utilities, Civil Construction) in countries across Asia, Europe, Middle East, and the US.

II. Overview of Several Published Arbitral Awards, Adjudication Decisions, and Mediation Settlement Agreements in Commercial & Industrial Segments

Conducted Arbitrations as Chairman, Tribunal Member, and Sole Arbitrator, and Published Arbitral Awards for Disputes Related to:

- ✚ Offshore Support Vessels Charters and E & P Subsea Services Fleet
- ✚ Charter Party and Maritime Disputes arbitrations
- ✚ Rig-building, Shipbuilding, and Ship Repair Contracts
- ✚ Sub-sea Pipe Laying, Offshore Construction, and Related Works
- ✚ Civil Construction and Infrastructure Development
- ✚ Power Plants, Highways, Infrastructure, and Construction Projects
- ✚ Real Estate Agencies and Sales Purchase Agreement
- ✚ Network, Signaling, and Communication Systems
- ✚ Guaranty Agreements, Services, and Trade
- ✚ Logistics Services Contracts

Experience Concerning Trademarks and Domain Name Disputes

- ✚ Jayems is experienced in Domain Name Registration and Dispute Resolution Procedures (DNDRP), protecting domain name proliferation, and safeguarding against trademark infringement and copyright infringement. He recently published a decision as a panel member of ADNDRC for trademark and domain name disputes. His latest paper on Trademarks and Domain names was also published in the Journal of World Trade.

Conducted Adjudications and Published Adjudication Decisions under Construction Industry Payment Disputes related to:

- ✚ Commercial Buildings, Residential Towers, Office Towers, and Shopping Complexes
- ✚ Airport Terminals, Electrification of Railway Networks, and Civic Infrastructure Projects
- ✚ Designers, Consultants, Architects, Main Contractors, and Owners
- ✚ Stadiums and Sports Complexes, Warehouses, and Distriparks

Conducted Mediations as Neutral, Sole Mediator, and Co-Mediator - Achieved Settlement Agreements in 95% of the Cases with disputes related to:

- ✚ Commercial Contracts for EPCIC Projects.
- ✚ Sales and Purchase Agreements of properties.
- ✚ Real Estate Agencies Brokerage Commissions.
- ✚ Referrals by Magistrates' Courts for disputes involving members of the Public and unrelated parties related to minor assaults, property damage, vandalism, nuisance, workplace disputes, etc.
- ✚ Disputes between residents of residential properties due to noise pollution, obstructions, racial altercations, and pollution-related disputes.
- ✚ Family feuds and disputes resulting from relationship breakdowns.
- ✚ Disputes related to employers, employees, and colleagues.

III. Intellectual Property Rights Related Qualifications

- (i) LL.M. in Intellectual Property Law from the University of Turin, Italy, in collaboration with WIPO.
- (ii) Harvard University's Advanced Course on Patent Law and Global Public Health, conducted in collaboration with WIPO.
- (iii) Specialized Course on *Trademarks and Madrid System*, Certificate awarded by WIPO.

- (iv) *Advanced Course on Arbitration and Mediation Procedure under the WIPO Rules*, with a certificate awarded by WIPO and a grade of 95%.
- (v) *Advanced Intellectual Property Assets Management Course*, including *Franchising and Licensing Agreements*, Certificate jointly awarded by WIPO, KIPO, KIPA, and KAIST, Seoul, Korea.
- (vi) *Intellectual Property and Genetic Resources in the Life Sciences Course*, Certificate awarded by WIPO.
- (vii) *Collective Management of Copyrights and Related Rights for CMOs*, Certificate awarded by WIPO, with a grade of 96%.
- (viii) *Collective Management of Copyrights and Related Rights for Legal Professionals*, Certificate awarded by WIPO, with a grade of 95%.
- (ix) *Introduction to Patent Cooperation Treaty*, Certificate awarded by WIPO.
- (x) *Advanced Course on Software Licensing, Including Open Source*, Certificate awarded by WIPO.
- (xi) *General Course on Intellectual Property Panorama and Primer on IP*, awarded a certificate by WIPO.

IV. Admitted to the Panels of Arbitration and Mediation Institutions

- 1) Register of Neutrals, WIPO, Geneva, Switzerland
- 2) Distinguished Panel of Arbitrators, THAC, Thailand
- 3) Global Arbitration Review – ART List
- 4) ICC (Singapore) Regional Arbitrators List
- 5) Panel of Arbitrators, ADGM Arbitration Centre, Abu Dhabi, UAE
- 6) Panel of International Arbitrators, Saudi Centre for Commercial Arbitration (SCCA)
- 7) Panel of International Arbitrators, KCAB, Seoul, Korea
- 8) Panel of Arbitrators HKIAC, Hong Kong
- 9) Panel of Arbitrators, THAC, Bangkok, Thailand
- 10) Panel of Arbitrators, SCMA, Singapore
- 11) Panel of International Arbitrators of AIAC (KLRCA), Malaysia
- 12) Panelist of Asian Domain Name Dispute Resolution Centre (ADNDR) and DNDR Arbitrator of AIAC (KLRCA), Malaysia
- 13) Empaneled Adjudicator of AIAC (KLRCA), Malaysia
- 14) Panel of International Mediators of AIAC (KLRCA), Malaysia
- 15) Panel Member of the Asian Institute of ADR (AIADR)
- 16) Panel of International Arbitrators, ICA, India

- 17) Panel of International Arbitrators of JAIAC, Jamaica
- 18) Panel of Arbitrators, SISV, Singapore
- 19) Registered as Arbitrator and Mediator with VIAC, Vienna, Austria
- 20) Accredited Expert Witness by Singapore Institute of Surveyors and Valuers (SISV) and Admitted to the Panel of Expert Witnesses of SISV, Singapore
- 21) Accredited Mediator by the Singapore Institute of Surveyors and Valuers (SISV) and Admitted to the Panel of Mediators, SISV, Singapore
- 22) Appointed Mediator (Gazette Appointment), since 2013 with the Community Mediation Centre, Ministry of Law, Singapore
- 23) Mediator, International Institute of Mediators (IIM), Singapore

V. Positions Held on the Boards and Committees of Professional Institutions






- 1) Chairman, CaseTrust Advisory Council of the Consumers Association of Singapore, and Council Member of the Consumers Association of Singapore (CASE) (2015 – Present).
- 2) Director, Vis East Moot Foundation Limited, Hong Kong (2016 – April 2021).
- 3) Member, Board of Management and Audit Committee, Chartered Institute of Arbitrators, London, UK (2012- 2018).
- 4) Member of the Professional Development Committee (2017-2018) and the Corporate Governance, Risk, and Compliance (GRC) Committee (2015-2016) of the Singapore Institute of Directors.
- 5) Member, Drafting Committee, LNG Sales and Purchase Agreement for Oil & Gas Industry (2019-2020), AIPN (USA).
- 6) Member, Drafting Committee, International Dispute Resolution Agreement for Oil & Gas Contracts (2017), AIPN (USA).
- 7) Member, Drafting Committee, Drilling Contract (2018-19), AIPN (USA).
- 8) Member, Legal Committee (till 31 Dec 2015), Hong Kong General Chamber of Commerce (HKGCC).
- 9) Member, Editorial Committee of Consumers Association of Singapore (2012 to Present).
- 10) Member of the Shipping and Transport Committee (2014-2016), Hong Kong General Chamber of Commerce (HKGCC).
- 11) Committee Member of the CIArb East Asia Branch (Hong Kong) Committee from 2006 to 2010.
- 12) Director/Committee Member of the CIArb (Singapore) Chapter and Branch from incorporation until June 2010.

VI. Academic Accomplishments

- 1) LL.M. in Intellectual Property Law, University of Turin, Italy, administered by WIPO and ITCILO.
- 2) Certificates in IP Law-related programs for Trademarks, Copyrights, Patents, Software Licensing, Collective Management Organizations (CMOs), and IP Management, including Advanced Courses on Arbitration and Mediation Procedures under the WIPO Rules, awarded by WIPO.
- 3) The Chartered Valuer and Appraiser Programme (CVA) of the IVSC and SAC, conducted by Nanyang Technological University (NTU) in Singapore.
- 4) Associate Faculty, (f.k.a. SIM University) Singapore University of Social Sciences (SUSS) (2012 – 2016).
- 5) Certificate of Attendance in “International & Comparative Oil & Gas Law,” a Course conducted by the National University of Singapore in 2012.
- 6) Admitted to the Panel of Accredited Adjudicators and completed the KLRCA Adjudication Conversion Course, held in July 2012, and a refresher course in December 2017, in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia.
- 7) Graduate Certificate in International Arbitration, awarded by the National University of Singapore (NUS), Singapore (2005).
- 8) M.Sc. in Maritime Studies, Nanyang Technological University (NTU), Singapore (2006).
- 9) M.Tech (Knowledge Engineering), National University of Singapore (NUS), 2003.
- 10) M.B.A. (General Management), University of Hull, UK (1994).
- 11) Chief Marine Engineer’s “First Class Certificate of Competency,” South Shields (DOT, UK), issued in 1985 and updated in 2022 in compliance with the latest IMO Regulations.
- 12) B.E. (Electrical), Punjab University, Chandigarh, India (1976).

AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION

Contracts, Projects, Disputes, and General Business Management of:

-  Infrastructure Projects, Civil Construction, and M & E Segments for Commercial Complexes, Offshore Supply Bases, Ports, and Floating Terminals for Bulk Cargo
-  Business Valuations and Appraisal
-  Marine, Transportation by Sea, and Shipping Management
-  Offshore Exploration & Production Industries
-  Oil & Gas Pipelines, Storage Terminals, Tank Farms, and Petrochemical Industries

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- ✚ Shipbuilding and Ship repair industries
 - ✚ Design, Engineering, Production, Operations, and Management of Processes and Equipment for use in Offshore & Marine Industries
 - ✚ Information & Communication Technology Systems, Process Automation & Electrical manufacturing industries, Industrial Trading, Distributorship, and Agency Networks
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EXPERIENCE IN INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

A Brief Sample of Experiences in Contracts Drafting, Negotiations, and Management of:

- ✚ Procurement of licenses for construction and repair methodologies for patented designs of LNG & LPG Tankers
 - ✚ Process Warranties of patented filtration processes
 - ✚ Design and Engineering of Complex Patented Oil Wells Drilling Control Systems
 - ✚ Customized Software Applications for Centralized Controls, Monitoring, and Performance Analysis of complex plants
 - ✚ Licensed Manufacturing of Patented Electrical Switchgear products
 - ✚ Licensed manufacturing of Proprietary Processes for handling fluids from Oil & Gas fields
 - ✚ Development of new products for façade elevators and access controls to obtain patents
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VII. Latest Research Papers and Articles Published

- Remedy for Trademark Infringing Domain Names and Counterfeits. *Journal of World Trade* 57, no. 4 (2023); 1-20.
- *Arbitrability of Intellectual Property Rights Validity Disputes*. In Christian Campbell (Ed.), *Comparative Law Yearbook of International Business, Volume 43* (pp. 53–88). The Netherlands: Wolters Kluwer, (2021).
- *Can Arbitration be an Effective Forum for Enforcing Claims against Non-Contractual Third Parties for Infringement of Intellectual Property Rights?* <http://ssrn.com/abstract=3830413> (2020).
- *Granting Injunctions in Arbitral Awards against Infringement of Intellectual Property Rights – An Act of Balancing Fair and Equitable Treatment with Proportionality and Dissuasiveness*. Mid-Year Review, ACICA, Sydney, Australia, (August 2020).

- *Can Seamless Flow of Trade and Sustainability of OBOR Economies be Fathomed – Without Harmonization of Trade Laws and Adoption of UN Model Laws?* Paper presented at the 2017 UNCITRAL Emerging Conference, hosted by the University of Macau and the United Nations Commission on International Trade Law, Regional Centre, Korea (December 2017).
- *Relevance of Arbitration in Threat to Sovereignty Cases and Applicability of UNCLOS 1982.* Paper for the 2016 UNCITRAL Emergence Conference, hosted by the University of Macau and the United Nations Commission on International Trade Law, Regional Centre, Korea (December 2016).
- *Are the State Regulators Being Challenged or Undermined by Financial Technology & Borderless Digital Payment Platforms?* Paper presented at the 2016 UNCITRAL Emergence Conference, hosted by the University of Macau and The United Nations Commission on International Trade Law, Regional Centre, Korea (December 2016).
- *(Engaging the Disengaged - in Virtual Classrooms for Adult Learners.* Paper presented at the eLFA 2016, the Eleventh e-Learning Forum Asia 2016, Shanghai, China, June 2016.
- *Can Justice be served without Transparency in International Commercial Arbitrations?* Paper presented at the 2015 UNCITRAL Emergence Conference, hosted by the University of Macau and The United Nations Commission on International Trade Law, Macau (November 2015).
- *Pedagogy in Virtual Learning Environment without Compromising the Quality of the Scholarly Curriculum.* Paper presented at eLFA 2015, the Fifteenth e-Learning Forum Asia 2015, Singapore, June 2015.
- *Growing Potential for Procedural Misconduct in Un-administered Maritime Arbitrations.* International Congress of Maritime Arbitrators XIX, Hong Kong, (May 2015).
- *It's Time to Unseal Sealed Offers in International Arbitration – as a Negotiation Strategy or Pressure Tactic?"* *Arbitration International* 28, Issue 3 (2012): 505 - 526.
- *Force Majeure Event Clauses - A Risk Sharing Strategy in Charter Parties for Offshore E & P Rigs and Shipbuilding Contracts.* International Congress of Maritime Arbitrators XVIII (May 2012): 392 – 405.
