

ARBITRATION AND MEDIATION CENTER

# WIPO LIST OF NEUTRALS BIOGRAPHICAL DATA

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Nationality: Spanish

#### **EDUCATIONAL AND PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS**

Law Degree (Madrid University);

Member of the Madrid Bar Association. Admitted 1997;

Participation in numerous conferences and similar events of a professional nature (workshops and roundtables) or in the field of training (seminars and courses).

#### **LANGUAGES**

Spanish, English

### PRESENT POSITION

Elzaburu, Partner, since 2006. Lawyer and consultant specializing in trademarks and domain names.

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE BEFORE PRESENT POSITION

Lecturer on the Masters Course on contents and legal aspects of the information society at the Polytechnic University of Valencia, 2002-2005;

Legal practice training at Simmons & Simmons (UK Law Firm) 1991.

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#### **MEMBERSHIP OF PROFESSIONAL BODIES**

Member of the Madrid Bar Association. Admitted 1997; INTA:

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#### AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION

Trademarks, domain names, intellectual property law, competition law.

#### **EXPERIENCE IN INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY**

25 years as a lawyer specializing in trademarks and industrial property.

Management and defense of the trademark portfolios of multinational companies before the Spanish PTO and EUIPO. Trademark prosecution and strategy.

Contentious-administrative proceedings brought in Spain before the High Courts of Justice and the Supreme Court.

ADR (UDRP) complaints before WIPO in connection with conflicts between trademarks and domain names.

#### **EXPERIENCE WITH RESPECT TO DOMAIN NAMES**

Counsel both with regard to strategy and registration and in relation to the defence of domain names against third parties. Filing UDRP and <.ES> domain name complaints. Active and continued participation in the working groups of WIPO experts.

#### **MAJOR PUBLICATIONS**

Legislación Sobre Marcas [Trademark Law] (COLEX 2002); Annual Review ELZABURU 2012; Annual Review ELZABURU 2015.

#### **EXPERIENCE IN COURT LITIGATION**

Contentious-administrative proceedings before the Spanish courts in trademark and design matters since 1991.

#### PROFESSIONAL TRAINING IN ARBITRATION

WIPO Workshop on Domain Name Dispute Resolution, Geneva (2003).

#### **EXPERIENCE IN ARBITRATION**

Complainant representative in numerous administrative procedures before WIPO both under the UDRP and in relation to <.es> domain names.

## **EXPERIENCE IN MEDIATION**

Handling of settlement negotiations in the area of trademarks and domain names.

## ARBITRATION EXPERIENCE SUMMARY TABLE

	Administering Institution		Role			
Туре	Name	Number of Arbitrations	Presiding Arbitrator	Sole Arbitrator	Co- Arbitrator	Counsel
	UDRP					24
	Ad Hoc					
International Arbitrations	Others					
Number of Cases : Sub-Total						24
	<.es>					32
Domestic						
Arbitrations						
Number of Cases Sub-total		32				32
TOTAL		56				56