

# BETTO PERBEN

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William Brillat-Capello focuses on international commercial and investment arbitration and commercial litigation. William has experience as counsel in arbitration cases relating to Defense, Civil Aeronautics, Construction, and Energy sectors. He previously worked in Milan and Paris in several international law firms, as well as at the Secretariat of the International Court of Arbitration of the International Chamber of Commerce. He is admitted to the Paris Bar. William also teaches Dispute Resolution at Sciences Po Law School.

## LANGUAGES

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French, Italian, English  
Portuguese, Spanish

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

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Since 2019	Counsel, BETTO PERBEN, Paris
2015-2019	Associate, BETTO SERAGLINI, Paris 2018 - Secondment in ArbLit, Milan
2014	Intern, Castaldi Moure & Partners, Paris
2012	Intern, Secretariat of the International Court of Arbitration of the International Chamber of Commerce, Paris
2010 - 2011	Intern, Eversheds, Paris
2009	Intern, Rucellai & Raffaelli, Milan

## EDUCATION

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2015	Paris, Bar Admission
2013	Master 2, European Law, University of Paris I (Panthéon-Sorbonne), Paris
2010-2012	Master 2, Economic Law, Global governance studies, Sciences Po Law School, Paris Master 1, Economic Law, Sciences Po Law School, Paris
2006 - 2009	Bachelor's degree, Sciences Po, Paris 2009 - University of Colorado at Boulder, USA

## PROFILE

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Between 2016 and 2018, Member of the Steering Committee of the Paris Very Young Arbitration Practitioners Group (PVYAP).

Member of the ICC Young Arbitrators Forum (YAF), of the ICCA Young, of the Young International Arbitration Group (YIAG), and the AIA-ARBIT40.

## RANKINGS

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Who's Who Legal - Global Guide - Arbitration Future Leaders - Non-Partners since 2021

Best LAwyers France International Arbitration since 2023

Expert Guide rising Star in international arbitration since 2022

## EXPERIENCE

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Representation of a major energy sector player on a shareholders dispute concerning a joint venture in North Africa (500 million euros, Spanish law, ICC Geneva, English, defense and Spanish language)

Advice to a Dutch company regarding the construction of an oil platform in Africa (200 million dollars, Portuguese and English language)

Representation of a European company in a dispute relating to the construction of a pipeline in North Africa (75 million euros, ICC Paris, Algerian law, French language)

Representation of a major aeronautics group in a dispute related to a license agreement (50 million euros, French law, *ad hoc procedure*, English language)

Breach of a supply agreement in the Aeronautic sector (47 million euros, French law, ICC, seat in Paris, English language)

Representing a leading French audit company concerning a dispute arising out of an IT project (40 million euros, French law, ICC, Paris, French language)

Representation of an Oil & Gas industry partnership in a dispute related to the construction of an oil & gas infrastructure in Europe (35 million euros, French law, ICC Paris, French language)

Dispute between shareholders of a joint-venture in the sector of high technology defense systems (30 million euros, French law, NAI Rotterdam, English language)

Representation of an African Oil & Gas company in a dispute related to the performance of a contract for the supply of oil products (30 million euros, French law, LCIA, Paris, French language)

Representation of a major aeronautics group in a dispute related to a license agreement (25 million euros, French law, *ad hoc procedure*, English language)

Representation of a major aeronautics group in a dispute related to a licence agreement (25 million euros, NY Law, ICC, English language)

Representation of a major aeronautics group in two annulments proceedings againsts two awards issued in a dispute related to a licence agreement (25 million euros, French law, Paris Court of Appeal)

Representation of a Swedish shareholder in a dispute between shareholders in the affordable luxury sector (23 million euros, Finish law, FAI Helsinki, English language)

Advise of a european construction company in a claim relating to the construction of a, offshore wind-farm in Europe (20 millions, French law)

Dispute concerning a large railroad infrastructure project in Northern Africa (20 million dollars, French law, ICC Paris, French language)

Administrative secretary of an ICC arbitral Tribunal in a dispute related to bank guarantees (20 million euros, French law, ICC Paris, English language)

Breach of a supply agreement in the Aeronautic sector (16 million euros, Swiss law, ICC, seat in Zurich, English language)

Representation of an Italian aeronautics company in annulment proceedings against an arbitration award related to the termination of a commercial agency contract (8 million euros, French law, Paris Court of Appeal)

Representation of a French company regarding a dispute between shareholders (9 million euros, French law, French courts)

Representation of a defense industry company in a dispute related to the termination of a contract of representation for the sale of military equipment (3 million euros, French law, ICC Paris, French language)

Representation of a French technology company regarding the termination of a distribution agreement in the printing industry (4 million euros, French law, CMAP Paris, French language)

Representation of a French logistic company in a dispute relating to the termination of a business agreement for the distribution of goods (2.5 million euros, French law, Paris Courts)

Administrative Secretary to a CRCICA Tribunal in a dispute relating to a construction in Egypt (2 million euros, Egyptian law, CRCICA Rules, English language)

Assisting a Russian raw material manufacturer in a dispute against a West African State regarding the pooling of railways in West Africa (ICC Paris, French language).

Assistant to an Emergency arbitrator in a dispute regarding preservation of evidence and bank guarantees with respect to a construction dispute in South America (ICC, seat in NY)

## PUBLICATIONS

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Slot and Strabag decisions: the ones where the Paris Court of Appeal fails to render justice, *Revista Brasileira de Arbitragem* (to be published)

"L'arbitrage au secours d'une procédure pénale arbitraire, note sous *Sénégal c/ Aboukhalil*, CA Paris 12 octobre 2021", *Revue de l'Arbitrage* (2022.343)

"2021 in Review: Arbitration-Related Developments in France", *Kluwer Arbitration Blog*, 14 February 2022 (with A. Cottin)

"Les clauses de RSE dans les Traités d'investissement - CSR clauses in BITs", *International Business Law Journal*, 1st January 2022

"*Beg v. Italy*, ECtHR, 20 May 2021: the ECtHR and impartiality of arbitrators", *Cahiers de l'Arbitrage*, n°4 - page 845

"Paperless Arbitration, The New Trend?", *International Journal of Online Dispute Resolution*, (7) (2), 7 April 2021 (with L. Canet, G. Carmichael Lemaire, Y. Mulina, S. Partida, S. Tulip, S. Alekhin).

"Enforcement of Investment Treaty Arbitration Awards in Italy", in Enforcement of Investment Treaty Arbitration Awards: A Global Guide, 2nd edition, 2021 (with J. Fouret).

"The Hague Rules on Business and Human Rights arbitration: *l'arbitrage comme outil de respect des droits humains*", Rev. arb 2020.378.

"*L'arbitrage, une solution à l'encombrement des tribunaux?*", JCP E, n° 15-16, 9 April 2020, 1166 (with A. Constans).

"*Le difficile argument de l'impartialité*", Dalloz Actu, 6 April 2020.