

Riccardo Favaro

SENIOR ASSOCIATE

Riccardo Favaro specializes in commercial litigation, with a particular focus on both domestic and international arbitration (ICC, CAM, DIS, LCIA, SCC, Swiss Arbitration Rules). He acts as counsel to the parties, secretary to arbitral tribunals, and arbitrator. He also represents international and Italian companies in court proceedings related to arbitration before national courts, such as enforcement actions and recognition of awards.

Riccardo has a particular focus on German-speaking countries and regularly assists clients from the DACH region (Germany, Austria, Switzerland).

He is a member of the Executive Committee of AA40, the Italian association for young professionals, academics, and students interested in arbitration and other alternative dispute resolution (ADR) mechanisms. He is also a member of ArbIt (Italian Forum for Arbitration and ADR) and the Italian-German bilateral arbitration group.

In 2025, Riccardo was ranked by Chambers and Partners among the "Associates to Watch" in the Dispute Resolution: Arbitration category.

Riccardo is the author of numerous contributions published in leading specialist online journals and has spoken at various conferences and courses on arbitration, both in Italy and abroad.

From 2020 to 2021, Riccardo was involved in the firm's CSR activities and served as Secretary General of Pro Bono Italia.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- Senior Associate** | 2025
Legance – Avvocati Associati, Milan, Italy
- Senior Associate** | 2022 – 2025
Legance – Avvocati Associati, Rome, Italy
- Associate** | 2019 – 2022
Legance – Avvocati Associati, Rome, Italy
- Associate** | 2018 – 2019
Studio Legale Lombardi Segni e Associati, Milan, Italy
- Trainee** | 2015 – 2018
Studio Lombardi Molinari Segni, Milan, Italy

EDUCATION

- 2018**
Admitted to the Bar. Member of the Milan Bar, Italy
- 2010 - 2015**
Law Degree, *with merits*, Università degli Studi di Trieste, Trieste, Italy
- 2015**
Erasmus Programme, Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität, Munich, Germany

PUBLICATIONS

Riccardo Favaro is the author of several articles published in leading specialist online journals. Among others:

- > "Guide To Arbitration Places (GAP) – Italy Chapter", DELOS, 2024;
- > "In brief: arbitration agreements in Italy", Lexology, 2023 and 2024;
- > "In brief: enforcing and challenging arbitral awards in Italy", Lexology, 2023 and 2024;
- > "Arbitrators' authority to grant interim measures should be assessed against parties' intent at time of executing arbitration clause", Practical Law, 2025;
- > "Arbitration agreement in one contract does not extend to other contracts even when connected", Practical Law, 2023;



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PUBLICATIONS

- > *"New Milan Chamber of Arbitration rules enter into force"*, Practical Law, 2023;
- > *"Italian reform of civil justice (and arbitration law) almost at a go, with many significant changes"*, Practical Law, 2022;
- > *"Court of Appeal at seat of arbitration can rule on merits after setting aside award made in arbitration involving international party having branch in Italy"*, Practical Law, 2021;
- > *"Italian reform of civil justice allows arbitral tribunals to grant interim measures"*, Practical Law, 2021;
- > *"A new start: the Italian Arbitration Association (AIA) approves new by-laws and restructures"*, Practical Law, 2020.



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