

## WIPO LIST OF NEUTRALS

### BIOGRAPHICAL DATA

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### EDUCATIONAL AND PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

Doctor of Law, University of Montpellier, 1975;  
Attorney at Law, Montpellier Bar, 1978;  
Professor at the Faculties of Law, 1988.

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### LANGUAGES

French and English.

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### PRESENT POSITION

Full Professor of Private Law at the Faculty of Law of Montpellier;  
Professor at the Center for International Industrial Property Studies (CEIPI) of the University of Strasbourg;  
Attorney at the Montpellier Court.

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### MEMBERSHIP IN PROFESSIONAL BODIES

International Literary and Artistic Association (ALAI);  
Expert to the Commission of the European Communities. Intellectual Property (Databases).  
International Association for the Advance of Teaching and Research in Intellectual Property (ATRIP),

Member of the ExCo.

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### **AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION**

Intellectual property - legal aspects - patents - trademarks - designs - copyright - computer law, Unfair competition; International commercial law and international private law.

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### **EXPERIENCE IN INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY**

Twenty five years (research and teaching in intellectual property);  
Twenty five years of liberal and court practice as an attorney.

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### **MAJOR PUBLICATIONS**

*L'Acte de contrefaçon de brevet d'invention*, Paris, Litec, Coll. CEIPI, 1978; *Lamy Droit de l'Informatique* (in collaboration) (annual re-issue 1986 – 2004); Editor, « *Propriété industrielle* », monthly review, Lexisnexus ed. Since 2002.

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### **EXPERIENCE IN COURT LITIGATION**

Consultations - supervision of files and pleading - drafting of assignment and licensing contracts (patents, trademarks, designs, literary and artistic property, data processing);

Court practice essentially in France - exclusively in intellectual property (protection - contracts). Involved as a consultant in disputes on software in various countries of Europe.

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### **PROFESSIONAL TRAINING IN ARBITRATION**

Teaches private law (civil procedure in particular), at the University of Montpellier.

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### **EXPERIENCE IN MEDIATION**

Numerous cases as counsel that have been settled.

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### **EXPERIENCE IN ARBITRATION**

Twice as an ad hoc arbitrator;

A few cases, as attorney, arbitrated under the auspices of the ICC concerning matters of patents, licenses and competition law. International Arbitrations.

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**ARBITRATION EXPERIENCE****SUMMARY TABLE**

Type		Role				
	Name	Number of Arbitrations	Presiding Arbitrator	Sole Arbitrator	Co-arbitrator	Counsel
International Arbitrations	AAA					
	ICC	3				3
	LCIA					
	Ad Hoc	2		1	1	
	Others:					
Number of cases: sub-total		5		1	1	3
Domestic Arbitrations						
Number of cases: sub-total						
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>5</b>		<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>