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A Solicitor of England & Wales and member of the Paris Bar, Amélie-Lou joined the firm in 2024 after practising with a leading US law firm. Specialising in domestic and international arbitration, she acts as counsel for clients across a wide range of sectors, including the aerospace, construction, energy and luxury industries. She also advises on complex business law matters, including post-M&A litigation.

Amélie-Lou has particular experience of arbitration proceedings conducted under the aegis of the International Chamber of Commerce (ICC) and the International Centre for Settlement of Investment Disputes (ICSID). She has also gained experience acting as Tribunal Secretary in a bilingual ICC commercial arbitration.

After growing up in Western Africa and Northern Africa, Amélie-Lou obtained a double Master's degree in English law and French law from King's College London and Université Panthéon-Sorbonne (Paris 1). She then obtained a double degree in global business law and governance from City University of Hong Kong and Université Panthéon-Sorbonne (Paris 1).

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Qualifications

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Education

LL.M. and *Master 2*, Double degree in Global Business Law and Governance, City University of Hong Kong and Université Panthéon-Sorbonne (Paris 1), 2018

LL.B. and *Master 1*, Double degree in English Law and French Law, King's College London and Université Panthéon-Sorbonne (Paris 1), 2017

Experience

Associate, rory.legal, Paris (January 2024 - current)

Associate, Jones Day, Paris (September 2022 - December 2023)

Expérience

Arbitration Counsel

- Co-counsel in arbitration proceedings between companies manufacturing transport and security infrastructures across Europe (ICC rules, French law, conducted in French).
- Counsel in the pre-litigation phase of a dispute between a legal and tax consultancy firm and an auditing group (English law, conducted in English).
- Counsel in arbitration proceedings relating to the performance of an artistic direction contract in the luxury goods sector across Europe and Asia (ICC rules, French law, conducted in English). The amount in dispute was approximately EUR 35 million.
- Counsel in arbitration proceedings concerning the performance of an engineering, procurement and construction (EPC) contract relating to oil & gas installations (ICC Rules, Italian law, conducted in English).
- Counsel in arbitration proceedings between companies in the secure printing sector involving compliance / international criminal investigations issues (ICC Rules, French law, conducted in English).
- Counsel in arbitration proceedings between European defence companies concerning the interpretation and enforcement of environmental warranties (ICC Rules, French law, conducted in English).
- Counsel in arbitration proceedings between joint venture members in the aerospace industry (ICC Rules, French law, conducted in English).
- Counsel in post-M&A arbitration proceedings between a State entity and a telecommunications company concerning the termination of a public contract in Latin America (ICSID, French law, conducted in English).

Mediation / Settlement Counsel

- Counsel in mediation proceedings between a franchisee and a multinational company in the food retail industry (CMAP, French law and equity, conducted in French).

Tribunal Secretary & Research Work

- Tribunal Secretary in arbitration proceedings concerning a mining project in Western Africa (ICC, French law, conducted in English and French).
- Research Assistant to Ms. Kim M. Rooney (Hong Kong-based Arbitrator, Mediator and Barrister and member of the ICC International Court of Arbitration).