Dr Andrius Smaliukas

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EDUCATION

2011	**2011 University of Cambridge Judge Business School** Executive education diploma
2010	**2010 Harvard Law School** Executive education (Leadership in Law Firms) diploma
2007	**Queen Mary & Westfield College, University of London** LL.M (merit)
2001–2004	**Vilnius University** Doctor Juris (PhD)
2002	**Queen's College, Oxford University** Postgraduate diploma
1996–2001	**Vilnius University** Magister Artium

EXPERIENCE

Since 2020	**Kesko Senukai** • Member of the Board
Since 2025	**Baltic Horizon** • Chairman of the Supervisory Board
Since 2019	**Staticus Group, Lithuania** • Chairman of the Board
Since 2019	**Milasauskas, Martinkute, Smaliukas and Partners, Lithuania** • Founding Partner
2014–2025	**Misen Energy AB, Sweden** • Chairman of the Board
2011–2019	**Valiunas Ellex (previously LAWIN), Lithuania** • Partner
2005–2010	**Varul Vilgerts Smaliukas** • Founding Partner
2003–2015	**The Law Faculty of Vilnius University** • Associate Professor
2005–2009	**Lecturer at ISM University of Management and Economics** • Lecturer
2003–2005	**Soloveicikas, Martinkute, Augustaitis / SMA** • Founding Partner

WORK HIGHLIGHTS

2020–2026	Advised on corporate governance, commercial real estate transactions, investment management and strategic business matters a number of leading businesses operating in the Baltics, Scandinavian countries and Ukraine
2015–2022	Co-arbitrator, chairperson and sole arbitrator in cases administered by the Vilnius Court of Commercial Arbitration and ICC Paris
2014	Represented clients at the General Court of the European Union
2014–2015	Counsel in several sports arbitrations administered by the Court of Arbitration for Sport (Lausanne, Switzerland)
2012–2014	Counsel for the Republic of Lithuania in the investment dispute with Gazprom regarding the implementation of the EU Third Energy Package under the UNCITRAL Arbitration Rules
2011–2015	Counsel for the Republic of Lithuania in arbitration against Gazprom regarding natural gas pricing, administered by the SCC

2012–2013	Counsel for the Republic of Lithuania in the investment dispute with Gazprom under the ICC Arbitration Rules
2009–2011	Consultant for the Government of Lithuania on the reform of the electricity and gas sectors
2008–2009	Counsel for a national railway company in UNCITRAL arbitration concerning a transportation contract
2003–2008	Consultant in the dispute between the Republic of Lithuania and a Swedish investor regarding the enforcement of the ICC award

PUBLICATIONS

Forthcoming	‘‘Efficiency and social justification of security rights: postmodern doctrines and their critique”, in Liber Amicorum A. Taminskui (in Lithuanian) (VU Press)
2021	Property and Trust Law in Lithuania (Wolters Kluwer)
2016	‘Secured Transactions Law Reform in Lithuania’ in Secured Transaction Law Reform: Policies, Principles and Practice, eds. L. Gullifer, O. Akseli (Hart Publishing)
2015	Insolvency of the Group of Companies in the Scope of the new EIR: Lithuanian Perspective, *International Insolvency Law Review*, 4/2015
2010	“Conceptualizing Unconscionability in the post-Soviet Era: Lithuanian Case of Legal Transplants” in Unconscionability in European Private Financial Transactions, eds. M. Kenny, J. Devenney, L. Fox O’Mahony (Cambridge University Press)
2010	‘Protection of Non-Professional Sureties: Lithuania’ (co-authors with G. Šulija) in Regulating Unfair Banking Practices in Europe, eds. A. Colombi Ciacchi, S. Weatherill (Oxford University Press)
2008	‘Republik Litauen: Gesetz über Organismen für Gemeinsame Anlagen’ (co-authors with Y. Goldammer), Wirtschaft und Recht in Osteuropa (WIRO)
2007	Können Gerichte Unternehmen bei der Durchsetzung ausländicher Schiedsgerichtsentscheidungen in Litauen brensen? (co-authors with Y. Goldammer), Wirtschaft und Recht in Osteuropa (WIRO)
2005	‘Reform of Laws on Security Interests in Lithuania: Convergence of Legal Concepts’ Issues in International Commercial Law, ed. I. Davies
2005	‘The Restrictive Theory of State Immunity in Lithuania: Reality or Illusion’ (co-authors with Y. Goldammer), Baltic Yearbook of International Law
2004	‘Reform of Security over Movable Property in Lithuania: the Second Stage’ EBRD’s Law in Transition
2004	‘Reform of Security over Movable Property in Lithuania: Evaluations *de lege lata* and Proposals *de lege ferenda*’, European Business Law Review, 2004(15).

CONFERENCES AND PUBLIC SPEAKING

2024–2026	Legal Services Market, presentation on client expectations and needs, Lithuania
2023	Vilnius Arbitration Day, discussion on the quality of arbitral awards and issues surrounding their recognition and enforcement, Lithuania
2023	Annual Meeting of the Notaries, presentation on digital assets, Lithuania
2022	The Future of Legal Practice: What Should We Know Already? Lithuania
2020	Litigation Communication, presentation and discussion on communication strategies in litigation, Lithuania
2017	Vilnius Arbitration Day, Lithuania
2015	Corporate Law Day, presentation on practical aspects of drafting commercial contracts, Lithuania
2015	Evaluation of Lawyers' Professional Activities: Consumer Protection in the Lithuanian Bar, Lithuania
2014	Corporate Law Day, presentation on developments in EU corporate insolvency law and co-moderation of the closing discussion, Lithuania
2011	Conference on the Lithuanian Civil Code, Lithuania
2005	‘Corporate governance and structure of management organs in Lithuanian company law’ at the international conference ‘Company law in enlarged Europe: convergence or division in globalisation era?’, Krakow, Poland

GRANTS AND AWARDS

2002	OSI/FCO Chevening Scholarship

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

Since 2012	Member of the Panel of Arbitrators at the Vilnius Court of Commercial Arbitration
2015–2019	Member of the ICC Commission on Arbitration and ADR
2011–2017	Member of the Permanent Court of Arbitration
Since 2003	Admitted to the Lithuanian Bar Association

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

2009–2011	Served on the Civil Code Supervisory Committee appointed by the Minister of Justice
2009–2011	Contributed to the comprehensive reform of Lithuanian legislation governing mortgages and security interests over movable property

LANGUAGES

Lithuanian	Native
English	Fluent
Russian	Good
French	Basic
German	Basic
Polish	Basic