EU-U.S. and Swiss-U.S. Privacy Shield Arbitrator

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Profession Attorney

Work History Partner, Morrison & Foerster LLP, 2001 - Present; Associate, Morrison & Foerster

LLP, 1995 - 2001; Associate, Proskauer Rose LLP, 1992 – 1995.

Experience & Expertise in U.S. Privacy Law and EU Data Protection Law

Miriam Wugmeister is called upon by provide advice on some of the largest and most complex privacy and data security issues. Ms. Wugmeister started working on international privacy issues in 2001 and has worked on dozens of matters involving Privacy Shield and its predecessor the Safe Harbor Framework. Ms. Wugmeister also participated in one of the few arbitrations under the Safe Harbor. Few lawyers in the world share Ms. Wugmeister's breadth and understanding of privacy and data security laws, obligations, and practices; she is familiar with the privacy and data security laws and regulations in every country in which they exist.

As leader of the Global Privacy Alliance (GPA), Ms. Wugmeister encourages the rational development of privacy laws around the world and monitors privacy practices, laws, and regulations globally. On behalf of the GPA's members, she takes an active role in anticipating upcoming privacy legislation and educating regulators on the commercial implications of proposed regulations.

Experience & Training in Alternative Dispute Resolution

Ms. Wugmeister spent the first 15 years of her career as an employment litigator and in that capacity participated in numerous arbitrations, mediations and other forms of alternative dispute resolution. She also severed as a Lemon Law arbitrator for the Massachusetts Small Claims court.

Professional Licenses Admitted to the Bar: Connecticut, 1992; New York, 1993; California, 1995.

Professional Associations Member, Privacy-Security Advisory Counsel, The Human Project

Education Boston University School of Law (J.D. - 1992); Brandeis University (B.S. - 1986).

Languages English

Publications, Speeches & Testimony

Publications:

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Note that the Arbitration Panel for EU-U.S. Privacy Shield Arbitrations was established by the EU and the U.S. Department of Commerce as specified in Annex I, section F. of the Privacy Shield Framework. Accordingly, unless specified otherwise in their biographical information, arbitrators on the list of Privacy Shield arbitrators are not members of the AAA-ICDR's roster of arbitrators. All information contained in this resume has been provided directly by the arbitrator in connection with their potential selection for Privacy Shield arbitrations.

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- Podcast: Making Sense of the Privacy Shield, IAPP Podcast, February 3, 2016.
- "Employee Monitoring and Data Loss Prevention," Morrison & Foerster Data Protection Masterclass (Webcast), December 9, 2015.
- "A Brave New World: Cybersecurity and Data Protection in the Wake of Recent Corporate Attacks," Association of Corporate Counsel Webcast, October 19, 2015.
- 16th Annual PLI Privacy and Data Security Law Institute, New York, NY, June 8, 2015.
- Forum on International Privacy Law, Cascais, Portugal, April 20-22, 2015.
- "Cross-border: What are the Top Challenges and Can They be Solved?" IAPP Practical Privacy Series, Financial Services Day, November 5, 2014.

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