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Cédric Soule is an associate at Derains & Gharavi and has intervened in international arbitration proceedings as well as in Canadian civil law procedures.

Cédric has participated in proceedings conducted under the arbitration rules of the International Court of Arbitration of the International Chamber of Commerce (ICC), and of the International Centre for Settlement of Investment Disputes (ICSID).

He is a member of the New York Bar and obtained a B.C.L./LL.B. at McGill University Faculty of Law and an M.A. in Philosophy, Politics and Economics at the University of Oxford.

Cédric intervenes in proceedings carried out in English, French, Spanish and Italian.

### **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

- Associate, Derains & Gharavi, 2011 onwards
- Student at law, Osler, Hoskin & Harcourt, LLP, Litigation Group (Montreal, Canada) - September–December 2009
  - In charge of a Small Claims Court case
  - Research and drafting of memoranda on Canadian legal issues
- Summer Intern, Inter-American Court of Human Rights, Legal Department (San José, Costa Rica) – May-August 2009
  - Contribution to the drafting of the *Anzualdo Castro v. Peru* judgment
- Summer Associate, Salans, International Arbitration Practice Group (Paris, France) – June-November 2007 and June-August 2006
  - Contribution to drafting in ICC, UNCITRAL and ICSID arbitrations, client and witness meetings, assistance with interviewing process, cross examination;
  - Research and contribution to drafting of a case commentary on the English Court of Appeal's decision in *Occidental*, published in Mealey's International Arbitration Report (July 2007).

**EDUCATION**

- Admitted to the New York Bar, 2011
- B.C.L./LL.B., McGill University, Faculty of Law, Canada, 2010
- M.A., B.A. in Philosophy, Politics and Economics, Oxford University, 2002-2005

**LANGUAGES**

- English, mother tongue
- French, mother tongue
- Spanish, mother tongue
- Italian, fluent
- German, advanced
- Russian, intermediate
- Portuguese, reading and comprehension abilities

**PUBLICATIONS**

- “France’s new Arbitration Law successfully streamlines the arbitral process”, Commercial Dispute Resolution (2011), Q2 Issue 4, p. 49, co-author Bertrand Derains