

## Emilie McConaughey

### Senior Associate, Geneva



Emilie specialises in international arbitration, both commercial and investment treaty arbitration, and has experience in a variety of sectors, including energy, mining, construction and telecommunications.

She acts as counsel and as administrative secretary to arbitral tribunals in numerous international arbitral proceedings, both ad hoc (UNCITRAL) and administered under the rules of ICSID, ICC, SCC, Swiss Rules and CEPANI.

Emilie also advises on public international law matters.

Emilie is a member of the firm's pro bono committee and assists in the preparation of the Revue des revues for the Journal du droit international (Clunet).

#### Current professional memberships

- + Member of ASA below 40
- + Member of CFA-40
- + Member of ICDR Young & International
- + Member of ArbitralWomen
- + Member of the Foreign Lawyers' Commission of the Geneva Bar Association (CABE-ODA).

#### Career history

- + Senior Associate, LALIVE, Geneva, 2024 – present
- + Associate, LALIVE, Geneva, 2012 – 2023

#### Academic qualifications

- + Certificat d'Aptitude à la Profession d'Avocat (CAPA), Haute Ecole des Avocats Conseils de Versailles (HEDAC), 2012
- + Master of Laws (bilingual French-German programme), University of Paris Nanterre and Potsdam University, 2011
- + Exchange year, Emory University School of Law, Atlanta, 2007 – 2008

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#### Practices

- + Arbitration - International Commercial
- + Arbitration - Investment Treaty
- + ESG
- + Public International Law

#### Sectors

- + Energy
- + Mining

#### Languages

- + English
- + French
- + German
- + Spanish

#### Nationality

- + American
- + French

#### Admission

- + Geneva (foreign lawyer), 2013
- + France, 2012

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## Recent publications

### **Hot Topics in Critical Minerals Mining: ITA's Toronto 2025 Third Conference in the Mining Sector**

EMILIE MCCONAUGHEY

*In: Kluwer Arbitration Blog, 19 April 2025*

### **Digging Deeper: Explorative Perspectives in Mining Arbitration**

BAPTISTE RIGAUDEAU, EMILIE MCCONAUGHEY

*In: Mining Arbitration Report – Tax disputes in mining projects, Jus Mundi, 2023*

### **Space Law and Arbitration, A Not-So-Outlandish Space Odyssey**

EMILIE MCCONAUGHEY, NICOLE CHALIKOPOULOU

*In: ASA Bulletin, Volume 40, No. 3, 2022*

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## Recent conferences

### **LALIVE – Frankfurt Investment Arbitration Moot Court – LALIVE Pre-Moot Conference – Dispute Resolution under the ECT – *QUO VADIS?***

EMILIE MCCONAUGHEY, Speaker: Recent developments in investment arbitrations brought under the ECT

*Geneva, 21 February 2020*