

Annex 2

Screening Requirements

Educational and Professional qualifications:

A panelist must have a University Degree (e.g. LL.B, LL.M, J.D) from a reputable university which allows its holder to be admitted with a local bar or a similar professional body of trademark attorneys and practice.

Position:

Attorney at Law, Trademark Attorney, Arbitrator, Professor, Lecturer.

Language;

English plus other languages.

Area of Specialization:

Intellectual Property, Information Technology Law, Internet Law, Computer Law, Competition Law, Litigation, E-Commerce Law.

Experience:

Considerable experience in fields of Intellectual Property, Information Technology Law, E-Commerce Law, domain names, litigation, mediation, arbitration or ADR related to domain names.

Membership in professional bodies:

Arab Society for Intellectual Property (ASIP)
Young International Arbitration Group (YIAG)
International Bar Association (IBA)
International Trademark Association (INTA)
International Association for the Protection of Intellectual Property (AIPPI)
Licensing Executive Society International (LESI)
European Community Trademark Association (ECTA)
American Intellectual Property Law Association (AIPLA)
Pharmaceutical Trade Marks Group (PTMG)
Fédération Internationale des Conseils en Propriété Industrielle (FICPI)
Institute of Trade Mark Attorneys (ITMA)
ITechLaw (International Technology Law Association)
Chartered Institute of Arbitrators (CIArb)
International League of Competition Law (LIDC)

Publications:

To have written articles in fields of intellectual property, technology law, e-commerce and publications thereof in relevant periodicals.