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Degrees and Membership: BA.LLB (Wits)
Member of the Society of Advocates SA
Member of the Bar of England, Scotland and Wales
Advocate of the Supreme Court of SA
Fellow: Chartered Institute of Arbitrators (CIArb)
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Life Fellow: Association of Arbitrators (Southern Africa)
Associate Member : SA Institute of Civil Engineers(SAICE)
Chairman: Africa ADR
Member of the ICC Panel of Arbitrators
Accredited Arbitrator of the Dubai International Arbitrator Centre (DIAC)
Member of the Technology and Construction Bar Association (UK) (TECBAR)
Member of The Society of Construction Arbitrators (UK)
Accredited Mediator of the General Council of the Bar (UK)
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Member of the Society of Construction Law
Member of the Worshipful Company of Arbitrators
Founding fellow of the Academy of Construction Lawyers
Board Member of the International Academy of Construction Lawyers
Vice-Chairman of the Guiding Committee of the China Africa Arbitration Centre
Accredited Arbitrator of the Shanghai Arbitration Centre
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Member of the Executive of the Arbitration Foundation of SA
Course Director for the Construction Arbitration module (AFSA/University of Pretoria)
SA Representative on the BRICS Legal Forum

Areas of practice: Prior to being called to the Bar in 1977, Patrick served his articles of clerkship at a leading Johannesburg firm of Attorneys during which time he passed the Attorney's admission examinations and qualified and was admitted as an Attorney.

Fields of practice comprehend a specialization of Construction, Arbitration Law and Adjudication and generally in Contract, Commercial Insolvency, Professional Negligence, Banking, Insurance, IT, Landlord and Tenant and Mining Law.

A specialization in Construction Law has involved all aspects of Construction Claims and Contracts for both Employers and Contractors including disputes in relation to dams, roads, power stations, airports, air force Bases, harbours, pipelines (offshore and onshore), buildings, bridges, aluminium refractories, hospitals, railway lines, cement filtration plants, sports stadiums, hotels, conveyors, heap leach pads, electrical installations, acid plants, crushing plants, paving, tunneling, water reticulation, water proofing, geotechnical and geological issues, mechanical engineering contracts, sulphuric acid plants, trains, dredging, issues relating to concrete, piping and instrumentation, elevators, reinforcement, post-tension slabs, foundations, factories, multi project terminals and design.

Patrick is a member of the Maisels Group and 39 Essex Street Chambers in London and practices internationally in the United Kingdom, Europe and Africa.

He has received numerous appointments to act as arbitrator in relation to both domestic and international arbitrations both in South Africa and abroad and has chaired and been a member of a number of Dispute Adjudication Boards. He has been counsel in and a member of the tribunal under EU, ICC, DIAC, LCIA and UNCITRAL rules. He is presently chairing numerous adjudications as well as being a member of a number of Dispute Resolution Boards.

He has published a number of articles in The International Construction Law Review, Construction Law Journal, DIAC Journal and Arbitration and has given papers at numerous conferences at the invitation of, amongst others, the ICC, the CIARB, LCIA, DIAC, Association of Arbitrators (Southern Africa) and AFSA. He has also tutored in construction and arbitration law at the invitation of Kings College London, CIARB and AFSA.

He has lectured on Arbitration and the FIDIC suite of documents for the Dubai International Arbitration Centre and Kings College, London and runs a course on Construction Arbitration for the Arbitration Foundation of South Africa.