

## RESUME

A practising **lawyer** (since 2007), Marta Lalaguna has been Counsel at CMS Albiñana & Suárez de Lezo. Previously, she was an associate at Cuatrecasas. She has experience in Arbitration and Procedural, Civil and Commercial Law, advising national and international companies in different areas and sectors (banking, construction, insurance, etc.).

Marta has advised as **lead counsel** to leading companies in their sectors in a wide variety of proceedings, such as: international companies in civil and contractual liability matters; multinationals in the renewable energy sector in different proceedings relating to wind farm maintenance contracts; or a listed multinational in the telecommunications sector in a claim for breach of contract in the acquisition of telecommunications infrastructure for an amount exceeding 150 million euros.

She is **Arbitrator** (since 2019) in matters followed before the Spanish Court of Arbitration. She has participated in more than 20 arbitrations in Law and Equity, as party counsel (since 2007) under the rules of the International Chamber of Commerce (ICC), the Civil and Commercial Court of Arbitration (CIMA), the Madrid Court of Arbitration (CAM), the Barcelona Arbitration Court, the Tarragona Arbitration Court, etc., as well as in ad hoc arbitrations.

In 2020, she was accredited as a **mediator CEDR** (Centre for Effective Dispute Resolution) and obtained the accreditation as a mediator from the Ministry of Justice in Spain. She has the title of the course "Professional Specialization in Civil and Commercial Mediation. 100 hours" by the National University of Distance Education (**UNED**). She also has the title of the course "Training Program in Mediation. 50 hours" given by the **Notarial Association of Catalonia**. She is a member of the panel of mediators of the Fide Mediation Centre. In 2020, she promoted the creation of the Mediation area of her previous law firm.

She is a **lecturer** in the Master's Degree in Access to the Legal Profession at the Universidad Autónoma de Madrid ("UAM"). Previously, she was an associate professor in the Department of International Law at the University of Valencia.

Marta is a member of the Madrid Bar Association as a "practicing lawyer" (previously, in the Valencia Bar Association since 2007) and is a member of the Spanish Arbitration Club (CEA). She has been recognized in the Best Lawyers 2020 directory, in the 'Arbitration' category and in the Best Lawyers 2021 directory, in the 'Arbitration and Mediation' category. She was also included in the Directory "Iberian Lawyer Forty under Forty" 2020, in the category "Litigation Lawyer" and in the Directory "Legal 500" 2021, in the category "Dispute Resolution".

Marta has participated in numerous conferences and events on alternative dispute resolution methods, including her participation in the I Interuniversity Course organized by the University of Alcalá "*Interaction between mediation and arbitration in the resolution of international*

*disputes in the XXI century from 7 to 9 April 2021*" with her paper entitled "*Application of Med-Arb clauses, Arb-Med and other variants*". She has published numerous articles on this subject<sup>1</sup>.

Born in Valencia, Spain, on November 21st, 1984, she has a **degree in Law** (with an extraordinary prize). She obtained an Erasmus scholarship at the University Paris XII (Paris). She also holds a **degree in Political Science** from the University of Valencia. She also has a **Master's Degree in Legal Consultancy (LL.M)** from IE Law School (Instituto de Empresa) and a **Master's Degree in Communication** from Miguel Hernández University.

She speaks English, Catalan and has an intermediate level of French.

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<sup>1</sup> Some of his publications include: (i) Young Arbitrators Review. YAR's Edition 35, April, 2021 "Use of Hybrid Methods after Covid-19"; (ii) CMS International Disputes Digest, Summer Edition "*Hybrid Dispute Resolution procedures*"; (iii) "*When can we appeal an arbitral award? Never, unless the parties mutually agree*", Economist & Jurist, April, 2021; (iv) "*ADR hybrids, in particular, arb-med-arb: a very promising way of pairing mediation and arbitration*", Revista Actualidad Jurídica, AJA, April 2021; (v) "*La aplicación en España de med-arb, arb-med y variantes como alternativa a los ADR tradicionales*", Revista La Ley Mediación y Arbitraje, nº4