

Organs of the General Settlement Fund

The organs of the General Settlement Fund were the Board of Trustees, the Secretary General and the Claims Committee. Furthermore, an Arbitration Panel for the examination of applications for *in rem* restitution of publicly-owned property was established with the General Settlement Fund.

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Arbitration Panel for In Rem Restitution

The independent Arbitration Panel for *In Rem* restitution decided upon applications for the return of publicly-owned property pursuant to the General Settlement Fund Law. The Government of the United States of America and the Austrian Federal Government each appointed one Member. The Chairperson was appointed by these two members. Prof. Josef Aicher is the Chairman of the Arbitration Panel; Prof. August Reinisch was appointed by the US Government and Retired Ambassador Erich Kussbach by the Austrian Government.

The Arbitration Panel for In Rem Restitution was dissolved on 29 June 2021.

Selected media reports on the Arbitration Panel

Interview with the members of the Arbitration Panel for In Rem Restitution in the Facultas magazine "Wissen". Taken from: Facultas Magazine "Wissen", issue 3/2018, p. 6-7. Printed with the kind permission of the Facultas Verlag, to whom we would like to express our sincere thanks.

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Personnel composition

em. o.Univ.-Prof. Dr. Josef Aicher, From 2001 to 2021 Chairman of the Arbitration Panel for In Rem Restitution.

Hon.-Prof. Dr.Dr.h.c. Erich Kussbach, LL.M. (Yale), Member of the Arbitration Panel for In Rem Restitution appointed by Austria from 2001 to 2021.

Univ.-Prof. MMag. Dr. August Reinisch, LL.M., US-appointed Member of the Arbitration Panel for In Rem Restitution from 2001 to 2021.