PEDRO L. PLANCHART

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

With over 37 years of experience, he specializes in Commercial, Corporate, and Banking Law, as well as Capital Markets, Mergers and Acquisitions, Financial Issues, venture capital, insurance, contracts, Government Sector Financing, exchange control, Private International Law, Arbitration, and Mediation.

He is particularly noted for his expertise in banking. capital markets, insurance, and project financing. He has advised numerous financial institutions on contractual, regulatory, and negotiation aspects across various financial sectors and has also served as an arbitrator and expert in both national and international commercial arbitrations.

PUBLICATIONS

He has authored several notable publications on Civil Law, Commercial Law, Arbitration, and Exchange Law. Key works include discussions on mortgages in foreign currency, fixed price contracts in real estate, and exchange control obligations. His recent work emphasizes the role of judges in upholding rather than creating or repealing laws, reflecting on the current importance of Civil Law.

MEMBERSHIPS AND ASSOCIATIONS

- President of the Legal Committee of the Cámara de Comercio de Caracas.
- Member of the list of Arbitrators of the Centro de Arbitraje de la Cámara de Comercio de Caracas (CACCC).
- Member of the Finance and Capital Markets Committee of the Cámara Venezolano Americana de Comercio e Industria (VenAmCham).

EDUCATION

- Law "Summa Cum Laude"; Universidad Católica Andrés Bello.
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TEACHING ACTIVITY

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LANGUAGES

Spanish

- English