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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

His professional practice is focused on advising on matters of civil, commercial, real estate, family businesses, business structuring, contracts in general, and tax law.

During his professional practice he has handled multiple relevant matters in corporate matters, groups of companies, business acquisitions, mergers, spin-offs, successions, issues related to education and educational institutes. He has participated in the resolution of conflicts on the aforementioned issues through judicial proceedings and through the use of alternative methods such as negotiation, mediation and arbitration.

He advises third and fourth level educational institutes; among them, he is a legal consultant, under the position of Director of Governmental Affairs, of the Instituto de Estudios Superiores de Administración (IESA).

PRO BONO ACTIVITY

Besides being part of the pro bono team of the firm; he performs advisory work, among them:

- He is a legal consultant for the Fundación Proyecto Maniapure.
- Provides assistance to Fundación Madre María Luisa Casar.
- Advisor to IESA.

PUBLICATIONS

- (2018). *Notas sobre la sentencia de la Sala Constitucional del 10 de mayo de 2018 y el cambio de la Casación Civil Venezolana*. [Notes on the ruling of the Constitutional Chamber of May 10, 2018 and the change in the Venezuelan Civil Cassation] Venezuelan Journal of Commercial Law, N° 1. (pp 452-482). Sociedad Venezolana de Derecho Mercantil.
- (2021). *Causas extrañas no imputables y teoría de la imprevisión con especial atención al contrato de obras. Tutela judicial*. [Non-imputable extraneous causes and theory of unpredictability with special attention to the works contract. Judicial protection] Journal of the Faculty of Law and Political Sciences of the Universidad Monteávila. Law and Society. N° 18, (pp. 163-190).

MEMBERSHIPS AND ASSOCIATIONS

- Director of Cámara Venezolana de la Construcción.
- Member of Consejo Empresarios Venezuela Estados Unidos (CEVEU).
- Member of the Venezuelan Association of Private Capital (Venecapital).
- Arbitrator and mediator of the Arbitration Center of the Caracas Chamber of Commerce (CACCC).
- Arbitrator and mediator of the Centro Empresarial de Conciliación y Arbitraje (CEDCA).
- Member of the Spanish Arbitration Club (CEA).

EDUCATION

- Law; Universidad Católica Andrés Bello.
- Management for Lawyers; Instituto de Estudios Superiores de Administración (IESA).
- Master's Degree in Corporate Tax Management; Universidad Metropolitana.
- Advanced Management Program (PAG); IESA.

LANGUAGES

- Spanish.
- English.