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GENERAL INFORMATION

Profession: Lawyer
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EDUCATION

September, 2003 to August, 2010 **Universidad Externado de Colombia**
Doctor (Ph.D.)

September, 1990 to July, 1991 **Pantheon-Assas University**
Master in International Law
Diplôme d'Études Approfondies

September, 1989 to March, 1990
Specialist in Private International Law
Diplôme Supérieur de l'Université, Paris II

March, 1984 to March, 1985 **Los Andes University**
Specialist in Financial Law

January, 1978 to November, 1982 **Universidad Externado de Colombia**
Lawyer

TRAINING

September to December, 2007 **University of Barcelona**
Research fellow

May, 2005 **University of Granada**
World Congress on Law and Globalization

March, 1995 **Kellog, Northwestern University**
Negotiation Strategies for Managers

December, 1994 **University of California, Berkeley**
Strategic Human Resources Management

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

May, 2010 - to date	Cavelier Abogados Managing Partner
September, 2008 - to date	Arbitrator Chamber of Commerce of Bogotá - local and international arbitrator Chamber of Commerce of Medellín Chamber of Commerce of Cali
May, 1997 - to date	Universidad Externado de Colombia Head of Business Law Department
December, 1998 to September, 2007	Banco AV Villas Legal VP – Secretary-General
February, 1997 to November, 1998	Consultores Internacionales Partner
January, 1996 to January, 1997	Zapata & Asociados Partner
September, 1994 to December, 1995	Avianca S.A., Sam S.A., Helicol S.A. Administrative Vice-president
February, 1992 to September, 1994	Avianca S.A. Secretary-General
September, 1988 to September, 1989	Bavaria S.A. Head of Subsidiary Division Board of Directors Secretary
August, 1987 to September, 1998	Invercrédito S.A. Secretary-General Head of Legal Department
April, 1984 to June, 1987	Invercrédito S.A. Legal Department Lawyer

ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

Lecturer	Universidad Externado de Colombia Sources of International Law, 2010 to date Law Faculty – Master Program International Contracts & Negotiations, 2004-2007 School of Finance Government and International Relations
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Publications

Private International Law, 2001-2003
Law Faculty

European Encyclopedia of Private International Law
Edited by Jurgen Basedow.
Author of Colombia Chapter. To be issued on 2016.

Co-author of “Intellectual Property Handbook” (The
Conflicts of Law and Intellectual Property in
Colombia). Editorial Nomos, Bogota, 2015

Co-author of “Comments on the New Arbitration
Law” (Applicable Law to Arbitration). Editorial
LEGIS, Bogota, 2013

Author of “International Monetary and Financial
Governance”. Ph.D. Thesis. Editorial UEC, Bogotá,
2012

Co-editor and co-author of “Domestic and
International Arbitration in Latin America”. Editorial
UEC, Bogotá, 2010

Editor and co-author of “International Business Law
– Scopes”. Volume I (Validity of the attributive
jurisdiction clauses in International Procurement),
Editorial UEC, 2003

Editor and co-author of Volume II (Law
Internationalization and the International Legal
Order), Editorial UEC, Bogotá, 2005

Editor and co-author of Volume III (The Legal
Regime of International Agreements in Colombia),
Editorial UEC, Bogotá, 2009

Author of “Comment to the Consultation Paper of the
Basilea Committee Regarding ‘Compliance Function
in Banks’: Legal Risk Mitigation”. *Contexto de
Derecho y Economía Magazine*, Editorial UEC, No.
20

Author of “Applicable Law and Competent
Jurisdiction in Conflicts Arising in Electronic
Procurement” in: *Electronic Commerce Law*, Colegio
de Abogados, 2002, Díké Legal Library, 2002

Author of “Bilateral Agreements for the Promotion
and Protection of International Investments: The
Colombian Experience” in: *Collection of Economic*

Law. Tribute to Enrique Low Murtra. Editorial UEC, 2000

Author of “European Perspective on Electronic Commerce”, in: *Electronic Commerce*, Editorial UEC, 2000

Author of “Applicable Law to the Merits of Dispute and International Arbitration Proceedings”. *Derecho Privado Magazine*, No. 4, June 1998-December 1999, Editorial UEC

Author of “Convention on the Provisions for International Sale of Goods” in *International Agreements for Facilitation of International Trade*, Ministry of Justice and Law, Bogotá, 1997

Author of “International Sale” in *Commercial Distribution Law*. Millennio Library. El Navegante Editores, Bogotá, 1995

Speaker

At multiple forums, seminars and congresses in the Commercial, International, Economic and Financial Law fields.

Memberships

International Academy of Comparative Law
Henri Capitant Association
International Bar Association (IBA)
President of the Colombian Subcommittee of the ICC in Commercial Practices
Member of the Drafting Commission for the New Arbitration Law 1563 of 2012
Member of the Regulatory Commission of the Movable Securities Law 1676 of 2013