

EXPERIENCE:

KASTLE INTERNATIONAL – Partner

Guatemala / Jan 2024 – Present

- Advising family offices and high-net-worth individuals on investment analysis, structuring, and portfolio creation for U.S. public securities traded on U.S. stock exchanges.
- Conducting business and legal analysis for real estate project investments.
- Providing legal, business, and development advisory services for greenfield energy and infrastructure projects.
- Assisting clients with distressed assets and restructuring strategies, including financial and operational turnaround planning.
- Leading M&A transactions holistically, including business strategy development, roadshow execution, offer management, transaction structuring, and closing.
- Coordinating and managing workstreams across legal, financial, and strategic teams to ensure seamless execution of investment and transactional matters.
- Participating in pro bono projects focused on fostering development and expanding business opportunities for marginalized communities.

LATHAM & WATKINS LLP – Associate (mid-level)

New York City - Washington DC / May 2021 – November 2023

- Provided legal advice in domestic capital markets transactions, including equity offerings, debt issuances and de-SPAC M&A transactions in the technology, music, chemicals, logistics and transportation sectors.
- Drafted and reviewing various capital markets documents including S-1, S-3, S-4, 8-K, 10-Q and 10-K forms, 424b and 425 filings, investor, analyst and lender presentations, offering memorandums, PIPE agreements and closing deliverables.
- Coordinated with client and printer for filing documents with the Securities Exchange Commission, including document preparation and printer proof review.
- Prepared and coordinated applications for the New York Stock Exchange and Nasdaq exchanges for public listings.
- Managed and assisted in capital markets related workflows between senior and junior associates including document review, due diligence, precedent research, preparation of closing sets, knowledge management projects, among others.
- Worked and coordinated workstreams with teams located in New York and California.
- Participated in pro bono representations to businesses in New York and Washington DC. Participated in pro bono matters in relation to asylum requests and deportation cases.

SIMPSON THACHER & BARTLETT LLP – Associate (junior)

New York City / March 2020 – May 2021

- Provided legal advice in M&A, capital markets and financial transactions.
- Represented high profile investment banks (including J.P. Morgan, Goldman Sachs, HSBC, KKR, and others) in high yield debt, public offerings and private equity transactions.
- Represented international companies and sovereigns in international debt issuance and liability management transactions.
- Represented private and public companies in the preparation, negotiation and closing of various mergers and acquisitions.
- Prepared and filed documents with the Securities Exchange Commission in representation of international and domestic public companies.
- Worked and coordinated tasks with teams located in Palo Alto, Houston and São Paulo. Assisting with business development projects, including trainings to clients and sovereigns. Participating in pro bono representations to businesses in New York.

FRESHFIELDS BRUCKHAUS DERINGER US LLP - Foreign Associate

New York City - Washington DC / August 2018 – January 2020

- Provided legal advice in international arbitration cases involving investments in the energy, air transportation, mining, telecommunications, and packaging industries.
- Drafted sections of memorials, statements of claim and other legal documents. Conducted cite checking of memorials, proofreading and preparation of exhibits for filings.
- Performed extensive research of investment arbitration awards, principles of international investment law, legal articles, foreign law and other legal sources. Conducted research of US state and federal law.
- Performed extensive review of documents, including corporate documents, environmental studies, concessions, terms of reference, bids, domestic proceedings, among others.
- Worked and coordinated tasks with teams located in New York, Berlin, London, Paris, Moscow, Milan and Rome. Assisted with non-billable projects, including business development. Participated in pro bono cases in relation to asylum requests.

GRUPO TERRA MULTINATIONAL - In-house Counsel - Energy Division

Guatemala City / March 2013 – February 2018

WILLIAM ALEXANDER GONZALEZ CASTILLO

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- Obtained five years of experience in project development, project finance and transactional matters in the energy industry, including the structuring, drafting, negotiation and closing of three syndicated loan facilities, several EPC Agreements, PPA contracts, guarantee documents, letters of credit, due diligence procedures, security packages, among others.
- Provided legal advice on corporate structure matters and shareholder affairs, including shareholder agreements, restructuring procedures, management of special purpose vehicles, parent companies and corporate governance affairs.
- Provided legal advice directly to the Chief Executive Officer, the Structured Finance Director and the President of the Energy Division. Formed part of the executive team for Guatemalan operations. Represented the company internationally in the United States, Mexico, El Salvador, Honduras, Panama, England, Spain and Austria.
- Successfully directed the international matters, project finance transactions and commercial arbitrations of the energy division. Became very experienced in risk management particularly in energy, projects and construction (including engineering, environmental management, social risk, geology and project management).

LATIN ALLIANCE LAW FIRM – ATTORNEYS - *Corporate Attorney*

Guatemala City / August 2012 – March 2013

- Provided legal advice to local and international corporate clients regarding corporate law, international litigation, local litigation and commercial affairs.

METRO COMUNICACIONES, S.A. - *Legal Consultant*

Guatemala City / January 2012 – July 2012

- Provided legal representation in telecommunication contracts. Represented the company in labor, criminal, commercial and administrative cases.

SUPREME ELECTORAL COURT OF GUATEMALA - *Judicial Clerk*

Guatemala City / August 2011 – December 2011

- Judicial clerk to Magistrate Marco Melini during the 2011 national electoral procedure for president and congress.

ABOGADOS ASOCIADOS LAW FIRM - *External Litigation Consultant*

Guatemala City / March 2011 – August 2011

- Provided legal advice in civil, commercial, criminal, and labor litigation.

EDUCATION:

GEORGETOWN UNIVERSITY LAW CENTER

Washington DC / May 2018

- *LLM in International Business & Economic Law*

GPA: 3.5/4.0

FRANCISCO MARROQUIN UNIVERSITY

Guatemala City & New Orleans / May 2015

- *LLM in Finance with a Minor in Entrepreneurship from Tulane University*

GPA: 3.6/4.0

RAFAEL LANDIVAR UNIVERSITY

Guatemala City / April 2013 & November 2010

- *Master in Corporate Law*
- *Attorney, Public Notary and Bachelor - Legal and Social Sciences*

GPA: 3.5/4.0

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LANGUAGES: Spanish (native), English (fluent).

BAR ADMISSIONS: Admitted to practice in New York (September 2019). Admitted as Special Legal Consultant by the District of Columbia Court of Appeals (June 2019). Admitted to practice in Guatemala (March 2011).

OTHER INFORMATION: US citizen. Black belt 4th degree, former high-performance athlete achieving a 2nd and 3rd place award during the World Games of the National Blackbelt League in 2009 (Buffalo, NY) and 2008 (Sacramento, CA) in the -162 pounds continuous sparring division respectively. Travel and adventure photographer.