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### Experience

Juan Pablo, lawyer, develops his activities in the Litigation Department, especially in the civil and commercial areas. His practice includes advising local banks and national and international companies in the areas of bankruptcy and insolvency, asset recovery, as well as civil and commercial litigation and domestic and international arbitrations.

He is currently finishing his Postgraduate Degree in Corporate Counseling (PAC) at the University of Montevideo, with emphasis in the different areas of Commercial Law.

He participated as a student at the University of Montevideo in the XXIII and XXIV Willem C. Vis International Commercial Arbitration Moot in Vienna, and in the VIII and IX Latin American Competition of Commercial Arbitration organized by the Catholic University of Chile (Santiago de Chile) and the University of Montevideo, respectively.

He is currently the trainer of the team of the University of Montevideo that represents this educational institution in the international arbitration competitions, having participated in the XXV and XXVI Willem C. Vis International Commercial Arbitration Moot in Vienna, in the XXII Foreign Direct Investment International Arbitration Moot organized by the University of Stockholm and in the X Latin American Competition of Commercial Arbitration organized by the University of Buenos Aires. He was also a member of the chair of "Negotiation, Conciliation and Arbitration Technique" at the University of Montevideo.

He currently is assistant professor in Bankruptcy Law at the University of Montevideo.

He was a member of the Executive Committee of "Uruguayan Very Young Arbitration Practitioners" (URUVYAP) and collaborator of the Moot Alumni of the Latin American Commercial Arbitration Competition. He was a member of the Board of Directors of Moot Alumni in 2019.

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## Work highlights

Recent work includes advising to several creditors of Cereoil Uruguay S.A., Construtora OAS S.A. (Uruguay Branch), Loryser S.A. (Minera San Gregorio), Citrícola Salteña S.A. in the bankruptcies of these companies; also assisting banks, suppliers and producers in order to recover their assets in an effective and fast way, highlighting the actions taken against the Seaboard Group.

He advises in several cases and consultations Banco Itaú Uruguay S.A., Banco Bilbao Vizcaya Argentaria Uruguay S.A., HSBC Bank (Uruguay) S.A., Banque Heritage (Uruguay) S.A., COFCO International Uruguay S.A., Henderson & Cía. S.A. (English Store) and Interagrovia S.A. (John Deere), to highlight some of the most representative clients.

Airbus Helicopters Cono Sur S.A., Airbus Helicopters Chile SpA and Airbus Helicopters SAS: Counseling in relation to various lawsuits filed by alleged commercial agents due to alleged breaches.

Medtronic Logistics LLC: Advising in relation to lawsuits filed by clients for alleged defects in products manufactured by the company.

Petroleum Geo Services and GX Technologies: Advising in relation to a multi-million dollar lawsuit filed by national fisheries claiming alleged damages for seismic prospecting operations in Uruguay.

## Professional experience abroad

In 2018 he completed the Specialized Summer Program on International Commercial Arbitration at the American University of Washington (Washington College of Law), with emphasis on both commercial and investment arbitration.

## Languages

Spanish, English, Portuguese