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Experience

Nicolás Herrera, lawyer, has been the Senior Partner of the firm for more than 20 years. He specializes in banking and finance law as well as in corporate and M&A transactions. He has advised local and multinational companies in the most complex and relevant transactions in the country and is specially recognized for his negotiation and complex problem solving skills.

Recognized among the top 10 most influential people in Uruguay by MERCOSUR both in 2020 and 2021. Chosen as “Best Business Lawyer: The Client’s Choice” / “Business Lawyer of the Year” in Uruguay by the UK publication “Chambers Global – The World’s Leading Lawyers – 2002-2003”.

Chambers Latin America 2010-2015: “Star Individual”, “Eminent Practitioner” in Banking and Finance; “Band 1” leading individual in Corporate & M&A. “He is an outstanding practitioner for both banking and M&A matters”.

"Excellent negotiator and a reference for strategic consultations, besides being an exceptional lawyer." Chambers & Partners

"Very bright, known as a strong leader and experienced M&A lawyer". Legal 500

"A point of reference in the country". Chambers & Partners

"Outstanding strategic vision and capacity as a negotiator." Chambers & Partners

"A brilliant legal mind." Chambers & Partners

"He is one of the few lawyers with a profound understanding of not just the law, but also business - he has a global perspective". Chambers & Partners

Recognized also by legal publications "Latin Lawyer", "PLC Which Lawyer" and "Who's Who Legal" for his outstanding advice in banking, project finance, corporate governance, corporate tax, M&A, among others.

He was a Commercial Law professor at UCUDAL.

Former President of the Uruguayan-United States Chamber of Commerce (2001-2004), member of DESEM's Junior Achievement Board and member of Fulbright Commission (educational exchange program between Uruguay and United States) and member of YPO (Young/World Presidents' Organization)

Member of the Arbitration Body of the Arbitration and Dispute Settlement Center, International Arbitration Court for MERCOSUR, Stock Exchange.

He is a member of the Mont Pelerin Society and President of Fundación Impulso (elementary and secondary school Project located at humble Montevideo neighborhood).

He advises the Boards of several companies.

Has been involved in most of the country's recent high profile transactions.

Professional experience abroad

Shearman & Sterling, New York (1982-1983)

Languages

Spanish, English and French