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PROFILE

Since he began his professional practice in 1984, Alejandro has established himself as an expert in the legal industry in both the private and public sectors.

Currently, he is a partner at the firm, and he is part of the Mergers & Acquisitions and Litigation & Dispute Resolution Practice Groups, focusing his practice on strategic advisory for international and local transactions.

Alejandro was a Justice of the Constitutional Court of Colombia and has held significant leadership positions in the executive branch, including Deputy Minister of Agriculture and Legal Vice President of Ecopetrol. Additionally, he has served as a national and international arbitrator.

In academia, he has been an adjunct professor of law at Universidad de Los Andes, Universidad del Rosario, Universidad del Norte (Barranquilla), among others.

EDUCATION

- PhD, Universidad Externado de Colombia Law School | summa cum laude, 2019.
- Specialist in Finance, Universidad de los Andes, 1989.
- LL.M., Harvard Law School, 1985.
- LL.B., Universidad de los Andes | cum laude, 1984.

LANGUAGES

- Spanish
- English

MEBERSHIPS

- Member of IBA (International Bar Association)
- Member, Academia Colombiana de Jurisprudencia



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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- Partner, Gómez-Pinzón Abogados, since 2024.
- Justice, Colombian Constitutional Court, 2015 2023.
- · Lecturer, Universidad de los Andes, 1986 2023.
- Vice President and General Counsel, Ecopetrol, 2014 2015.
- Partner, Gomez Pinzon Abogados, 1994 2014.
- Lecturer, Universidad del Norte, 2008 2010.
- Lecturer, Universidad del Rosario, 2000 2005.
- Director, National Rehabilitation Plan, 1992 1994.
- Vice Minister, Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development of Colombia, 1992.
- Plenipotentiary Minister, Colombian Embassy in France, 1991.
- Director, International Investments Division, National Planning Department of Colombia, 1989 – 1991.
- Legal Counsel, IBM Colombia, 1986 1989.
- Legal Director, Public Credit & Treasury Directorate, Ministry of Finance and Public Credit of Colombia, 1986.
- Foreign Associate, Sidley Austin LLP, 1985 1986.
- Summer Associate, Holland & Knight, 1985.

RECENT PUBLICATIONS

- "The Intervention of Constitutional Courts in International Investment Law: The Case of Colombia," 54 Cornell Int'l L.J. 47 (2021).
- Constitutionalism: Old Dilemmas, New Insights (Co-Editor), Oxford University Press (2021).



