

JOEL R. MEDINA
Partner



Date of Birth: February 22nd, 1950

Nacionality: Panamanian

Academic Background: Bachelor's Degree in Law and Political Sciences, Universidad de Panama, (1973). Thesis: "La Excepción del Contrato no Cumplido".

License Certificate 1973

Experience: **ICAZA, GONZÁLEZ-RUIZ & ALEMÁN**
Partner since 1973.

Public Offices: Maritime Court
Alternate Judge, (1991 - 2000)

National Council for the Development of the Maritime Sector (CONDESMAR, for its acronym in Spanish).
General Coordinator and Full Member (1992 – 1994).

Executive Branch
Member of the Drafting Committee of the Cabinet Decree No. 33 of February 9th, 1990, whereby the Regional Offices of the Merchant Marine are created.

Maritime Labour Tripartite Commission
Main Member (1990 – 1994).

Drafting Commission of the Law which created the Maritime Courts and its procedural rules.
Deputy member (1978 – 1982).

Academic Experience: Nautical School of Panama
(1978 – 2000).

Areas of Practice: Maritime Law; Company Formation and Management; Corporate Law.

Memberships:

Member of the Panamanian Association of Maritime Law; Vice-President and President of the Association of Maritime Law (1986 – 1988); Member of the Iberoamerican Institute of Maritime Law; Vice-President of the Iberoamerican Institute of Maritime Law; Full Member of the Maritime International Committee.

Awards & Recognition:

Chamber and Partners Global, Chamber and Partners Latin-America.

Publications:

Compilation of Merchant Marine Laws Regulation, 1984.

Languages:

Spanish, English and Italian.