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Overview

Federico Maciá represents individuals and institutions in all areas of immigration law. His practice focuses on employment-based immigration for professionals, managers, and investors as well as employer compliance with U.S. employment authorization regulations.

Federico has more than 25 years of experience in immigration law. His practice includes handling H-1B and L-1 temporary worker visa petitions, E-1 treaty trader and E-2 treaty investor applications, EB-5 immigrant investor petitions, EB-1 and O-1 extraordinary ability petitions, P-1 petitions for athletes and entertainers, and labor certification applications. He also has extensive experience in the areas of asylum, consular processing, removal defense, family petitions, and naturalization.

Federico takes a hands-on approach to his practice, working closely with his clients to personally guide them through the immigration process. Born in Cuba and raised in Miami, Federico is fluent in Spanish.

Areas of Focus

Practices

- Labor & Employment
- Immigration Planning and Compliance

- Education
- International
- Business Transactions
- Global Anti-Corruption

Insights

06.29.2023

New Florida Immigration Law and E-Verify Requirements for Employers

04.03.2020

Immigration and Tax Issues for Nonresident Aliens Subject to Unexpected Travel Restrictions

03.25.2020

DHS Guidance on Remote Learning and SEVIS Reporting Requirements for Foreign Students

News

02.12.2020

Carlton Fields Picks Up Immigration, Labor Pro in Florida

02.10.2020

Carlton Fields Adds Immigration Attorney Federico M. Maciá in Miami

Professional & Community Involvement

- American Immigration Lawyers Association
- The Florida Bar

Speaking Engagements

• "Immigration Law for the Employment Lawyer," The Florida Bar Webinar (2013)

- "The Cuban Adjustment Act," St. Thomas University School of Law (2006)
- "Overview of U.S. Immigration Law Relating to Cuba," St. Thomas University School of Law (2001)
- "Asylum Law and Procedure," Florida International University Paralegal Studies Program (1999)
- "Immigration Requirements for Human Resources Professionals," Florida International Bankers Association (1998)

Credentials

Education

- University of Florida College of Law (J.D., 1990)
 - Senior Managing Editor, Florida International Law Journal
- University of Chicago (B.A., 1987)

Bar Admissions

Florida

Languages

Spanish

Court Admissions

- U.S. Court of Appeals, Eleventh Circuit
- U.S. District Court, Southern District of Florida