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Constanza Velásquez is a principal associate of the Corporate/Commercial Law Department of Garrigues and joined the firm in 2013. She specializes in the areas of corporate and commercial law, providing recurring advice to domestic and foreign companies in various industries, particularly in connection with M&A transactions. She has a Degree in Legal and Social Sciences from Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile and a Master of Laws (LL.M), in International Transactions from Universidad Antonio de Nebrija, Fordham University Law School and Centro de Estudios Garrigues. Constanza worked in Garrigues' Madrid office in 2018 and as a Foreign Temporary Associate in the New York office of Davis Polk & Wardwell LLP, between 2019 to 2020.

Experience

Constanza Velásquez has been a principal associate of Garrigues' Corporate/Commercial Law Department since 2020, having joined the firm in 2013. She has extensive experience in corporate, commercial and contractual matters and also provides advice on M&A transactions performed by entities in several industries such as retail, energy, gas, telecommunications and infrastructure.

She is fluent in Spanish and English.

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Academic background

- Degree in Legal and Social Sciences, Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile (2013).
- Academic exchange, Science Po - Paris, France (2011).
- Lawyer, Supreme Court of Chile (2014).
- Master of Laws (LL.M) in International Transactions, Universidad Antonio de Nebrija, Fordham University Law School and Centro de Estudios Garrigues (2018).

Teaching activity

Constanza was assistant lecturer on the International Private Law course at Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile in 2015.

Distinctions

Constanza has been recognized by Legal 500 Latin America – Chile in 2022 and 2023, in the Rising Star category in Corporate and M&A.