

JUAN M. GONZALEZ

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EDUCATION

University of Detroit Mercy Law School, Detroit, MI

Juris Doctor, May 2008

- Immigration Law Clinic: 2007 & 2008: Represented immigrants seeking Asylum, Family based sponsorship, and Special Immigrant Juvenile Status Petitions.

Northern Michigan University, Marquette, MI

Bachelor of Arts, May 2001 (History)

- Departmental Honors

WORK EXPERIENCE

Gonzalez Law, PLLC, Bloomfield Hills, MI

March 2012 – Present

Principle Attorney

- Advising on and handling divorces, including issues regarding paternity, child support and spousal support.
- Successfully defended and advocated for clients in dozens of district and circuit court criminal matters.
- Counsel to corporate and partnership clients in a general capacity, including formation, structuring, employment, licensing, commercial contracting, purchase/sell agreements and regulatory matters.

Bajoka Law Group PLLC, Royal Oak, MI

February 2010 – March 2012

Associate Attorney

- Served as second-chair defense attorney at a jury trial in a capital murder case.
- Interviewed and counseled clients; drafted pleadings and motions, conducted written discovery, depositions and preliminary exams.
- Reviewed appellate briefs, examined trial court records, conducted legal research, and drafted memoranda.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Bar Admission

- State Bar of Michigan
- Federal Bar of the Eastern District of Michigan

Professional Memberships

- Oakland County Bar Association, Criminal Defense Attorneys of Michigan, Hispanic Bar Association of Michigan and The Eastern District of Michigan Federal Bar Association.

Garcia Law Group, PLLC, Detroit, MI

Of Counsel: Business Litigation