

Lorena M. Lantigua

Associate

Santo Domingo

T +1 809 289 4918

lorena.lantigua@squirepb.com

Languages spoken

Spanish | English



About Lorena

Lorena Lantigua Gonzalez is an associate in our International Dispute Resolution Practice Group based in Santo Domingo. Her practice concentrates on civil and commercial litigation, with a focus on disputes arising in the Dominican Republic.

With over a decade of legal experience, Lorena has represented multinational corporations before courts and state authorities. Her knowledge spans civil, criminal, commercial and real estate litigation, as well as alternative dispute resolution including negotiations, risk mitigation, arbitration, contractual matters, civil liability, title execution and guarantees.

Since 2015, Lorena has practiced at leading Dominican law firms, after beginning her career as a law clerk while in law school. Prior to joining the firm, she represented clients in complex disputes across multiple industries, including financial services, hospitality, commodities and aviation, while also supervising junior lawyers and the law clerk team. She spent two years as a law professor, teaching alternative dispute resolution at a prominent Dominican law school. These roles underscore her strong leadership and mentorship capabilities, which she continues to bring to her practice.

Experience

- Represented a major commercial airline in multiple damages claims in the Dominican Republic.
- Provided general legal advice to a major commercial airline in administrative and dispute-related matters in the Dominican Republic.
- Represented and advised MLB teams in labor, employment, civil and transactional matters.
- Represented vehicle distributors in litigation related to the application of Law 173.
- Represented corporate clients in shareholder disputes, in interim relief proceedings (*referimiento*) and in principal claims.

- Represented legal entities in international arbitration administered by various institutions, including the International Chamber of Commerce (ICC) and the Arbitration Court of the Center for Alternative Dispute Resolution of the Santo Domingo Chamber of Commerce.
- Served as primary associate in the representation of a significant financial intermediation entity in multiple litigations, negotiations and real estate regularization processes.*
- Assisted in the representation of an international investment fund in the recovery of financed amounts through guarantee execution.*
- Assisted in the representation of international hotels and their administrators in various civil, criminal, commercial litigations, arbitrations, negotiations and real estate regularization processes.*
- Represented and advised a pioneering seller and exporter of cocoa products in the Dominican Republic in criminal, civil, commercial litigations (related to restructuring and commercial liquidation) and labor matters.*
- Represented and advised an economic group in commercial operations related to international franchise contracts, hotel management contracts and commercial and civil litigations derived from these operations.*
- Represented and advised an economic group managing a shopping center in commercial operations, contract drafting, corporate, civil and commercial litigations, contract execution and termination, collections and guarantee execution.*

* Experience gained before joining the firm

Credentials

Education

- Gaceta Judicial, Diploma, Certiorati Review and the Law No. 2-23 About Certiorati Review, 2023
- Instituto OMG, Diploma, Arbitration Process Management Before the Court of Arbitration, Judicial Intervention and Award Challenges, 2022
- Pontificia Universidad Católica Madre y Maestra, Diploma, University Pedagogy, 2019
- Northwestern University, Master of Laws, 2019
- Universidad Iberoamericana, Bachelor of Laws, 2017

Admissions

- Dominican Republic, 2018

Expertise

Services

- International Dispute Resolution

About our firm

One of the world's strongest integrated law firms, providing insight at the point where law, business and government meet. We deliver commercially focused business solutions by combining our legal, lobbying and political capabilities and invaluable connections on the ground to a diverse mix of clients, from long-established leading corporations to emerging businesses, startup visionaries and sovereign nations. More than 1,500 lawyers in over 40 offices across four continents provide unrivaled access to expertise.