

# ENRIQUE ZAMORA, ESQ.

## LEGAL EXPERIENCE

### **ZAMORA, HILLMAN & VILLAVICENCIO**

3006 Aviation Avenue, Penthouse 4C, Coconut Grove, Florida 33133 - 2000 - *present*

Areas of Concentration: Elder Law, Probate & Guardianship administration, litigation and mediation, Trust Administration & Litigation, Estate Planning.

### **LAW OFFICES OF ENRIQUE ZAMORA**

1102 Ponce de Leon Blvd., Coral Gables, Florida 33134 - 1997 - 2000

Areas of Concentration: Elder Law and Probate & Guardianship litigation, Trust Administration, Estate Planning, Real Estate.

### **PEREZ-ABREU, ZAMORA, HILLMAN & MARTIN-LAVIELLE, PA**

901 Ponce de Leon Blvd., #502, Coral Gables, FL 33134 - *Founding Partner, 1987 - 1997*

Areas of Concentration: Probate & Guardianship litigation, Elder Law, Trust Administration, Estate Planning, Corporate, Contract and Business Law and related litigation; Real Estate.

## LEGAL ACTIVITIES

- ' Member of the Executive Council of the Elder Law Section
- ' Law School Liaison for the Elder Law Section '
- ' Guardianship Task Force - Elder Law Section Representative
- ' Chief Special Master for the City of Miami Beach
- ' Special Magistrate over Baker Act proceedings & Marchman Act proceedings
- ' Court Appointed Attorney-Ad-Litem for Cuban National Heirs, 11<sup>th</sup> Judicial Circuit of the State of Florida, Miami-Dade County - Probate Division
- ' Past Chair of the Elder Law Section of the Florida Bar
- ' Past director of the Florida State Guardianship Association
- ' Past director of the Foundation for Indigent Guardianship
- ' Member and former chair of the Probate & Guardianship Committee of the Dade County Bar
- ' Former Chair of the Grievance Committee 11<sup>th</sup> D of the Florida Bar
- ' Past Chair of Elder Law Section of the Florida Bar

## TEACHING ACTIVITIES

**St. Thomas University School of Law - 2004 - *present*.**

Adjunct Professor of Law - Elder Law and Guardianship

**University of Florida Levin College of Law - 2015 -- *present*.**

Adjunct Professor of Law - Elder Law

**Miami-Dade Comm. College-Professional Guardianship Program- 1998 - 2004.**

Lead Instructor & Planning Committee Chair of the course for Professional Guardians

**University of Miami - Koubek Center - *September 1989 - 1998***

SCHOOL OF CONTINUING STUDIES

Adjunct Professor of Business Law

## SPECIALTY PRACTICE

Represent Cuban Nationals heirs in U.S.A. probate proceedings. Licensed by the Office of Foreign Assets Control (OFAC) since 1995 to represent Cuban Nationals and approved by the Cuban Ministry of Justice to represent Cuban citizens in conjunction with Bufete Internacional of Havana, Cuba.

## CERTIFICATION

**Florida Bar Board Certified in Elder Law**  
**Florida Supreme Court Certified Civil Mediator**

## HONORS AND AWARDS

*Super Lawyers* list, by Florida Super Lawyers Magazine as a top attorney in Florida for 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015 & 2016

Top Lawyers of South Florida 2013, 2014 & 2015

**St. Thomas University School of Law** – Outstanding Teaching Award - 2013.

**St. Thomas University School of Law** – SBA - adjunct professor award 2014

**Pro Bono Award from the Dade County Bar Association and the 11th Judicial Circuit 2008** For Guardianship services rendered.

**Put Something Back** - Richard C. Milstein Excellence Award - 2007

## SEMINARS/PRESENTATIONS

**Florida State Guardianship Association- 28th Annual Conference:**

*Speaker*

Offered by the Florida State Guardianship Association

Interested Person: A Legal Chameleon and Pitfalls to Avoid in Guardianship Practice  
July 2015

**Essentials of Elder Law**

*Speaker*

Offered by the Elder Law Section of the Florida Bar - *January 15, 2015*

**Dade County Put Something Back – Fees, Fees and More Fees**

*Speaker*

Offered by the Dade County Bar Association - *January 15, 2014*

**Elder Law Section – Annual Review – Guardianship**

*Speaker*

*January 18, 2014*

**Elder Law Section – Essentials of Elder Law**

*Speaker*

*January 17, 2014*

**16<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL UNPROGRAM – “MEET THE EXPERTS”**

*Speaker*

Offered by the Academy of Florida Elder Law Attorneys  
October 11, 2013

**The Probate Team 2013 – Closing Guardianships into Estates**

*Speaker*

Offered by the Florida Legal Education Association - *October 4, 2013*

**15<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL UNPROGRAM – “MEET THE EXPERTS”**

*Speaker*

Offered by the Academy of Florida Elder Law Attorneys  
December 15, 2012

**Florida State Guardianship Association- 25th Annual Conference:**

*Speaker*

Offered by the Florida State Guardianship Association  
4-hour Initial Examining Committee training  
March 2012

**Florida State Guardianship Association- 24th Annual Conference: Solving the Mysteries of Guardianship- *Speaker***

Offered by the Florida State Guardianship Association- July 2011

**Personal Trust Fiduciary Training**

Offered by Morgan Keegan University - *Speaker*  
April 5, 2011

**Probate & Guardianship: A View from the Bench and Bar**

Offered by the Dade County Bar Association Probate & Guardianship Committee and Legal Aid/Put Something Back - *Speaker*  
March 11, 2011

**Elder Law Certification Exam Review Course B *Event Chair***

Offered by the Florida Bar January 2011

**Elder Law Section Annual Retreat- *Program Co-Chair***

Offered by the Florida Bar- October 2010

**2010 Florida State Guardianship Annual Conference**

**Elder Law Certification Exam Review Course**

Offered by the Florida Bar - *Speaker*  
January, 2010

**EDUCATION**

**UNIVERSITY OF MIAMI - SCHOOL OF LAW**

CORAL GABLES, FLORIDA

*JURIS DOCTOR DEGREE 1985, CUM LAUDE - May 1985*

**FLORIDA INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY**

MIAMI, FLORIDA

*MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION, 1975*

*MASTER OF SCIENCE IN MANAGEMENT, (Accounting & Taxation) 1981*

**UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA**

GAINESVILLE, FLORIDA

*BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING, 1971*

**PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS**

The Florida Bar

Executive Committee of the Elder Law Section - Florida Bar (past chair)

The Real Property, Probate and Trust Law Section - Florida Bar

NAELA (National Academy of Elder Law Attorneys)  
AFELA (Academy of Florida Elder Law Attorneys)  
Dade County Bar Association  
Cuban American Bar Association  
Florida State Guardianship Association - former board member  
South Florida Guardianship Association - past President

#### **PUBLISHED WORKS**

**St. Thomas Law Review**

Long Term Care Insurance: A Life Raft for Baby Boomers  
Volume 26, Fall 2013 – Issue 1

**St. Thomas Law Review**

Examining Committee Reports as a Basis to Dismiss Petitions to Determine Incapacity: A  
Question of Admissibility and Evidentiary Relevancy  
Volume 25, Summer 2013 – Issue 3

**St. Thomas Law Review**

Impact of the Cuban Embargo on Inheritances by Cuban Nationals  
Volume 24, Summer 2012 – Issue 3

**Elder Law Advocate-**

Two out of three reports and you're out - But should you be?  
Volume XX, No. 3 - Fall 2012

**Elder Law Advocate-**

The right to bear arms as a removable right in incapacity proceedings  
Volume XIX B No. 1 B Spring 2011

**Elder Law Advocate-**

The issue of standing in guardianship litigation  
Volume XVIII B No. 3 B Fall 2010

**Elder Law Advocate-**

The use of the Baker Act and its alternatives  
Volume XVII B No. 3 B Fall 2009

**Elder Law Advocate -**

Dealing with foreign wards and their investments  
Volume XVI - Volume Two - Winter 2008

**Florida Journal of International Law, University of Florida Levin College of Law-**  
"Obstacles Encountered Representing the Interests of Cuban Nationals in the American  
Courts" - Spring 2003 Volume XV Number 3.