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Jaime A. Torrens-Dávila is a Member of the firm's Litigation Practice Group. As a litigator, Jaime practices extensively before the federal and state courts of Puerto Rico, both at trial and appellate levels. He also represents clients in administrative proceedings and alternative dispute resolution methods, such as arbitration and mediation.

Jaime concentrates in complex civil and commercial litigation, and has significant experience in a broad range of disputes, including: contracts, distributors (Law 75) and sales representatives (Law 21), antitrust and trade regulation, commercial collections and foreclosures, class and group actions, insurance and subrogation, torts, products liability, aviation law, medical malpractice and EMTALA, motor vehicle accidents, personal injury, wrongful death, civil rights, and constitutional law. Due to his proficiency in class and group action litigation, he co-authored *The International Comparative Legal Guide to Class & Group Actions, Puerto Rico Chapter* (2014), published by the Global Legal Group Ltd., London, and also collaborated in the 2015 edition.

With over a decade of experience, Jaime has solid advocacy skills and a wealth of knowledge in complex civil and commercial litigation. The vast experience attained over the years has provided him with adequate tools to think and write about complicated legal issues and maintain the poise and confidence to stand up in court. He strives to obtain the disposition of cases through motion practice and effectively handles settlement negotiations on behalf of clients. He also has significant experience in appellate brief preparation and practice before the United States Court of Appeals for the First Circuit. In the dispute resolution arena, Jaime excels and consistently shows the ability to exercise good judgment in stressful situations.

Before joining Ferraiuoli in 2017, Jaime was a Junior Partner of the Litigation Practice Group of Adsuar Muñiz Goyco Seda & Pérez-Ochoa, P.S.C., and

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Practice Areas

Commercial Collections & Foreclosure
Distribution & Franchising Law
First Amendment, Media & Entertainment Law
Personal Injury, Product Liability and Aviation

Education

Interamerican University of Puerto Rico –
School of Law, LL.M. in Litigation and
Dispute Resolution, 2015
Interamerican University of Puerto Rico –
School of Law, J.D., 2005
University of Puerto Rico, Río Piedras,
B.B.A. in Accounting, 2002

Bar Admissions

Commonwealth of Puerto Rico (2006)
Commonwealth of Puerto Rico – Notary
Public (2006)
United States District Court for the
District of Puerto Rico (2006)
United States of Appeals for the First
Circuit (2006)
United States of Federal Claims (2006)
United States Court of International
Trade (2006)
United States Tax Court (2006)
United States Supreme Court (2009)

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previously worked as an Associate Attorney at Indiano & Williams, P.S.C., a boutique firm focused on federal civil practice, where he also served as law clerk during his second and third year of law school.

Representative Cases or Transactions

- *Zayas v. Hernández*, Civil No. 06-1501(GAG), 2009 WL 161705 (D.P.R. January 21, 2009)
- *Zayas v. Hernández*, Civil No. 06-1501(GAG), 2009 WL 921289 (D.P.R. March 31, 2009)
- *Berberena v. Avilés*, 258 F.R.D. 39 (D.P.R. 2009)
- *Berberena v. Avilés*, 258 F.R.D. 42 (D.P.R. 2009)
- *Berberena v. Avilés*, Civil No. 06-1907 (SEC), 2009 WL 982955 (D.P.R. April 13, 2009)
- *Maldonado v. Administración de Corrección*, Case No. KLCE201000690, 2010 WL 5872539 (P.R. App., October 27, 2010)
- *Vázquez v. Vázquez*, Case No. KLCE201100698, 2011 WL 4007734 (P.R. App., June 23, 2011)
- *Sánchez v. McClintock*, Civil No. 11-1542 (CVR), 2013 WL 1429434 (D.P.R. April 8, 2013)
- *Cotto-Rivera v. Morales-Sánchez*, 815 F. Supp. 2d 442 (D.P.R. 2011)
- *Alpha Biomedical and Diagnostic Corp. v. Philips Medical Systems Netherland BV*, 828 F. Supp. 2d 425 (D.P.R. 2011)
- *Somascan, Inc. v. Philips Medical Systems Netherland BV*, Civil No. 09-1139 (ADC), 2012 WL 12893025 (D.P.R. March 26, 2012)
- *Prep Tours, Inc. v. American Youth Soccer Organization*, Civil No. 15-1162 (PAD), 2016 WL 3746524 (D.P.R. July 8, 2016)

Publications

- Co-authored The International Comparative Legal Guide to Class & Group Actions, Puerto Rico Chapter (2014), published by the Global Legal Group Ltd., London
- Contributed to The International Comparative Legal Guide to Class & Group Actions, Puerto Rico Chapter (2015), published by the Global Legal Group Ltd., London

Affiliations

- Federal Bar Association, Hon. Raymond L. Acosta PR Chapter
 - Director – Board of Directors (2018 – 2020)
 - Secretary – Board of Directors (2020 – Present)
- American Bar Association
- College of Notaries of Puerto Rico