

PROFILE

Accomplished, well respected by judiciary and peers, bilingual attorney with a solid record of trial experience ranging from misdemeanors to capital murder cases. Zealous advocate competently representing clients in areas of criminal law, business transactions, immigration, and personal injury.

WORK EXPERIENCE**ADAMS & ALVAREZ, PLLC**

December 2014 – present

MANAGING MEMBER

Expanded general practice of law including personal injury, workers' compensation, contract disputes, as well as criminal litigation and immigration law focusing on Spanish speaking clients and businesses; Represented various small businesses; Represented clients in civil rights matters including suing 4th Street Live for discrimination; Lead attorney in capital murder case; Litigated criminal cases in Federal Courts in Kentucky and Southern Indiana; and Experienced in representing clients in all courts in Jefferson County District Court.

DANIEL M. ALVAREZ, PLLC

March 2003 – December 2014

SOLE MEMBER

Successfully developed general practice of law including civil litigation, criminal litigation and immigration law focusing on Spanish speaking clients and businesses; represented various companies regarding day-to-day business transactions, including, reorganizing corporate structure, drafting contracts, advising on employment issues, conducting administrative hearings; represented plaintiffs in all aspects of personal injury claims, including civil right claims; represented clients in various family court matters; represented both criminal and civil clients in state and federal courts; lead attorney in three capital murder (death penalty) cases; and represent civil and criminal clients in various appellate courts.

JEFFERSON DISTRICT PUBLIC DEFENDER

August 2000 - March 2003

STAFF ATTORNEY

Effectively represented clients with felony and misdemeanor charges from arraignment to trial; zealously advocated for clients in both circuit and district court trials with favorable results; drafted preliminary motions, dispositive motions, and memoranda of law; honed negotiation skills in settling cases favorably for clients.

EDUCATION**GERRY SPENCE'S TRIAL LAWYERS COLLEGE**

Graduate, 2011.2

UNIVERSITY OF LOUISVILLE Louisville, Kentucky 40292**Brandeis School of Law**

Degree: Juris Doctor

Earned: May 2000

GPA: 3.15/4.00

Brandeis Law Journal Member

Immigration and Nationality Law Mini-Clinic: Fall 1998 to Spring 2000

Rank: Top 25%

College of Arts and SciencesDegree: Bachelor's *cum laude* in History

Earned: May 1997

GPA: 3.65/4.00

Phi Alpha Theta International History Honor Society Mortar

Board National Senior Honor Society

Transferred 32 credit hours from Guilford College, NC 27410

LANGUAGES

Bilingual: Spanish and English

AWARDS

2007 Frank E. Haddad, Jr. Young Lawyer Award Recipient

2013 Louisville Magazine Top Lawyers – Immigration

2013 The National Trial Lawyers Top 100 Trial Lawyers

2014 Louisville Magazine Top Lawyers – Immigration

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

Louisville Bar Association, Pro Bono Consortium

Louisville Bar Association, New Member Committee

Greater Louisville Hispanic Business Association, Member

St. Francis High School, Trustee

Bernheim Forest, Diversity Committee, Member

Latino Legal Clinic, Volunteer Attorney

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REFERENCES AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST