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Top Skills

International Law Political Campaigns Foreign Affairs

Languages

English (Native or Bilingual)
French (Professional Working)
Spanish (Native or Bilingual)
Portuguese (Native or Bilingual)

Jaime Areizaga-Soto

Brigadier General, Army JAG Corps; Chairman, Board of Veterans' Appeals

Arlington, Virginia, United States

Experience

U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs Chairman, Board of Veterans' Appeals August 2022 - Present (1 year 3 months) Washington, DC

Office of the Governor, Commonwealth of Virginia Deputy Secretary of Veterans and Defense Affairs November 2014 - January 2022 (7 years 3 months) Virginia State Capitol, Richmond, VA

Army National Guard Chief, Trial Defense Service November 2018 - August 2021 (2 years 10 months) Arlington, Virginia

National Guard Bureau Commander, NGB LSO November 2015 - November 2018 (3 years 1 month) Army Readiness Center, Arlington, VA

Hispanic National Bar Association
Vice President for Membership
September 2016 - September 2017 (1 year 1 month)
Vice President of Regions and Affiliates (2014-2016)

Army National Guard

JAG Colonel, Commander of 352nd Judge Advocate Detachment

June 2014 - October 2015 (1 year 5 months)

Inter-American Defense College
U.S. Army Colonel / war college / President, Class 53
July 2013 - June 2014 (1 year)
Ft. McNair, Washington, DC

Hispanic Bar Association of the District of Columbia President

January 2013 - January 2014 (1 year 1 month)

Washington, DC

Democratic National Committee
Deputy Director for Hispanic Affairs
May 2012 - July 2013 (1 year 3 months)
Washington D.C

Democratic Party of Virginia
President, Democratic Latino Organization of Virginia (DLOV)
2011 - July 2013 (2 years)
Virginia

Army National Guard Staff Judge Advocate, Lieutenant Colonel 1997 - July 2013 (16 years)

USAID Senior Attorney Advisor 2010 - 2011 (1 year)

The White House White House Fellow August 2007 - April 2009 (1 year 9 months)

Clifford Chance LLP Global Project Finance Group 1999 - 2007 (8 years)

Hogan & Hartson Associate 1996 - 1999 (3 years) Washington, DC

Paul, Weiss, Rifkind, Wharton & Garrison LLP Associate 1994 - 1996 (2 years) Washington DC

Education

Stanford Law School Doctor of Law (J.D.)

Stanford University

Masters of Arts in Latin American Studies

Georgetown University
Bachelor of Science in Foreign Service, International Politics: Law &

Organization

Inter-American Defense College - Colegio Interamericano de Defensa

Masters of Science in Inter-American Defense and Security, Seguridad Multidimensional · (July 2013 - June 2014)

Academia Nacional de Estudios Políticos y Estratégicos Magíster, Defensa y Seguridad de las Américas