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**EDUCATION:** UNIVERSITY OF MIAMI SCHOOL OF LAW, Coral Gables, FL  
Juris Doctor, May 1991

FLORIDA INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY, Miami, FL  
Bachelor of Arts in Political Science, Dec. 1987  
Minor: Language Arts & International Relations  
High Honors

### **TEACHING EXPERIENCE:**

FLORIDA INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY, Miami, FL

#### *Visiting Instructor*

August 2017-Present

Department of Politics and International Relations

Steven J. Green School of International and Public Affairs

Courses: Constitutional Law/ Limits (POS 3604) (Fall 2017-Spring 2020)

Law and the Legal Profession (POS 3652) (Fall 2017, 2018, 2019/ Spring 2018, 2019, 2020)

Judicial Process (POS 3283--online) (Fall 2017, 2018, 2019/ Spring 2018, 2020)

U.S. Supreme Court (POS 4606-developed online) (Spring 2018, Spring 2019)

#### *Adjunct Professor*

January 2013 to August 2017

Department of Politics and International Relations

Steven J. Green School of International and Public Affairs

Courses: Constitutional Law/ Limits (Spring 2013-Summer 2017)

Judicial Process POS 3283 (Spring 2017)

#### *Service*

*Assistant Director: Pre-Law Advising and Training Office* (Fall 2017-Present)

advising and mentoring pre-law students/development of pre-law program and workshops

#### *Presentations and Conferences*

Panelist, FIU College of Law *Employment and Law Society; Women in Law* (Spring 2020)

### **LAW PRACTICE:**

#### *Attorney*

*Law Offices of Amarillys E. Garcia-Perez, Esq.*

August 1997 to Present

Civil Trial Practice:

Primary focus-- Labor and Employment litigation involving Federal Title VII actions, Federal, State and County EEOC proceedings (on behalf of both charging party and employer), Administrative Actions before Florida Department of Economic Opportunities, Florida Department of Education, State and Federal trials and appeals

Additional jury and non-jury trial and appellate practice in insurance and personal injury litigation in State and Federal Courts

*Gonzalo Perez, Jr., P.A.*

November 2012-Present  
Civil Trial Practice/Of counsel

*Haddad, Josephs, Jack and Gaebe, P.A.*

June 1990 through September 1991 (law clerk)  
September 1991 through May 1995 (Associate Attorney)  
Concentrated on personal injury litigation to include trial and appellate practice representing both individual and corporate plaintiffs and defendants

*Internship*

District Court of Appeal-Third District  
Summer 1989  
The Honorable Natalie Baskin (deceased)  
Duties and responsibilities included review of appellate briefs, legal research and writing and attendance at oral arguments.

*Awards and Honors*

John Edward Smith Child Advocacy Award (2006)

**PROFESSIONAL  
MEMBERSHIPS:**

Florida Bar 1991; member of the Labor and Employment Practice Section;  
Federal Bar; United States District Court for the Southern District of Florida

**COMMUNITY  
SERVICE:**

Extraordinary Minister of the Holy Communion-St. Agatha Catholic Church (commissioned-2004-Present)  
Member of the St. Agatha School Advisory Council (2006-2009)  
Lawyers for Children of America-volunteer attorney (2005-2007)  
Couple to Couple Ministry (commissioned)  
Director and Legal Counsel/Cary's Hope for Education Foundation (non-profit)