



→ Jerry J. Gumpel

Retired - Of Counsel

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Jerry Gumpel is retired from the firm and is now Of Counsel.

Areas of Practice

Jerry advised clients on corporate and real estate matters. Jerry represented clients whose businesses and investments span the globe, with a particular emphasis on U.S.-Mexico cross-border matters. With regard to corporate matters, he specialized in formation of joint ventures and partnerships, structuring investment vehicles and platforms. He advised companies, entrepreneurs, privately held businesses and family offices on their domestic and international matters. These matters included mergers and acquisitions, corporate structure and governance, raising of debt and equity domestically and abroad and the negotiation of strategic alliances and co-investments with private equity funds. His clients were multinational corporations, privately held businesses, financial service providers and family offices.

With regard to real estate, Jerry represented sponsors of real estate funds and investors in all facets of real estate investments, including hospitality, multi-family and shopping centers. Working closely with the firm's tax department, Jerry assisted clients in developing tax efficient investment platforms and in the preparation of multi-generational estate plans for families with a global presence.

Born and raised in Ecuador, and educated in the U.S., Jerry brings a global perspective to the matters he handled for clients. He is also fluent in Spanish and German.

Honors

Best Lawyer in America, *Best Lawyers*, 2018-2026

San Diego Super Lawyer, *Super Lawyers*, 2015, 2016

Recognized as world's leading private client lawyers, *Who's Who Legal*, 2013

Southern California Super Lawyer, *Super Lawyers*, 2007, 2012, 2014

Top Attorney, *The Daily Transcript*, 2006

Articles

- Sheppard Mullin Unveils Mexico Practice Team
01.01.2002

Latin America Law Blog Posts

- "Paycheck Protection Program Loan Applications – Eligibility for Small US Businesses Owned by Latin American Companies," April 7, 2020

Media Mentions

Border Rush
06.21.2005

Speaking Engagements

The Global Family in America

Tax Planning For In-Bound Investments Into the U.S.

Events

US Mexico Chamber - Invitation to U.S. Distressed Companies and Assets: A Window of Opportunity for Foreign Investors
08.19.2020

Mexican Tax Reform Update Webinar
Webinar, 11.20.2019

Maximizing the Benefits of Your International Structure
Hyatt Regency La Jolla, 05.13.2008

Memberships

Member, San Diego County Bar Association

Member, State Bar of California

National Commissioner, Former Chairman, Regional Board of the Anti Defamation League

Education

J.D., University of Chicago

M.A., M.A.L.D., The Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy

B.A., University of California, San Diego

Languages

German

Spanish