

Practice Areas

- International Tax
- Tax
- Tax Controversy & Litigation
- Tax Planning
- State and Local Tax Planning & Controversy

Education

- New York University, LL.M. in Taxation, 2009
- University of Texas School of Law, J.D., 2008
- University of Virginia, McIntire School of Commerce, M.S. in Accounting, 2004
- University of Virginia, McIntire School of Commerce, B.S., Accounting Concentration, 2003

Honors

- "Lawyer of the Year" for San Antonio for Litigation and Controversy - Tax by US News Best Lawyers in America, 2019, 2021, 2023
- Best Lawyers in America, 2018-2024

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Jaime Vasquez is a tax attorney in San Antonio. Mr. Vasquez is the Managing Shareholder of Chamberlain's San Antonio Office.

Mr. Vasquez concentrates his practice on federal, state, and international transactional and tax controversy matters, including income, employment, sales, franchise, motor fuels, tobacco, and other excise matters before the IRS and state taxing authorities. He has experience resolving IRS examinations, collection cases, installment agreements, offers in compromise, requests for collection due process hearings, private letter rulings, and requests for innocent spouse relief.

Mr. Vasquez has also resolved numerous administrative appeals before the IRS Office of Appeals. Mr. Vasquez has also handled civil tax litigation matters, including serving as first and second chair in proceedings before the United States Tax Court, United States District Court, and the United States Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit.

Mr. Vasquez has settled a number of cases before the IRS Office of Chief Counsel short of or during trial. Mr. Vasquez has also provided defense in criminal tax matters and has successfully resolved cases before the IRS Criminal Investigation Division. Mr. Vasquez has also organized and provided business and tax planning advice to corporations, partnerships, and limited liability companies. Mr. Vasquez represents a broad range of clients including individuals, privately held businesses, and large Fortune 500 companies.

Mr. Vasquez is also a Certified Public Accountant (CPA). Prior to entering the practice of law, Mr. Vasquez worked with a Big Four public accounting firm where he advised mid-size to large multi-national corporations on federal, state, local, and international tax issues, reviewed income tax provisions for financial statement disclosures, and prepared and reviewed U.S. federal and state income tax returns.

Mr. Vasquez strongly believes in giving back to the community. Mr. Vasquez has provided representation in, and successfully resolved, pro bono cases through the

- The Legal 500 U.S. – Tax Controversy as Next Generation Partner (2020), Leading Lawyer (2022-2023)
- San Antonio Magazine Top Attorneys, 2020
- Named a "Super Lawyer" by Texas Super Lawyers, 2022-2023
- "Texas Rising Star" by Super Lawyers, 2014-2021 (Top 100 in 2021)
- 40 Under 40, San Antonio Business Journal, 2015
- Outstanding Lawyer, San Antonio Business Journal, 2014
- Texas Bar Foundation, Fellow

Bar Admissions

- Texas
- Board Certified Tax Law, Texas Board of Legal Specialization

Court Admissions

- United States Tax Court
- U.S. Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit
- U.S. District Court, Western District of Texas

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Tax Court Pro Bono Program of the State Bar of Texas (SBOT), Section of Taxation. He also serves as the San Antonio Co-Coordinator for the SBOT Tax Court Calendar Call Pro Bono Program. Mr. Vasquez is also the Chair of the Hispanic Issues Section of the State Bar of Texas. Mr. Vasquez has also volunteered with several other community non-profit organizations and local and national bar associations.

Seminars and Presentations

- Chamberlain Hrdlicka Virtual Annual Tax and Business Planning Seminar for 2020, November 10, 2020
- Tax Implications of Paycheck Protection Program and Related Expenses: Deductibility, PPP Loan Forgiveness and Exclusion from Taxable Income, Strafford, August 13, 2020
- Chamberlain Hrdlicka Laredo Tax Controversy, Tax, and Business Planning Seminar 2020 February 13, 2020
- Chamberlain Hrdlicka 2nd Annual San Antonio Tax and Business Planning Seminar, Wyndham San Antonio Riverwalk, November 6, 2019
- Chamberlain Hrdlicka San Antonio Tax Forum - May 2019, May 29, 2019
- Chamberlain Hrdlicka 1st Annual San Antonio Tax and Business Planning Seminar, November 28, 2018
- Transfer Pricing Litigation Update; Amazon, Medtronic and Other Recent Cases and New IRS Guidance, State Bar of Texas, 17th Annual International Tax Symposium, Plano, TX, November 7, 2014
- IRS Appeals and Negotiation Strategies, St. Mary's University, School of Law, Tax Clinic Program, October 21, 2014
- Changes in the Internal Revenue Service and Best Practices, State Bar of Texas Annual Meeting, Tax Section, June 27, 2014
- Loyalty, Care, and Prudence: Conflicts of Interest and Fiduciary Duties, American Bar Association Section of Taxation, May 9, 2014
- Tax Prescriptions For The Family Law Practitioner Under The New Healthcare Law, San Antonio Bar Association, Family Law Section, July 17, 2012 and November 19, 2013
- Understanding IRS Audits and Collections, St. Mary's University School of Law, February 18, 2012; Mexican American Bar Association of San Antonio, May 8, 2012, San Antonio Young Lawyers' Association, April 17, 2013, Alamo Area Paralegal Association, June 25, 2013

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- How to Identify a Potential Criminal Tax Matter: Offshore Voluntary Disclosures and Other Sensitive Issues Requiring Review by an Attorney, Chamberlain, Hrdlicka, White, Williams & Aughtry, San Antonio Tax Forum, June 18, 2013
- Dealing with an IRS Audit, Texas Society of CPAs, Emerging Professionals Conference, June 14, 2013
- Breaking Up Is Hard to Do: Protecting Divorcing Spouses from the IRS and Each Other; 2013 AICPA Tax Planning, Compliance and Controversy Conference, Las Vegas/May 2013 (Co-Author)
- Tax Prescriptions for Healthcare: Analysis of the Tax Provisions of the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act and the Healthcare and Education Reconciliation Act of 2010, Houston CPA Society (Bay Area), September 2010, Chamberlain, Hrdlicka, White, Williams & Aughtry Tax Forum, May 2010, Rio Grande Valley CPA Chapter, Business & Industry Symposium, August 23, 2012
- Nuts & Bolts of Deficiency Cases: From Examination to the Tax Court, American Bar Association Section of Taxation, May 10, 2012
- Guest on Latina Voices: Smart Talk Show (Discussing How the Healthcare Law Affects the Average American), Houston PBS, January 2011
- Current Events for Tax Practitioners, Chamberlain, Hrdlicka, White, Williams & Aughtry Tax Forum, January 2011
- One Score – A Tax Bill Has Crossed the Goal Line: More Points to Come or Still Punting?: Analysis of the Tax Provisions of the Small Business Jobs Act of 2010, 33rd Annual Tax and Business Planning Seminar, Chamberlain, Hrdlicka, White Williams & Aughtry, December 2010
- Administrative and Litigation Issues in Innocent Spouse Cases, American Bar Association 2010 Joint Fall CLE Meeting, Toronto, Canada, September 2010
- Texas Revised Franchise Tax (The Margin Tax), In-House CLE Presentation to Multi-National Company, August 2007

News

- Chamberlain Hrdlicka Attorneys Named 2021 Texas Rising Stars
- Congress passes legislation modifying the Paycheck Protection Program, December 22, 2020
- Chamberlain Hrdlicka Attorneys named to San Antonio Magazine's 2020 Top Attorneys, November 20, 2020
- Chamberlain Hrdlicka Virtual Annual Tax and Business Planning Seminar - November 10-12, 2020
- Chamberlain Hrdlicka Attorneys Named 2020 Texas Super Lawyers
- Texas Lawyer Recognizes Jaime Vasquez, Shareholder at Chamberlain Hrdlicka, with On the Rise Award, September 18, 2020
- "As COVID-19 Creates Curveballs, Firms Pivot Practices to Keep the Work Coming", September 11, 2020
- Chamberlain Hrdlicka's Jaime Vasquez Recognized as Lawyer of the Year for 2021 in Tax Litigation and Controversy, September 8, 2020
- Chamberlain Hrdlicka launches Paycheck Protection Program (PPP) Audits and Investigations Practice, September 7, 2020
- Payroll Tax Deferral Starting September 1, August 31, 2020
- Record 53 Chamberlain Hrdlicka Attorneys Named to US News – 2021 Best Lawyers in America®, August 20, 2020
- San Antonio Scene Magazine Recognizes Chamberlain Hrdlicka Attorneys as "Best San Antonio Lawyers 2020"
- Chamberlain Hrdlicka Improves Firm and Individual Legal 500 Rankings for 2020

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- Paycheck Protection Program (PPP) Loan Forgiveness Tax Issues, May 21, 2020
- Chamberlain Hrdlicka Attorneys Named 2020 Texas Rising Stars by Super Lawyers, March 10, 2020
- Chamberlain Hrdlicka 2nd Annual San Antonio Tax and Business Planning Seminar - November 6, 2019 at Wyndham San Antonio Riverwalk
- Record Number of Chamberlain Hrdlicka Attorneys Named to US News 2020 Best Lawyers in America® and Four Attorneys Recognized as Lawyer of the Year
- Chamberlain Hrdlicka Attorneys Named 2019 Texas Rising Stars
- Chamberlain Hrdlicka Enhances its US News - Best Lawyers "Best Law Firms" Ranking for 2019
- Chamberlain Hrdlicka to Host 1st Annual San Antonio Tax and Business Planning Seminar on November 28 at Wyndham San Antonio Riverwalk, October 26, 2018
- Record Number of Chamberlain Hrdlicka Attorneys named to Best Lawyers of America, September 18, 2018
- Chamberlain Hrdlicka Attorneys Named 2018 Texas Rising Stars
- Chamberlain Hrdlicka Elevates Shareholders, February 2018
- Chamberlain Hrdlicka Expands and Extends Lease at Weston Centre as part of Continued Growth of the Law Firm, December 2017
- Chamberlain Hrdlicka Again Named 'Best Law Firm' for 2018
- Jaime Vasquez, Chamberlain Hrdlicka Attorney, Named among 2015 40 under 40, January 21, 2015
- Two Chamberlain Hrdlicka Attorneys Receive 2014 Outstanding Lawyers Award from the San Antonio Business Journal, October 30, 2014
- Nine Chamberlain Hrdlicka Attorneys Recognized as 2014 Texas Rising Stars, Up-and-Coming Attorneys Chosen by Their Peers in Rigorous Selection Process, March 13, 2014
- The Tax Court Pro Bono Program, Texas Tax Lawyer, Winter 2013
- Terrell v. Comm'r: IRS Failed to Exercise Reasonable Diligence, Attorneys Argue Lack of Notice, Tax Court Jurisdiction Case Before Fifth Circuit, December 3, 2010

Professional Affiliations

- Director, San Antonio Bar Association
- San Antonio Water System, Audit Committee
- Annual Tax Section Meeting, State Bar of Texas (Chair, Planning Committee), 2015
- Annual Advanced Tax Law Course, State Bar of Texas (Planning Committee), 2011, 2012, 2014
- Corporate Counsel Conference, Hispanic National Bar Association (Honorary Co-Chair), 2015
- Annual Meeting, State Bar of Texas (Planning Committee), 2015
- Certified Public Accountant (CPA), Commonwealth of Virginia, State of Texas
- President, Mexican American Bar Association of San Antonio, President (2014), Treasurer (2012)

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- Treasurer, Legal Education Fund, Hispanic National Bar Association
- Vice Chair, Tax Section, Hispanic National Bar Association
- Deputy Regional President, Hispanic National Bar Association
- United States Tax Court Pro Bono Program, Section of Taxation, State Bar of Texas
- American Bar Association, Tax Section
- San Antonio CPA Society, Texas Society of CPAs
- Leadership Academy, Section of Taxation, State Bar of Texas (Inaugural Class)
- Latino Legacy Weekend, 2012
- Project Blueprint, Class XXIX, United Way
- MD Anderson YMCA, Former Board Member
- Mexican American Bar Association of Houston, Former Board Member
- Houston Bar Association, Tax Section, Former Board Member
- Texas Hispanic Journal of Law and Policy, Associate Editor
- Hispanic Law Students' Association, Former Treasurer
- Hurricane Katrina Evacuee Tax Preparation, IRS Austin VITA Program
- Presidential Endowment Scholarship, University of Texas School of Law
- Dean Scholarship, New York University School of Law

