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Tax: Puerto Rico

1 [McConnell Valdés LLC](#)

Puerto Rico's largest law firm has one of the strongest tax departments in the country. The talented team acts for large local and international clients, particularly in relation to claims for tax exemptions and financial incentives. Partner [Carlos Serrano](#) leads the practice group and is the main point of contact for clients. Senior tax attorney [Xenia Velez](#) has experience from positions on the board of directors of several government bodies and as a former secretary for the treasury.

1 [O'Neill & Borges](#)

One of the main players in the corporate and real estate markets, this well-established firm frequently assists clients with tax planning and structuring. [Walter Chow](#) is an experienced lawyer with unrivalled tax and corporate expertise. He recently advised The Blackstone Group on the tax aspects of the conversion of several hotels into Waldorf-Astoria and Conrad Hotels. [Amaya Iraolaogitia](#) was involved in the amendment of the island's new tax code in her former position as head of the technical committee that drafted the 2008 Economic Incentive Act, the foundation of Puerto Rico's present business model. [Rosa Gonzalez](#) was the former undersecretary of the treasury and has worked in the tax department of a major accounting firm in San Juan. She is highly regarded for her work on corporate taxation and tax exemptions.

2 [Adsuar Muñoz Goyco Seda & Pérez-Ochoa](#)

This firm has kept a relatively low profile in the island's legal market in recent years. The five-strong tax team is led by [Fernando Goyco](#), a senior figure and well-known tax practitioner. He is a seasoned lawyer with "a combination of tax and corporate expertise that guarantees first-class advice on a range of work," according to clients.

2 [Fiddler González & Rodríguez PSC](#)

This highly respected firm has a flourishing tax practice that is especially active in sophisticated tax credits work in relation to international trade, commodity financing and tourism. Alberto Toro-Suárez is the main point of contact for clients.

2 [Pietrantoni Méndez & Alvarez LLP](#)

The eight-strong tax team here has built a fine reputation for handling complex international and local matters. [Edgar Ríos-Méndez](#) is a client favourite and a rising star in the tax department. He primarily advises on international tax matters and has particular expertise in registering investment companies and structured investment vehicles.

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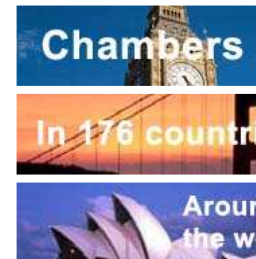
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[Manuel López Zambrana](#) of the firm Manuel López Zambrana, P.S.C. has a strategic alliance with Ferraiuoli Torres Marchand & Rovira as an of counsel adviser. He is highly recommended for his invaluable tax expertise. [Roberto Montalvo](#) is the managing partner at Goldman Antonetti & Córdova, PSC and the firm's leading name in tax law.

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