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## Best Lawyers Announces Firm Awards in Puerto Rico

AUGUSTA, Ga., Aug. 21, 2019 -- Best Lawyers™ is pleased to announce the 2020 “Law Firm of the Year” awards in conjunction with the Seventh Edition of *The Best Lawyers in Puerto Rico* publication. Since 2010, Best Lawyers has highlighted not only individual lawyers but also top firms.

“Law Firm of the Year” awards recognize a single top firm for its work in a specific legal practice area nationwide. Awards are determined based on a handful of factors, including lawyer ballot feedback, the number of lawyers included in *Best Lawyers* for that firm and practice area, the number of office locations a firm has, historical analysis of the firm’s “Lawyer of the Year” awards, and the firm’s overall scope and areas of expertise.

*Best Lawyers* announced the Seventh Edition of *The Best Lawyers in Puerto Rico* on 21 August 2019. In addition to the historic individual lawyer rankings and “Lawyer of the Year” awards, Six firms received a “Law Firm of the Year” award in nine different practice areas.

2020 “Law Firm of the Year” recipients are:

PRACTICE AREA	FIRM NAME
Arbitration and Mediation	Jiménez, Graffam & Lausell
Banking and Finance Law	O'Neill & Borges
Corporate and M&A Law	O'Neill & Borges
Environmental Law	Toro Colón Mullet
Intellectual Property Law	Ferraiuoli
Labor and Employment Law	McConnell Valdés
Litigation	Pietrantoní Méndez & Alvarez
Real Estate Law	Pietrantoní Méndez & Alvarez
Tax Law	McConnell Valdés

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