

RECOGNITIONS

Winston & Strawn Advised on *IFLR*'s 2025 M&A Deal of the Year for Grupo Calleja

MAY 23, 2025

Winston & Strawn served as legal counsel on the transaction recognized as *IFLR*'s 2025 "M&A Deal of the Year," which involved Grupo Calleja in a US\$1.2B acquisition of Almacenes Éxito—one of the first dual tender offers for equity securities of a publicly traded company in Colombia. The winners were announced at the *IFLR* Americas Awards ceremony, which was held on the evening of May 14, 2025 at The Metropolitan Club in New York City.

In addition to this recognition, Winston was also shortlisted in several prestigious categories:

Deal of the Year: Structured Finance & Securitization

- *Nueva Elektra del Milenio (NEM)*

Team of the Year: Project Finance

- *Winston & Strawn LLP*

Individual Award: Dealmakers Hall of Fame – United States

- *Talbert N. Navia*

[Learn more about the winning transaction.](#)

[View the full list of finalists.](#)

[View the full list of winners.](#)

1 Min Read

Related Topics

Latin America

Banking

FinTech

Regulatory

Related Capabilities

Transactions

Mergers & Acquisitions

Structured Finance

Capital Markets

Project Finance

Food & Beverage

Retail & Luxury

Financial Services

Related Regions

Latin America & Caribbean

Related Professionals



Talbert Navia



Sey-Hyo Lee



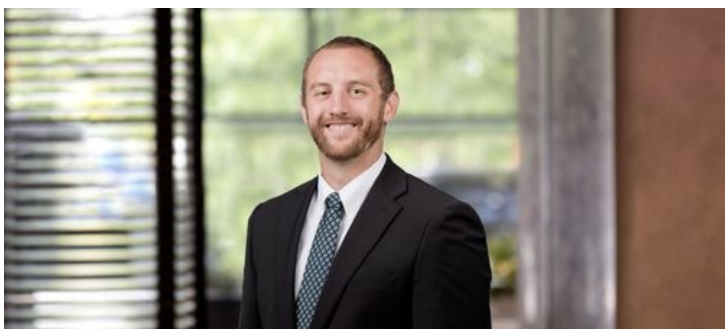
Nicholas E. Rodriguez



Justin F. Hoffman



Javier Daza Rossi



Matthew Regens



Hannah W. Miller



Claude Serfilippi



Carolina Bosch