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Benjamin G. Lopez is a Shareholder in the firm's General Trial Practice Group focusing on insurance coverage, property damage litigation, trucking and transportation, premises liability, and construction defect. He is a Tampa native having graduated from Jesuit High School. Mr. Lopez completed his undergraduate education at Florida State University and obtained his J.D. from Stetson University College of Law. During law school, Mr. Lopez joined Banker Lopez Gassler P.A. as a summer intern and subsequently joined the firm after graduation as an associate. Mr. Lopez has earned an AV Preeminent rating from Martindale Hubbell and serves as the firm's Attorney Hiring Partner.

Representative Experience

- Banker Lopez Gassler P.A., Tampa, FL
Shareholder, December 2020 to Present
Associate, September 2015 to December 2020
Law Clerk, May 2014 to August 2015
- Florida Second District Court of Appeal, Tampa, FL
Judicial Intern to the Honorable Edward C. LaRose,
January 2014 to May 2014
- State of Florida 13th Judicial Circuit, Tampa, FL
Judicial Intern for the Honorable Gregory P. Holder,
May 2013 to June 2013
- Hinshaw & Culbertson, LLP, Tampa, FL
Legal Clerk, June 2013 to July 2013

Professional Affiliations

- The Florida Bar
- The Florida Bar Trial Lawyers Section
- Hillsborough County Bar
- Jesuit Bar Association

Practice Areas

Construction Defect
First Party Litigation
Insurance Coverage
Property Damage Litigation
Premises Liability
Trucking and Transportation

Education

J.D., *magna cum laude*, Stetson
University College of Law, 2015
B.S., *cum laude*, Florida State
University, 2012, Political Science

Bar Admissions

Florida

Court Admissions

Florida State Courts

U.S. District Court, Northern District of
Florida

U.S. District Court, Middle District of
Florida

U.S. District Court, Southern District of
Florida

Community Involvement

- Academy of the Holy Names Alumni Board of Directors

Distinctions

AV Preeminent Peer Review Rated by Martindale-Hubbell

The Best Lawyers® in America, 2023

The Best Lawyers®, Ones to Watch, 2021-2022

Florida Legal Elite, Florida Trend Magazine, 2020