



RAUL RODRIGUEZ, CPA

In the academic environment, he earned a Bachelor's Degree in Business Administration, Accounting major, from the University of Puerto Rico. In 1982 he obtained his CPA designation.

He served as VP of Finance and Administration for Cesar Castillo, Inc. and worked for the CPA firm of Deloitte & Touche.

In the work related environment, he is owner and CEO of Drogueria Betances LLC and Luis Garratón LLC.

He is also President of the professional baseball team Criollos de Caguas and President of Puerto Rico's Professional Baseball League Board of Directors.

Among his professional achievements are:

Member of the Local Board of Labor Development for the city of San Juan.

Member of the Board of Directors of Optisource (Generics Buying Group).

Member of the Commission for Economic Development in the municipality of Caguas, Puerto Rico.

Ex-Member of the Board of Directors of HDA (Healthcare Distribution Alliance) and member of its Audit Committee in the US.

Served as First Vice President of Puerto Rico's Chamber of Commerce.

Presided the State Board for Work Force Investment (WIA) from 2013 to 2016.

Served as the 29th President of the CPA College of Puerto Rico for fiscal year 2001-2002.

Presided over the Organizing Commission for the Inter American Accounting Conference in San Juan, PR in 2011.

Served as President-Elect, First and Second Vice President, Treasurer and President of the Board of Directors of the Puerto Rico CPA College.

He has presided various committees of the CPA College such as Strategic Planning, Private Sector and Finance.

Received the award for Distinguished CPA in 1993 for his commitment and dedication to the CPA College.

Member of the Board of Directors of the American Institute of CPA (AICPA) and the Inter American Association of Accountants (AIC). This last organization groups 23 different countries of America.

He also presided the Quality Control Commission of the American Association of Accountants (AIC).

He presided over the Board of Directors of the Puerto Rico Junior College from 1985 to 2005.

Has been a guest speaker in PR and Latin America in topics such as Health, Economy, Accounting and Quality Control.

Member of the Board of Directors of PR Children's Hospital.

Sub Treasurer – Entrepreneurs for Puerto Rico.

Founder of Here to Help You – an organization devoted to helping addicts rehabilitate.

Advisor to "Building a New Beginning", NPO directed by Moraima Oyola.

Served as President of the Borinquen Gardens youth baseball clubs for five years.

Collaborated with the Baseball Excellence Games and the Puerto Rico Association of Baseball Scouts.