

Lat Am firms announce New Year promotions

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As 2010 begins, several law firms across the region have announced new partner promotions.

In Brazil, [javascript:popup\(Mattos Filho, Veiga Filho, Marrey Jr e Quiroga Advogados](#) has promoted seven from its associate pool - Marcelo Sampaio Góes Ricupero and Paula Vieira de Oliveira in the corporate practice; capital markets lawyers Pablo Sorj and Rodrigo Azevedo Junqueira; civil litigator Fabio Teixeira Ozi; and tax specialists Alessandro Amadeu da Fonseca and Flavio Mifano. All are in São Paulo except Sorj, who is based in the Rio de Janeiro office.

Fellow Brazilian firm [javascript:popup\(Koury Lopes Advogados](#) has also promoted tax practitioner Victor Polizelli, who has been at the firm since its foundation in 2002.

Meanwhile Argentine firm [javascript:popup\(Mitrani, Caballero, Rosso Alba, Francia, Ojam & Ruiz Moreno](#) has promoted M&A lawyer Verónica Zárate and IP specialist Mercedes Bullrich, bringing the firm's partner count to 20.

Also in Argentina, [javascript:popup\(M & M Bomchil](#) has elevated Laura Lavia Haidempergher to the partnership. Her practice covers M&A, restructuring, arbitration and environmental law.

Finally, Uruguay's [javascript:popup\(Guyer & Regules](#) has promoted Federico Susena, who co-leads the real estate practice with John Leaman. His case work includes security interests, leasing, and gas and electricity regulation.

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