

## Eduardo de León

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### Formación

Licenciado en Derecho por la Universidad Complutense de Madrid (1995).

### Áreas de Práctica

Litigación & Arbitraje  
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### Idiomas

Inglés y español



Socio del Departamento Procesal y Público de Araoz & Rueda desde 2013, se incorporó como asociado en 2001, siendo nombrado Director del Área de Derecho Público en 2010.

Cuenta con una dilatada experiencia en el asesoramiento a todo tipo de clientes en la defensa de asuntos de naturaleza diversa ante el orden jurisdiccional español, así como en materia administrativa y contencioso-administrativa, asesorando en sectores muy diversos (energético, minero, audiovisual, telecomunicaciones, urbanístico, medio ambiente, transportes, infraestructuras, etc.).

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### SELECCIÓN DE RECOMENDACIONES:

#### Best Lawyers 2021

Incluido en la lista de "Mejores Abogados de España" en Dispute Resolution desde 2018 hasta la última edición en 2021.

**The EMEA Legal 500 2020, "Recommended Individual" en Procesal/Arbitraje.** Traditionally known as an M&A boutique, Araoz & Rueda has particular experience in the energy sector, as well as in post-acquisition disputes and shareholder or joint venture conflicts. In addition, the firm acts in a range of corporate and commercial litigation, as well as international arbitration. **Eduardo de León** advises in disputes before the Spanish courts and in domestic arbitrations, specializing in matters involving administrative law.

#### Testimonials:

"Deep knowledge of energy law in Spain, especially renewable energy"

"Best price and quality in the energy sector"

"Reputed law firm recognized by public administrations, utilities, developers and banks"

"High success ratio in the disputes managed by this law firm"

"**Eduardo de León** is a key person for dispute resolution"

**The EMEA Legal 500 2019, "Recommended Individual" en Procesal/Arbitraje.** The 'hands-on team' at Araoz & Rueda specializes in international commercial arbitration. The practice is best known for handling disputes arising from energy projects, with particular experience in expropriation proceedings linked to the development of new infrastructures, as well as matters involving mining operations. **Eduardo de León** and Alejandro Fernández de Araoz lead the team, which has 'a level of knowledge and expertise that is excellent'. Also notable is senior associate Ángel Sánchez-Freire, who is 'a rising star in arbitration'.

**The EMEA Legal 500 2018, "Recommended Individual" en Procesal/ Arbitraje.** Araoz & Rueda's team provides "value for money and a creative, responsive service, handling high-value disputes". **Eduardo de León** leads on litigation.

**The EMEA Legal 500 2017, "Recommended Individual" en Procesal/ Arbitraje.** Araoz & Rueda has recently been involved in several telecoms, transport and energy-related disputes, as well as an ICSID claim against the Argentine Republic. **Eduardo de León** is the key litigation contact, while Clifford Hendel handles the arbitration side.

**The EMEA Legal 500 2016, "Recommended Individual" en Procesal/ Arbitraje.** Mid-size local firm Araoz & Rueda's dispute resolution practice is led by **Eduardo de León**. It recently acted for a French company in the technology sector in a claim against the Spanish Air Force in relation to an administrative contract. BNP Suisse, ENI, Unitronics Comunicaciones and Molypharma are also notable clients.

**The EMEA Legal 500 2015, "Recommended Individual" en Procesal/Arbitraje.** Araoz & Rueda represented ENI en judicial and arbitral proceedings against Unión Fenosa Gas over corporate governance issues. **Eduardo de León** heads the team.

**The EMEA Legal 500 2014, "Recommended Individual" en Procesal/Arbitraje.** At Araoz & Rueda Alejandro Fernández de Araoz and **Eduardo de León** are recommended for litigation, and Clifford Hendel is well known for his international arbitration capabilities.