

## ***Javier López y García de la Serrana***

- Lawyer since 1990, specializes in Commercial Law. Founder and director of the law firm ***HispaColex Servicios Jurídicos***, which has headquarters in Granada, Málaga and Jaén and delegations in Huelva and Madrid, and a team of more than 50 Lawyers and Economists.
- Doctor in Law, with a distinction "Cum Laude" given for his doctoral thesis on "Loss of profits in traffic accidents". He began his teaching work in 2001 as Commercial Law lecturer and he has served as a Director of the "*Escuela de Práctica Jurídica del Colegio de Abogados de Granada*" for several years. At present he is the Director of the Master in Civil Liability from the University of Granada (5th edition).
- Founder and Secretary-General of the "***Asociación Española de Abogados Especializados en Responsabilidad Civil y Seguro***" and Director of the official Magazine of the Spanish Association of Lawyers Specialized in Civil Liability and Insurance.
- Speaker at more than one hundred Conferences –some international ones, in Bologna (Italy), Bamberg (Germany) and Edinburgh (Scotland)- and author of 14 monographs, the last one "***Manual para la aplicación del Sistema de valoración de daños de la ley 35/2015***" edited by SEPIN in November 2015. Also author of hundreds of doctrinal articles published in national and international magazines, with more than 100,000 entries in Google.
- In recognition of his distinguished professional career he was awarded in 2011 by the Ministry of Justice the "***Cruz Distinguida de San Raimundo de Peñafort***", being the youngest lawyer to be awarded this distinction, which was imposed by his great friend Mr. Juan Antonio Xiol Ríos, who was President of the First Chamber of the Spanish Supreme Court, current magistrate of the Constitutional Court. Recently he has also been appointed as an Honorary Member of the Bar Association of Granada, being the second time that this Bar Association grants a member with this distinction.
- In 2010 he was appointed member of the Plenary Group created at the General Insurance Directorate, at the request of the Ministries of Justice and Economy, to carry out the "Proposal of Reform Act of the System for the Assessment of Damages caused to persons in traffic accidents." This work, carried out over a period of 4 years, has been completed, after its parliamentary processing, with the approval of the new personal injury assessment System, Act 30/2015.