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Melanie Garcia handles a diverse range of legislative, administrative and policy matters, representing national and international clients on defense, education, national security and international issues, such as sanctions, before Congress and the Executive Branch.

Melanie has also provided strategic advice to advance clients' federal policy objectives when entering new markets.

LANGUAGES SPOKEN

- Spanish

CREDENTIALS

Admissions

- District of Columbia
- Maryland

Clerk Experience

Melanie previously worked as a law clerk with the National Hispanic Media Coalition, where she focused on First Amendment issues.

Prior Experience

Melanie taught English and Latin dance at a private school in Florida.

Education

RELATED SERVICES

- International Trade, Regulatory and Government Affairs
- International Trade
- US Law and Policy

LANGUAGES SPOKEN

Spanish

- J.D., Georgetown University Law Center 2012
Editor, *Georgetown Journal of Legal Ethics*
Legal Writing Fellow
- B.A., English, Duke University 2007

INSIGHTS

Publications

US government sanctions Petróleos de Venezuela, authorizes US persons to engage in certain limited transactions

29 JAN 2019

OFAC has sought to limit the sanctions' impacts by issuing a series of General Licenses which create a complex web of *limited* authorizations for US persons.

Section 301 additional tariffs on imports of Chinese products: options for high tech and manufacturing companies

3 OCT 2018

Additional tariffs of 10 percent or 25 percent have been imposed on three different lists of thousands of imports from China. Companies can request exclusion from these tariffs.

Section 301 trade action against Chinese products: time for quick action

4 APR 2018

Companies wishing to seek removal of a product from the final list have the opportunity to present their views, but less than two months remain before the window completely closes.

Section 232 trade action - steel, aluminum tariffs: trade war? Mechanisms for possible relief for certain companies and countries

9 MAR 2018

Two mechanisms could provide some relief for affected companies.
