

Velasco, Presbitero Jr., Jose

Years in the Practice of Law : 39 years

Professional Experience

- ▶ Associate Justice of the Supreme Court
March 18, 2006 to PRESENT
- ▶ Chairperson, House of Representatives Electoral Tribunal
June 2011 to PRESENT
- ▶ Court Administrator
September 11, 2001 to March 17, 2006
- ▶ Associate Justice of the Court of Appeals
March 11, 1998 to Sept. 10, 2001
- ▶ Undersecretary, Department of Justice
March 22, 1995 to March 10, 1998
- ▶ Member, Judicial and Bar Council
January 6, 1993 to March 21, 1995
- ▶ Law Practitioner
1972 to 1992



Teaching/Academic Experience

- ▶ Raising the Bar Competence, Integrated Bar of the Philippines 9th National Convention
- ▶ Civil Disobedience, Philippine Law Journal
- ▶ Lawyer's Expanded Public Responsibility: Migrant Workers and Other Legal Aid Concerns, Department of Justice Conference on Overseas Workers
- ▶ Judicial Independence and Accountability: keystones of a Well-Functioning Judiciary
- ▶ National Convention for ADB Design Report, April 2003
- ▶ Judiciary, a Partner in Progress, Philippine Judges Convention, August 16, 2002
- ▶ Rule of Law in Economic Growth, IBP Central Luzon Convention, February 22, 2002
- ▶ The Philippine Court System, Conference on Justice, Osaka, Japan

Seminars, Trainings, Scholarships and Fellowship Grants

- ▶ Managing Financial Resources
 - November, 2005
 - Place: Denver, Colorado, USA
 - Conducted by : National Center for State Court (NCSC)

- ▶ Fundamental Issue of Case Management
 - September, 2005
 - Place : Seattle, Washington USA
 - Conducted by: NCSC

- ▶ National Court Technology Conference
 - September, 2005
 - Place : Seattle, Washington, USA
 - Conducted by: NCSC

- ▶ Monitoring and Evaluation in Development Seminar
 - January 2005
 - Place : Bangkok, Thailand

Educational Attainment

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ University of the Philippines <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • College of Law • 1967 to 1971 • 8th in 1971 graduating class
 ▶ University of the Philippines <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • AB Political Science • 1964 to 1967 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ UP Preparatory School <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1960 to 1964 • Secondary
 ▶ Juan Sumulong Elementary School <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1954 to 1960 • 1st Honorable Mention |
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Civil Service Eligibility/Board/Bar Examination Taken

- ▶ Bar Examination Rating: 85.85
- ▶ Year Taken: 1971
- ▶ Year admitted to the Bar: 1972

Personal Circumstances

- ▶ Date of Birth: August 8, 1948
- ▶ Place of Birth: Pasay City
- ▶ Age: 63