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Education:

- University of Nevada, Reno, B.S., Business Administration, 2005
- University of Nevada, Las Vegas, William S. Boyd School of Law, J.D. *cum laude*, 2009

Professional Awards:

- *Nevada Business Magazine* – Legal Elite
- *Las Vegas Business Press*, Rising Stars of Business
- *Nevada Business Magazine* – Legal Elite, Best Up & Coming Attorneys
- *Martindale-Hubbell*, AV Preeminent Peer Review Rating

Professional Memberships:

- American Bar Association
- State Bar of Nevada
- Clark County Bar Association

Bar and Court Admissions:

- Nevada
- U.S. District Court, District of Nevada

Publications:

- P. Dabney & M. Wysong, “The Death of Mandatory Arbitration in Public Work Disputes: Does Opportunity Knock for a Better Way?” *Nevada Lawyer* (April 2010).
- P. Dabney & M. Wysong, “Mandatory Arbitration in Nevada Public Works Disputes: Friend of Foe,” *Dispute Resolution Journal* (2011).

Prior to joining Pisanelli Bice in February of 2011, Ms. Calderon began her career at another local firm, Holland & Hart, LLP.

Ms. Calderon represents clients in a variety of complex business cases involving contracts in both property and construction disputes.

During her law school career, Ms. Calderon served as the managing editor of the *Nevada Law Journal* and as a judicial extern to The Honorable James C. Mahan of the United States District Court for the District of Nevada. She is the recipient of a Scribes Award from the American Society of Legal Writers, as well as a Dean’s Award. She received her undergraduate degree from the University of Nevada, Reno, where she was a Millennium Scholar.