

Adam S. Wilczewski

government affairs principal*

Adam leverages 25 years of experience in business, government, politics, fundraising and law to assist clients in their domestic and global business needs. He is recognized for his extensive experience in international affairs with and among global trade organizations, multinational companies and foreign governments.

Adam currently supports multiple clients in front of the U.S. government in Washington, D.C. where he develops tailored, impactful government relations efforts and lobbies members of the executive and legislative branches of government. He represents a broad range of clients navigating complex issues associated with the Inflation Reduction Act, Bipartisan Infrastructure Law, National Defense Authorization Act, among others.

Prior to Porter Wright, Adam was an executive vice president at Chicago and Washington, D.C.-based public affairs and government relations firms, serving in strategic roles for multiple national and international clientele. He led a national outreach and engagement campaign for a global media and entertainment company in its efforts to protect free and independent media across Poland. Adam successfully secured the company's television licenses in the face of aggressive political opposition. He has advised a global Korean company on clean energy projects in the Dominican Republic and supported a Peruvian president after the country suffered an attempted coup d'état. Additionally, Adam represented a satellite communications company to build new relationships with the U.S. Departments of Defense and Commerce as well as the Senate Committees on Intelligence and Armed Services. Adam also advocated for an Al-based, machine learning drug development and discovery company in front of multiple congressional committees that authorize and fund relevant infectious disease and pandemic prevention programs.

Before this work, Adam managed international affairs and global business development for Lennar, America's largest and most innovative home builder, in Vietnam, South Korea, Japan, and with the Indian diaspora.

Adam also has deep experience working in the federal executive branch of government. He was an appointee at the U.S. Department of Commerce, International Trade Administration in Washington, D.C. There

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EDUCATION

American University Washington College of Law, J.D., cum laude, 2004

University of Florida, B.S., with honors, 1999

CERTIFICATIONS

International Mediation, Conflict Resolute Certificate, Erasmus University, 1997

LANGUAGES

- Spanish, conversational
- German, basic

SERVICES

Government & Regulatory Affairs



Adam rose to Chief of Staff and was a leader for the President's National Export Initiative to double exports and increase job growth during the Great Recession. He helped lead trade missions globally and elevated critical trade promotion programming, in addition to the development of SelectUSA, America's front door for foreign direct investment. An important part of his work at the U.S. Department of Commerce, Adam raised the profile of ITA's position as Executive Secretariat of the Trade Promotion Coordinating Committee, leading and supporting the 19 federal agencies that support global trade to increase jobs in the United States.

In addition to global business and government affairs, Adam has extensive experience in the not-for-profit sector. He managed fundraising campaigns for clients in multiple sectors, yielding tens of millions in taxdeductible donations.

*Adam is not a practicing lawyer and does not provide legal advice.

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

- Polish American Chamber of Commerce (Chicago), Member
- National Association of District Export Councils, Founding Advisory Board Member
- U.S. Global Leadership Coalition, South Carolina Advisory Committee Member
- American Polish Advisory Council, former Board Member