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Ralf devotes his practice to commercial litigation and construction law, where he counsels general contractors, construction managers, sureties and other construction and real estate businesses through high-stakes disputes across the United States and internationally.

From his office in Miami, he works to resolve construction and design defect litigation through negotiation, litigation, arbitration and mediation. His work spans breach of contract actions, surety bond claims and insurance coverage disputes tied to complex construction projects and real estate matters.

Beyond construction, Ralf has a well-rounded litigation practice that encompasses commercial disputes, shareholder actions, real estate litigation, white collar criminal defense and regulatory compliance. He advises corporate clients navigating internal investigations involving sensitive matters, governmental inquiries, and fraud allegations, with particular depth in anti-corruption frameworks such as the False Claims Act and the Foreign Corrupt Practices Act. Much of this work has an international dimension, as Ralf has guided clients through investigations and compliance challenges in Latin America and the Caribbean.

Before entering private practice, he built a foundation as a law enforcement professional with the U.S. Department of the Treasury, where he conducted investigations into public corruption and organized criminal activity in close coordination with the U.S. Attorney's Office for the Southern District of Florida, an experience that continues to inform his approach to compliance counseling and complex commercial disputes in South Florida and beyond.

Services

- Litigation
- Construction

Before Fox Rothschild

Ralf brings more than two decades of private practice experience gained at several prominent national and regional law firms in Miami, where he held roles ranging from Associate to Partner. Before entering private practice, he served as a law enforcement professional with the U.S. Department of the Treasury.

Bar Admissions

- Florida

Court Admissions

- U.S. Supreme Court
- U.S. District Court, Middle District of Florida
- U.S. District Court, Northern District of Florida
- U.S. District Court, Southern District of Florida

Education

- University of Miami School of Law (J.D., *cum laude*, 1997)
- University of Florida (B.A., 1984)

Memberships

- American Bar Association Forum on Construction Law

Honors & Awards

- Named to a list of ranked attorneys for Construction Law in Florida by Chambers & Partners (2020–2026).
- Named to a list of the "Best Lawyers in America" for Construction Law and Construction Litigation by Best Lawyers (2019–2026).
- Named to a list of "Super Lawyers" for Construction Litigation in Miami by Super Lawyers (2024–2026).