

Luis Díaz-Hernández

Name	Luis Díaz-Hernández
Professional Occupation	Professor of History
Institution	Pontifical Catholic University in Ponce, Puerto Rico
Website	http://www.expertwitnessprofler.com/Luis+Diaz-Hernandez/73419
Short Description	Prof. Díaz-Hernández has been a witness for the plaintiffs in tobacco-related litigation. He teaches at the Pontifical Catholic University in Ponce, Puerto Rico, since 1975. He has written and published mainly on the history of Puerto Rico. His witness report can be ordered via a website. ¹ He has written reports for tobacco litigation in Puerto Rico for the plaintiffs. Díaz-Hernández acknowledged during a deposition in <i>Alvarez v. R.J. Reynolds</i> that he charged \$275 an hour for his tobacco related litigation work. ² In <i>Valle-Ortiz v. R.J. Reynolds</i> his testimony was successfully challenged by the defence under the Daubert standard. ³
Education	Ph.D.
Major Fields	History of Puerto Rico
Major Publications	Documentos para el estudio de la historia de Puerto Rico, 1868-1900 (1981), Catálogo de temblores y terremotos de Puerto Rico (1983)
Number of Cases	8

Case ⁴	Year	Manner of Involvement
1. Rivera v. R.J. Reynolds	2003-2005	Testimony
2. Alvarez v. R.J. Reynolds	2004-2005	Deposition
3. Caraballo-Rodriguez v. R.J. Reynolds	2005	Testimony
4. De Jesus v. R.J. Reynolds	2005	Expert Report Submitted
5. Nieves-Rodriguez v. R.J. Reynolds	2005	Testimony

¹ See <http://www.expertwitnessprofler.com/Luis+Diaz-Hernandez/73419>. Accessed 31 Oct 2014.

² Deposition of Luis Díaz-Hernández, September 21, 2004, *Alvarez v. R.J. Reynolds*. Westlaw reference: 2004 WL 5487028.

³ Defendant's Motion to Strike the New Expert Report of Dr. Luis E. Diaz, August 4, 2005, *Vall-Ortiz v. R.J. Reynolds*. Westlaw Number: 2005 WL 6141299.

⁴ Compiled with following online databases: <http://legacy.library.ucsf.edu>, <http://tobaccodocuments.org>, <http://lawschool.courtroomview.com/experts>, & Westlaw.

6. Ortega v. Philip Morris	2005	Testimony
7. Ramos v. Philip Morris	2005	Expert Report Submitted
8. Valle-Ortiz v. R.J. Reynolds	2005	Testimony Inadmissible
