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Christopher Penelas Receives Next Generation Award From Connect CRE

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We are proud to announce Akerman Real Estate Associate Christopher Penelas was selected Connect CRE as a recipient of the Next Generation Award, which recognizes rising stars in the commercial real estate industry who have surmounted hurdles and excelled in business and leadership in the community. Located in Miami, Penelas was selected as a Florida & Gulf Coast honoree.

Penelas focuses his practice on land use, zoning, and government relations. He regularly represents clients before local governments and county boards. He has experience representing clients in code enforcement proceedings, zoning applications, ordinance modifications, site plan approvals, appeals, and other administrative and quasi-judicial processes.

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