

Bermello Ajamil & Partners, Incorporated

Bermello & Ajamil is pleased to announce that it has formed a joint relationship with Luis de Carvalho and Consult-DC to cooperate on project opportunities throughout Europe and Africa in the areas of cruise port planning, operations and a variety of waterfront and cruise related master planning exercises. B&A is currently engaged in projects worldwide including the new cruise port of St. Petersburg, Russia; Singapore International Cruise Terminal; Hong Kong's Kai Tak Cruise Terminal; The Hague Cruise Terminal Development; and the world's largest cruise terminal at Port Everglades - Terminal 18 for the *Oasis of the Seas*. B&A is also actively involved in waterfront planning projects throughout the Caribbean and Americas.

Bermello, Ajamil & Partners, Inc. (B&A) is an internationally recognized multi-disciplinary A/E/P firm providing complete planning, design and construction services in the disciplines of architecture, engineering, planning, interior design and landscape architecture. We specialize in transportation, construction engineering inspection, aviation, healthcare, housing, education, maritime, civic and environmental projects.

Founded in 1939, B&A is a Florida Corporation (incorporated under current name in 1992) headquartered in Miami, Florida, with offices in Ft. Lauderdale, Orlando, New York, Los Angeles, Hong Kong and Dubai, UAE. By maintaining a large professional staff of over 250 personnel, B&A is able to provide all the services in-house to take a project from concept to completion and deliver an extraordinary level of service throughout the design and implementation process.

Ports and Maritime is a core B&A service group, one that offers leadership and expertise inclusive of market and financial assessment, master planning, multi-use terminal design, marine and cargo facilities engineering, financial forecasting and assessment, maritime security facilities development, destination advocacy, and operations planning. Our group has a strong reputation for being both design and business minded, able to adeptly move projects from concept to completion.

Our project experience spans six continents and includes important assignments in many of the world's most important cruise homeport gateway cities: Miami, Ft. Lauderdale, San Juan, New York, St. Petersburg, Seattle, Vancouver, San Diego, Barcelona, Nice, Istanbul and Hong Kong. Project clients include cities, port authorities, national tourism ministries, international development banks and many of the leading cruise lines, including Carnival Corporation, Royal Caribbean Cruise Lines, Norwegian Cruise Line and Disney Cruise Line. Several of these assignments have involved more classical master planning endeavours for port and related transportation facilities planning. Others, however, have embraced a broader approach to creating compelling waterfront visions and related business strategies to transform outmoded and/or underutilized waterfront areas into diverse, multi-use activity zones that balance viable maritime commerce and uses with residential, commercial, and recreational upland facilities.