

Residential Real Estate Agent



Claudia Cabas

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Claudia Cabas likes making people smile with a job well done, whether she is serving them by selling them a home or managing a construction project, putting to use all the diverse skills she learned throughout her life.

Cabas earned her bachelor's degree from Bogota, Colombia, and was a practicing architect there. She even played a significant role in assessing the damage of the 1999 magnitude-5.9 earthquake in Colombia and assisting with recovery. When she moved to Oklahoma, the Colombian license didn't apply for her to continue her work in Oklahoma. So she became a real estate agent and then earned her master's degree in construction management at the University of Oklahoma.

She picked construction management because she knew she would be good at it, and it would be fun and rewarding. The field takes advantage of her former schooling, technical training and the skill set she has developed, she said. In addition, being a real estate agent also lets her serve her community.

"While on the job, nothing makes me

happier than placing a family in their dream home," Cabas said.

She began interning with 1st Oklahoma Construction in May 2013 while pursuing her master's degree. She worked her way up to become 1st Oklahoma's construction manager, a position she currently holds.

Along the way, she has taught Spanish at the university and elementary school levels, and continues to serve clients in both the English- and Spanish-speaking communities. Cabas still counts signing the contract on her first home sale as a real estate agent among her most rewarding work accomplishments.

"I enjoy making people smile and feel content through my service, abilities and work product," Cabas said. "I like delivering quality service to the satisfaction of my clients. I like serving families. I like contributing to people's happiness, security, and well-being. I don't mind the stress the job imposes on me; it motivates me to strive harder, to learn, to be creative and ultimately to attain my objectives."