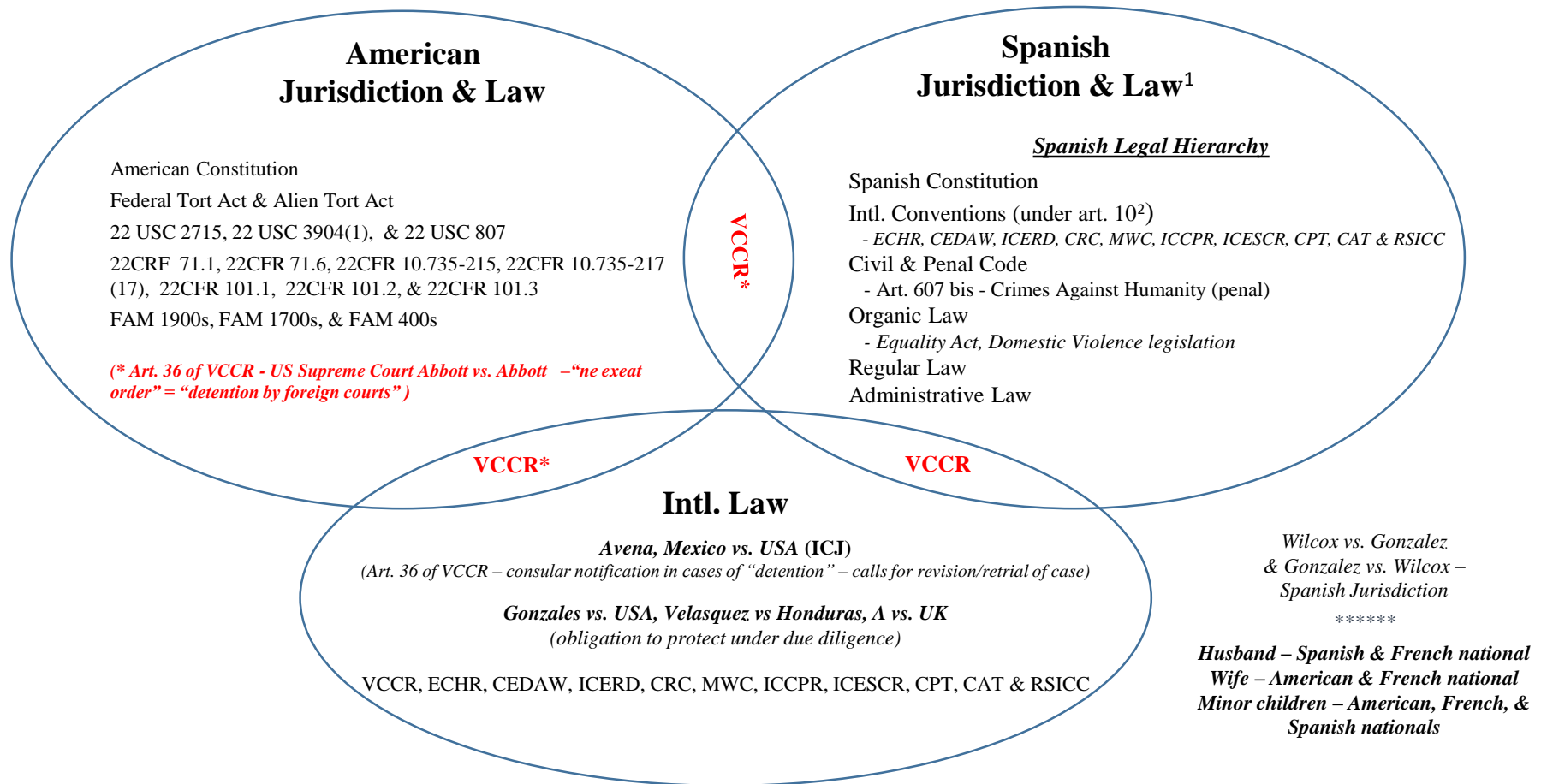


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### International Conventions & Treaties

#### VCCR – Convention of Consular Relations

ECHR - European Convention on Human Rights  
CEDAW - Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women  
ICERD - Intl. Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination  
CRC - Convention on the Rights of the Child  
MWC - Intl. Convention on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers & Their Families  
ICCPR - Intl. Covenant on Civil and Political Rights  
ICESCR - Intl. Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights  
CPT - European Conv. for the Prevention of Torture & Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment  
CAT - Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment  
RSICC - Rome Statute of the Intl. Criminal Court

### Spain

<sup>1</sup> **Art. 9.3 of the Spanish Constitution** – “the Constitution guarantees the principle of legality, the hierarchy of legal provisions”

<sup>2</sup> **Art. 10 of the Spanish Constitution** - “the fundamental rights and liberties recognized by the Constitution shall be construed in conformity with the Universal Declaration of Human Rights and Intl.treaties and agreements thereon ratified by Spain.”

**Art. 607 bis**, Spanish Penal Code - Crimes Against Humanity – “whoever commits the acts...as part of a widespread or systematic attack on the civil population 1) Due to the victim pertaining to a group or community persecuted for political, racial, national, ethnic, cultural, religious or another kind of reasons (ie. women), disability, or other motives universally recognised as unacceptable under Intl.Law”