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**SNELL & WILMER WELCOMES ASSOCIATE
JASMIN YANG TO BANKRUPTCY PRACTICE GROUP**

COSTA MESA, Calif. (May 4, 2009) — Snell & Wilmer L.L.P. has announced that Jasmin Yang has joined its Orange County office as an associate in the bankruptcy practice group. Yang previously worked at Snell & Wilmer's Arizona office in 2005, and has re-joined the firm with an expanded background in bankruptcy practice.

While earning her juris doctorate from Vanderbilt University Law School, Yang served as editor of the school's journal and was an active member of the Asian Pacific American Law Students Association. She completed her bachelor's degree with a double major in Integrative Biology and English from the University of California, Berkeley, where she worked as a journalist for two of the university's student newspapers. Yang is a resident of Chatsworth, Calif.

Along with her membership in both the State Bar of Arizona and Maricopa County Bar Association, Yang has served as a legal extern for the Hon. Alan M. Ahart, U.S. Bankruptcy Court. She is fluent in French and conversational Mandarin Chinese.

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