

SNELL & WILMER PARTNER IS HONORED BY LOCAL ACG CHAPTER

ORANGE COUNTY (May 16, 2011) – Jim Scheinkman, a partner in Snell & Wilmer's Orange County office, was presented with the Nick Yocca Award of Distinction & Merit at the Association of Corporate Growth's (ACG) 16th Annual Growth Awards Dinner on May 12, 2011 at the Island Hotel in Newport Beach, California.

ACG, founded in 1954, is a global association for professionals involved in corporate growth, corporate development and mergers and acquisitions. With over 14,000 members in 56 chapters in North America, Europe and Asia, ACG's mission is to bring dealmakers together to help them achieve their business and professional goals. The Nick Yocca Award of Distinction & Merit was granted to Scheinkman for his exemplary contribution, dedication and unwavering support to the Orange County Chapter of the ACG. For over 10 years, he has sat on the ACG OC Chapter board of directors, playing a key role as a leader in the organization. He held the position of president for a year and continues to be an active member in ACG-OC.

"With the economy having gone through a very challenging period, the current honorees are particularly noteworthy for continuing to grow their businesses and thrive," said chapter President Lloyd Miller, regional private equity practice leader for McGladrey.

Scheinkman's practice is concentrated in business and finance assisting midmarket companies on mergers and acquisitions, financings, joint ventures, corporate governance and shareholder dispute resolution, securities offerings, technology development and transfers, executive compensation and other corporate and commercial matters.

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