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## LAS VEGAS OFFICE OF SNELL & WILMER WELCOMES FOUR NEW ATTORNEYS

LAS VEGAS (Dec. 17, 2013) – Snell & Wilmer is pleased to announce the addition of four new associates to the Las Vegas office. Coming from various backgrounds and experience levels, the new associates are <u>Bradley Austin, Jennifer Luiña, Morgan Petrelli</u> and <u>Justin A. Shiroff.</u>

Austin's practice is concentrated in commercial litigation. He received his J.D. from the University of Texas School of Law and was an associate editor for both the *Texas International Law Journal* and the *Texas Journal of Oil, Gas and Energy Law* while attending law school. Austin was a 2012 summer associate for Snell & Wilmer and a judicial extern to The Honorable Kent Dawson with the United States District Court, District of Nevada.

Luiña's practice is concentrated in business and finance. She represents clients in a variety of matters, including mergers and acquisitions, venture capital financings, securities laws compliance, entity formation and corporate governance. She received her J.D. from Columbia University School of Law and was a staff editor for the *Columbia Journal of Environmental Law*. Luiña joins the firm from Buffington & Aaron in San Francisco and is currently licensed to practice in California.

Petrelli's practice is concentrated in product liability and commercial litigation. She received her J. D. from the University of Nevada, Las Vegas, William S. Boyd School of Law and was an articles editor for the *UNLV Gaming Law Journal*. Petrelli was a 2012 Snell & Wilmer summer associate and previously a judicial extern to The Honorable James C. Mahan for United States District Court, District of Nevada.

Shiroff's practice is concentrated in business and commercial litigation, with an emphasis on financial disputes and general defense litigation in the banking, gaming/resorts, and information technology industries. His experience also extends to disputes involving employment law and domesticating foreign judgments. He received his J.D. from the University of Nevada, Las Vegas, William S. Boyd School of Law and previously was a law clerk for The Honorable Joanna S. Kishner of the Eighth Judicial District Court.

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