

**U.S. NEWS MEDIA GROUP AND BEST LAWYERS RECOGNIZE SNELL & WILMER
IN THE 2015 “BEST LAW FIRMS” RANKINGS**

PHOENIX (November 03, 2014) – Snell & Wilmer is pleased to announce it has been widely recognized in both the national and metropolitan rankings by *U.S. News Media Group* and *Best Lawyers*[®] for the 2015 edition of “Best Law Firms.” Ranked firms, presented in tiers, are listed on a national and/or metropolitan scale and are posted online at <http://bestlawfirms.usnews.com>.

The 2015 rankings are based on the highest number of participating firms and highest number of client ballots on record. To be eligible for a ranking, a firm must have a lawyer listed in *The Best Lawyers in America*[®], which recognizes the top 4 percent of practicing attorneys in the US. Over 17,000 attorneys provided almost 600,000 law firm assessments, and almost 7,500 clients provided more than 40,000 evaluations.

The following is the complete list of Snell & Wilmer rankings in the 2015 “Best Law Firms:”

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| <p><u>National Rankings</u></p> <p>Tier 1 - National Franchise Law Litigation - Construction Real Estate Law</p> <p>Tier 2 - National Commercial Litigation Construction Law Corporate Law Employment Law - Management Labor Law - Management Litigation - Banking & Finance Litigation - Environmental Litigation - Labor & Employment Litigation - Real Estate Litigation - Regulatory Enforcement (SEC, Telecom, Energy) Mass Tort Litigation / Class Actions – Defendants Native American Law Securities / Capital Markets Law Trademark Law</p> <p>Tier 3 - National Banking and Finance Law Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights / Insolvency and Reorganization Law</p> | <p>Tier 3 - National (Cont’d) Copyright Law Environmental Law Financial Services Regulation Law Health Care Law Litigation - Intellectual Property Litigation - Patent Litigation - Securities Mergers & Acquisitions Law Patent Law Tax Law Trusts & Estates Law Venture Capital Law</p> <p><u>Metropolitan Rankings</u></p> <p>Tier 1 - Colorado Product Liability Litigation - Defendants Real Estate Law</p> <p>Tier 1 - Las Vegas Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights / Insolvency and Reorganization Law Commercial Litigation Construction Law Litigation - Bankruptcy Real Estate Law</p> |
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Tier 1 - Los Angeles

Franchise Law

Tier 1 - Orange County

Appellate Practice
Commercial Litigation
Employment Law - Management
Labor Law - Management
Litigation - Intellectual Property
Litigation - Labor & Employment
Real Estate Law

Tier 1 - Phoenix

Arbitration
Banking and Finance Law
Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights /
Insolvency and Reorganization Law
Commercial Litigation
Construction Law
Copyright Law
Corporate Governance Law
Corporate Law
Employee Benefits (ERISA) Law
Employment Law - Management
Energy Law
Environmental Law
Financial Services Regulation Law
Gaming Law
Health Care Law
Labor Law - Management
Legal Malpractice Law - Defendants
Litigation - Banking & Finance
Litigation - Bankruptcy
Litigation - Construction
Litigation - Environmental
Litigation - Intellectual Property
Litigation - Labor & Employment
Litigation - Patent
Litigation - Real Estate
Litigation - Regulatory Enforcement (SEC,
Telecom, Energy)
Litigation - Securities
Litigation - Trusts & Estates
Mass Tort Litigation / Class Actions –
Defendants
Mergers & Acquisitions Law
Native American Law
Patent Law
Personal Injury Litigation - Defendants
Product Liability Litigation - Defendants
Professional Malpractice Law - Defendants

Tier 1 - Phoenix (Cont'd)

Real Estate Law
Securities / Capital Markets Law
Securities Regulation
Tax Law
Trademark Law
Trusts & Estates Law
Water Law

Tier 1 - Reno

Commercial Litigation
Energy Law
Litigation - Labor & Employment
Litigation - Real Estate

Tier 1 - Tucson

Banking and Finance Law
Commercial Litigation
Employment Law - Management
Litigation - Construction
Litigation - Real Estate
Real Estate Law

Tier 1 - Utah

Arbitration
Banking and Finance Law
Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights /
Insolvency and Reorganization Law
Commercial Litigation
Environmental Law
Government Relations Practice
Health Care Law
Land Use & Zoning Law
Litigation - Banking & Finance
Litigation - Bankruptcy
Litigation - Environmental
Litigation - Mergers & Acquisitions
Litigation - Real Estate
Product Liability Litigation - Defendants
Real Estate Law

Tier 2 - Colorado

Construction Law
Litigation - Construction
Personal Injury Litigation – Defendants

Tier 2 - Las Vegas

Corporate Law
Litigation - Construction
Tax Law

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| <p>Tier 2 - Los Angeles Real Estate Law</p> <p>Tier 2 - Orange County Corporate Governance Law Litigation - Patent Litigation - Trusts & Estates Patent Law Trademark Law</p> <p>Tier 2 - Phoenix Corporate Compliance Law Government Relations Practice Immigration Law Litigation - Antitrust Litigation - Mergers & Acquisitions Medical Malpractice Law - Defendants Venture Capital Law</p> <p>Tier 2 - Reno Litigation - Tax Litigation - Trusts & Estates</p> <p>Tier 2 - Tucson Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights / Insolvency and Reorganization Law Corporate Law Insurance Law Labor Law - Management Land Use & Zoning Law Tax Law Trusts & Estates Law</p> | <p>Tier 2 - Utah Corporate Compliance Law Corporate Governance Law Corporate Law Employment Law - Individuals Energy Law Legal Malpractice Law - Defendants Litigation - Construction Litigation - Labor & Employment Litigation - Regulatory Enforcement (SEC, Telecom, Energy) Litigation - Securities Medical Malpractice Law - Defendants Natural Resources Law Personal Injury Litigation – Defendants</p> <p>Tier 3 - Colorado Litigation – Environmental</p> <p>Tier 3 - Las Vegas Land Use & Zoning Law</p> <p>Tier 3 - Orange County Trusts & Estates Law</p> <p>Tier 3 - Utah Mediation Mining Law</p> |
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