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ABA APPOINTS HEIDI MCNEIL STAUDENMAIER CHAIR OF BUSINESS LAW SECTION'S BUSINESS AND CORPORATE LITIGATION COMMITTEE

PHOENIX (September 12, 2016) – Snell & Wilmer is pleased to announce that Phoenix partner [Heidi McNeil Staudenmaier](#) is now Chair of the American Bar Association (ABA) Business Law Section's [Business and Corporate Litigation Committee](#). Her appointment became effective as of the conclusion of the Section's annual meeting in Boston, September 8-10. Staudenmaier is both the second woman and first lawyer outside the East Coast to hold this position. The chair position is a three-year commitment.

The mission of the Business and Corporate Litigation Committee is to focus on the principal substantive areas of litigation affecting business enterprises and to promote the establishment of business courts and other effective means of resolving business disputes. The Business Law Section serves its members, the profession and the public by providing educational resources to its members, assisting members in serving their clients ethically and competently, and furthering the development and improvement of business law.



Heidi McNeil Staudenmaier

Most recently, Staudenmaier was named into the 2016 Most Influential Women in Arizona Business by Az Business Magazine. At Snell & Wilmer, she is nationally recognized in the areas of Indian law, gaming law and business litigation. She represents tribes, tribal entities and businesses who engage in business transactions with tribes and tribal entities. Staudenmaier is a past president of the International Masters of Gaming Law, a founding member of the Native American Bar Association of Arizona and the executive editor of Gaming Law Review and Economics. She has been recognized by The Best Lawyers in America® in the areas of Commercial Litigation, Gaming Law and Native American Law (2005-2017) in addition to being named Phoenix Lawyer of the Year for Native American Law (2015 and 2017) and Phoenix Gaming Lawyer of the Year (2011 and 2016) by Best Lawyers. She has been ranked in Chambers USA: America's Leading Lawyers for Business® for Nationwide Native American Law (2009-2016) and Nationwide Gaming & Licensing (2013-2016). In addition, she was ranked in Global Chambers for Gaming & Gambling (2012-2016). Heidi was also recognized by Southwest Super Lawyers in Native American Law (2014-2016).

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