



SNELL & WILMER PARTNER DAVID P. NIGRO RECOGNIZED AS GOLD 'N GAVEL STAR BY SANDRA DAY O'CONNOR COLLEGE OF LAW

PHOENIX (December 11, 2018) – Snell & Wilmer is pleased to announce that Phoenix partner David P. Nigro was recognized by the Sandra Day O'Connor College of Law at Arizona State University as a <u>Gold 'n Gavel Star</u> at its 6th Annual Gold 'n Gavel Auction and Reception. Nigro was nominated by fellow Snell & Wilmer attorney Justin Powley and was honored at the event that took place November 16.

Each year, the Sandra Day O'Connor College of Law hosts Gold 'n Gavel, a signature event that brings the community together, recognizes achievements, raises funds to benefit students, and honors distinguished alumni and friends. This year's event theme, League of Legal Heroes, honored some of the community's best Legal Heroes or members of the community who had a positive impact on students, alumni and friends of ASU Law, and their overall contributions to advance the legal community.

"David has been essential to my growth as a young attorney at Snell & Wilmer," said Powley. "Even though David was never formally assigned to me as a mentor, he has always been there to provide guidance and offer feedback on any matter with which I need assistance."



David P. Nigro

At Snell & Wilmer, Nigro's practice is concentrated in intellectual property law. He has experience advising clients in patent and trademark prosecutions, patent and trademark litigation, and transactions involving intellectual property. Nigro has experience in a variety of industries and technologies including chemical processes and compositions, consumer and pet food production/packaging, composite materials, seed and plant biotechnology, renewable/sustainable technologies, ceramics, aerospace systems, electrical power generation and control, jet engines, nacelles, financial services and information technologies. Prior to attending law school, Nigro worked as an application developer in the information technology field. As an undergraduate, Nigro worked as a synthetic organic chemist. Apart from his law practice, Nigro is a statewide leader on issues relating to the education of children with sensory disabilities.

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