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PHOENIX ATTORNEYS RECOGNIZED AMONG ARIZONA BAR FOUNDATION'S TOP PRO BONO ATTORNEYS OF THE YEAR

Philanthropy award created in honor of former Snell & Wilmer chair John J. Bouma

PHOENIX (July 1, 2019) – Snell & Wilmer is pleased to announce that <u>Benjamin A. Nucci</u> and <u>Kristine L. Gallardo</u> were recognized among the Arizona Bar Foundation's Top Pro Bono Attorneys of the Year.

The <u>Arizona Foundation for Legal Services & Education</u> instituted the annual award in 2001 to recognize attorneys who "have tirelessly given their time and expertise to assist Arizonans who would otherwise have no legal resources." The State Bar of Arizona created the Arizona Foundation for Legal Services & Education with the mission of promoting access to justice for all Arizonans.

Nucci is an associate in the Phoenix office where his practice is concentrated in labor and employment law, immigration and Native American affairs. He is a member of the firm's immigration practice group and assists clients in obtaining both immigrant and nonimmigrant visas. He has experience advising large and small corporations on nonimmigrant petitions, family and employment-based



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permanent resident processes, and adjustment of status. Nucci counsels employers on a range of workplace issues, including Form I-9 compliance and U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement

investigations.

Kristine L. Gallardo

Phoenix associate Gallardo handles products liability litigation and commercial litigation matters. Her experience includes representing the manufacturers of automobiles and other consumer products.

The <u>Arizona Foundation for Legal Services & Education</u> also created the John J. Bouma Philanthropy Award to acknowledge the lifelong

contribution of Snell & Wilmer's longtime chair who passed away earlier this year. The award is given to an individual, group, or organization that has demonstrated an understanding of the importance and commitment to raising support for justice in Arizona. Phoenix partner Barbara J. Dawson presented the award to Jeff Bouma, John's son, at the June reception.



Barbara J. Dawson presenting inaugural award to Jeff Bouma

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