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**THE AMERICAN COLLEGE OF TRUST AND ESTATE COUNSEL ELECTS
SNELL & WILMER'S STEPHANIE "STEVIE" CASTEEL TO ITS BOARD OF REGENTS**

LAS VEGAS and RENO (April 1, 2020) – Snell & Wilmer is pleased to announce that [The American College of Trust and Estate Counsel](#) (ACTEC) elected partner [Stephanie "Stevie" Casteel](#) to its Board of Regents at the College's recent annual business meeting in Boca Raton, Florida. She will serve a three-year term.

Casteel has held numerous leadership positions with ACTEC since 2014. She currently serves on the College's Foundation Board of Directors, the Asset Protection Committee, the Charitable Planning & Exempt Organizations Committee, the Audit Committee and the Sponsorship Committee.



Stevie Casteel

Established in 1949, ACTEC is a national, nonprofit association of approximately 2,500 lawyers and law professors from throughout the United States and abroad. ACTEC members (Fellows) are peer-elected on the basis of professional reputation and expertise in the preparation of wills and trusts, estate planning, probate, trust administration and related practice areas. The College's mission includes the improvement and reform of probate, trust and tax laws and procedures and professional practice standards.

"It's truly an honor to be elected to the board of an institution comprised of many of the finest estate planning lawyers in the world," said Casteel.

Casteel is a trusted advisor to a wide range of high net worth and exempt organization clients and is a partner in the firm's Private Client Services practice group. She provides comprehensive estate planning advice, including wills, trusts, powers of attorney, charitable planning, nuptial agreements, NINGs, asset protection, estate and trust administration, planning for estate and gift taxes, and business wealth transitions for clients throughout the United States. She also assists exempt organizations with formation, tax exemption, lobbying affiliates, tax compliance, and board policies and best practices. A frequent speaker, Stevie has presented at national conferences on the topics of estate planning, non-profit law, and charitable giving and has authored or been quoted in numerous articles in trade journals and national media outlets, including CNN, on topics such as premarital agreements, charitable bequests and wealth management for women.

Casteel is ranked in numerous legal and industry publications including Chamber High Net Worth Guide (2017-2018); Peer Review Rated AV Preeminent, Martindale-Hubbell®; and The Best Lawyers in America®, Non-Profit/Charities Law and Trusts & Estates (2009-present). She received her B.A. from Agnes Scott College and her J.D., with distinction, from Emory University School of Law.

ACTEC's press release announcing the new Regents can be viewed [here](#).

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