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## SNELL & WILMER NEVADA ATTORNEY KARL RILEY JOINS THE FELLOWS OF THE AMERICAN BAR FOUNDATION

**LAS VEGAS (January 9, 2017)** – Snell & Wilmer is pleased to announce that [Karl Riley](#) has accepted an invitation from the [American Bar Foundation](#) (ABF) Board of Directors to become a [Fellow of the ABF](#). Membership in The Fellows is limited to one percent of the lawyers admitted to practice in the U.S. and its territories and to a limited number of lawyers in jurisdictions outside the U.S.

The Fellows of the American Bar Foundation is an honorary organization of lawyers, judges and legal scholars whose public and private careers have demonstrated outstanding dedication to the welfare of their communities and to the highest principles of the legal profession. The American Bar Foundation's mission is to serve the legal profession, the public, and the academy through empirical research, publications and programs that advance justice and the understanding of law and its impact on society.



Karl Riley

Riley joins seven Snell & Wilmer attorneys across the firm who became ABF Fellows last year and many others who have previously been accepted. A complete list of the most recently named Snell & Wilmer Fellows is available in the firm's [press release](#).

Active in several bar organizations, Riley currently serves as President of the Las Vegas Chapter of the National Bar Association and is a member of the Executive Council of the Young Lawyers Section of the State of Nevada. He is a Past Chair of the Young Lawyers Division for the National Bar Association and chairs the National Advisory Board of the National Black Law Student Association. Riley is a board member of the Urban Chamber of Commerce and a previous board member of the Las Vegas Alumni Chapter of the Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity.

Riley's practice is concentrated in business and commercial litigation, labor and employment, and government relations. He represents the firm's clients in various contract disputes, particularly in banking, real estate, entity control, business conflicts and a variety of financial issues. He also defends the firm's clients in discrimination and harassment claims under Title VII and state law, as well as in wage and hour disputes. In addition, he is also a member of the firm's Attorney Development and Diversity & Inclusion Committees. He received his J.D. from Northwestern University School of Law and his B.S. from Washington University.

The Nevada offices of Snell & Wilmer serve a wide range of clients in the following practice areas: civil and commercial litigation; administrative law; real estate transactions; finance; corporate and tax; bankruptcy; employment and labor; and construction law.

### About Snell & Wilmer

Founded in 1938, Snell & Wilmer is a full-service business law firm with more than 400 attorneys practicing in nine locations throughout the western United States and in Mexico, including Las Vegas and Reno, Nevada; Phoenix and Tucson, Arizona; Los Angeles and Orange County, California; Denver, Colorado; Salt Lake City, Utah; and Los Cabos, Mexico. The firm represents clients ranging from large, publicly traded corporations to small businesses, individuals and entrepreneurs. For more information, visit [www.swlaw.com](http://www.swlaw.com).