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IN BUSINESS MAGAZINE RECOGNIZES SNELL & WILMER PARTNER BAHAR A. SCHIPPEL AS ONE OF THE 14 WOMEN OF ACHIEVEMENT

PHOENIX (September 23, 2019) – Snell & Wilmer is pleased to announce that Phoenix partner <u>Bahar A. Schippel</u> has been named one of 14 Women of Achievement by In Business Magazine.

"I am honored to be recognized as one of the 14 Women of Achievement by In Business Magazine," said Schippel. "It is truly amazing to be practicing law at a time when the outstanding achievements of women are being more widely recognized and celebrated. I am also quite fortunate to be a partner at a firm that provides so many opportunities around which to thrive personally and professionally."



Bahar A. Schippel

The 2019 Women of Achievement is an annual event telling stories of success. In Business Magazine's editorial group chose these women leaders based on their business success, connection and service to the community, and their efforts to grow business in the Valley. The Women of Achievement TED Talk-style event will take place at the Sheraton Downtown on October 24. Schippel has been selected as one of five women who will present her story at the event.

Each recognized woman will be present to celebrate having been featured in the Women of Achievement special section of In Business Magazine and share their inspiring stories. The luncheon will bring inspiration and encouragement to young women and the business community in general. Schippel is one of 14 Valley leaders receiving the award alongside Cindy McCain who is accepting the Linda M. Herold Lifetime Achievement award.

At Snell & Wilmer, Schippel chairs the firm's tax practice group and specializes in tax planning for mergers and acquisitions, joint ventures and real estate transactions, drafting LLC and partnership agreements, tax planning in connection with fund formation and operations, structuring tax-efficient debt workouts, designing service provider equity compensation for LLCs and partnerships and representing taxpayers before the Internal Revenue Service. She is a Certified Specialist, Tax Law, Arizona Board of Legal Specialization. Schippel serves on the Council of the ABA Tax Section and is a Vice Chair (Pro Bono and Outreach) thereof. She is a Past Chair of the ABA Tax Section Partnership Committee and is currently a member of the ABA's National Conference of Lawyers and CPAs. Schippel is also the Past Chair of the Tax Section of the State Bar of Arizona and is the Past Chair of the Arizona Tax Advisory Commission, which oversees the tax specialization program in Arizona. She is also a Regent of the American College of Tax Counsel, and a member of the Bloomberg BNA Real Estate Advisory Board and the Wolters Kluwer Legal Tax Advisory Board, which all include some of the nation's leading authorities on tax law. Schippel frequently speaks at national and regional tax conferences and contributes articles to top-tier tax publications. Prior to joining Snell & Wilmer, Schippel served as Attorney-Advisor for the United States Tax Court in Washington, DC, and as Teaching Assistant to the Honorable David Laro at Georgetown University Law Center.

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