

Managing IP Names Director Monica Riva Talley
Trademark Prosecution Practitioner of the Year

Washington, D.C. (April 8, 2022) – Sterne, Kessler, Goldstein & Fox is proud to announce that Director and [Trademark & Brand Protection Practice](#) head, [Monica Riva Talley](#) has been named the U.S. National “Practitioner of the Year – Trademark Prosecution” at the Managing IP Americas Awards 2022. Sterne Kessler was also shortlisted for “Firm of the Year” in the categories of Patent Prosecution, Patent Trial and Appeal Board (PTAB), and IP Boutique.

The Managing IP Awards program honors the firms, individuals, and companies “behind the most innovative and challenging IP work of the past year, as well as those driving the international IP market.”

Talley is consistently recognized by market-leading organizations for excellence in trademark practice and client service, including *Managing IP*’s “IP Stars” rankings. In addition, she has been among *World Trademark Review*’s “WTR 1000: The World’s Leading Trademark Professionals” since 2012 and earned the sole Lexology Client Choice Award in the “IP – Trademarks” category for the District of Columbia in 2021.

Talley and the other Managing IP Americas Awards recipients were honored at a ceremony in New York, NY on April 7. View the full list of award winners [here](#).

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