

Senior Associate Leonard Powell Named Outstanding Young Attorney by California Indian Law Association

Recognition

October 5, 2022

Senior Associate Leonard R. Powell received the 2022 Outstanding Young Attorney Award from the California Indian Law Association (“CILA”) at their annual conference. The award recognizes one attorney in practice for ten years or less who exemplifies high achievement, innovation, leadership, and service.

Mr. Powell is a senior associate in Jenner & Block’s Appellate and Supreme Court Practice and the Native American Law Practice. He regularly briefs matters before the United States Supreme Court, where he has won a number of cases on their merits and successfully opposed dozens of petitions for certiorari. Mr. Powell’s Indian law Supreme Court cases include work on *McGirt v. Oklahoma*, *Sharp v. Murphy*, *Oklahoma v. Castro-Huerta*, *Washington State Department of Licensing v. Cougar Den, Inc.*, and this coming term’s *Brackeen v. Haaland*.

A California Indian, Mr. Powell is a former leader of his Tribe, the Hopland Band of Pomo Indians. He is also a former member of the CILA Board of Directors.

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