

# Multiple Polsinelli Attorneys Named Finalists for 2026 Life Sciences Americas Awards

(July 22, 2026) Polsinelli is pleased to announce that five of its attorneys have been named finalists for Managing IP's **2026 Life Sciences Americas Awards**, reflecting the firm's strength across intellectual property and regulatory matters central to the life sciences industry.

- Suzanne E. Bassett, Associate – U.S. Regulatory Rising Star
- Michael M. Gaba, Food & Drug Vice Chair – Regulatory Attorney of the Year (FDA Medical Device)
- Steve Stranne, Shareholder – Regulatory Attorney of the Year (Pricing & Reimbursement)
- Suni Sukduang, Post-Grant Proceedings Chair – General Patent Litigator of the Year (South)
- Patrick C. Woolley, Intellectual Property Department Chair – Patent Strategy Attorney of the Year (Midwest)

The Life Sciences Americas Awards finalists were selected following a research process that considered direct submissions, client feedback and deliberations by the awards research team. Individual attorneys and rising stars were evaluated based on factors including the complexity of their work and their thought leadership.

These recognitions demonstrate the breadth of Polsinelli's multidisciplinary **Life Sciences** team and its ability to address significant intellectual property and regulatory matters for clients across the industry.

## About Polsinelli

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