

Mintz & Gold Expands With Four Partners and Larger Office Space
Grows Criminal Defense and Media/Intellectual Property, Adds Bankruptcy Practice

New York, NY – January 30, 2019 – In response to client demand, Mintz & Gold, a full-service New York City-based law firm, has increased its roster to include four prominent partners. Roger Stavis and Charles (Chuck) Ross join Mintz & Gold’s premiere [White Collar Criminal Defense and Investigations](#) Practice; Andrew Gottesman will lead the firm’s new [Bankruptcy and Restructuring](#) Practice; and Kevin Goering bolsters the firm’s [Media, Intellectual Property, and Freedom of Information Laws](#) Group.

Mintz & Gold has also increased its office space in its current location at 600 Third Avenue in Manhattan by approximately 33% to accommodate the firm’s growth. The additional space should be ready by the end of Spring 2019.

Co-founding partner Steven Mintz said, “We are excited to begin 2019 with the arrival of the addition of these top-tier, distinguished lawyers. Mintz & Gold’s continued growth in key practice areas, including White Collar criminal defense, bankruptcy and intellectual property, makes this a superb time to broaden the range of capabilities that we offer. We look forward to the additional space that will allow us to better serve our growing client base as well as foster our collaborative culture.”

“We’ve known and worked with Roger and Chuck for years - they are both veteran trial attorneys who are well regarded in the New York criminal defense bar and will add terrific depth to our leading White Collar and criminal defense practices, which have grown significantly over the past several years. Andrew brings substantial business and legal acumen which will benefit our clients both in and outside of bankruptcy and restructuring. And, Kevin’s wide-ranging expertise further expands our offerings in media, intellectual property and First Amendment law,” commented co-founding partner Steven Gold.

- [Roger Stavis](#) is considered one of New York’s most experienced and respected criminal defense attorneys. He has tried more than 100 cases to verdict in state and federal courts, many of which were high-profile, complex, multi-defendant cases. Mr. Stavis has argued more than 100 appeals in various state and federal courts around the country. He also represents individuals and companies in criminal and regulatory investigations and is often called upon to advise clients on crisis management issues. A former prosecutor and the former Chairman of the Criminal Courts Committee of the New York City Bar Association, he writes and lectures frequently on criminal law issues.
- Whether he is representing an individual at trial or advising a company on how best to negotiate the dangerous shoals of an investigation, [Charles Ross](#) is sought out for his skill, expertise and dedication to achieving the best results for his clients. He has successfully represented a wide variety of individuals and companies in both criminal and regulatory matters and has tried over 100 criminal cases to verdict. Mr. Ross is a member of the National Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers, the New York Council of Defense Lawyers and the Federal Bar Council. He served as vice chair of the

Judiciary Committee of the NYC Bar Association, and frequently lectures and is quoted on topics involving white collar defense and criminal trial skills and strategy.

- For over 20 years, [Andrew Gottesman](#) has represented both debtors and creditors in the public and private sectors. In addition to his work at *AmLaw* 150 firms and serving as in-house bankruptcy counsel for J.P. Morgan Chase, he is uniquely familiar with the business side of claims and distressed debt trading, having run a trading desk for a small broker dealer. Mr. Gottesman represents both corporate and individual clients in bankruptcy, consumer protection, creditors' rights, corporate restructuring and distressed asset transactions; his clients include debtors, secured lenders, unsecured creditors, asset purchasers, asset sellers and equity holders.
- [Kevin Goering](#) specializes in litigation and counseling in media, intellectual property, First Amendment and sports law. His experience is broad, including matters involving defamation, privacy, copyrights, trademarks, the right of publicity, unfair competition and data protection. Mr. Goering's clients include major publishers, broadcasters and internet service providers as well as content creators such as authors, athletes, artists and their unions. He has substantial state and federal trial, appellate and arbitration experience and is a past and present leader of numerous bar association committees and pro bono arts and media organizations. Mr. Goering is perennially recognized by national and regional publications as a preeminent expert in his fields of practice and frequently publishes and lectures in those areas.

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