These Firms Have The Most Women In Equity Partnerships

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At most U.S. law firms, equity partners are still overwhelmingly male. While firms have long professed a desire to achieve gender parity, progress — particularly at the partnership level — has been markedly slow.

Women have made up at least 40% of law school students for decades, according to data collected by the American Bar Association, but less than a quarter of U.S. equity partners are women, according to Law360's latest survey.

Still, some firms have been able to make measurable progress, and show they are working to make good on their goals of achieving parity. These firms usher in a different image of what an equity partnership can look like.

Selendy & Gay was honored in this year's "Ceiling Smashers" — a listing of the top 10 law firms in each size category that are outpacing their peers as the legal industry works to close the gender gap in its partnership ranks.

GLASS CEILING 2020 The Ceiling Smashers These law firms have the highest representation of women in their equity partnerships.						
	601+ ATTYS	251-600 ATTYS	101-250 ATTYS	51-100 ATTYS		20-50 ATTYS
Wright Finlay						66.7%
Walsworth					58.3%	
Selendy & Gay				50.0%		
Stokes Lawrence				50.0%		
Liebert Cassidy			39.1%			
Phillips Murrah			38.9%			
Franklin & Prokopik			36.4%			
Brouse McDowell			35.9%			
Scott+Scott			35.7%			
Nilan Johnson			35.5%			

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