

PEOPLE ON THE MOVE

HIRINGS, PROMOTIONS, BOARD MEMBERS AND SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS IN SAN DIEGO



CONSTRUCTION

New Hire



Gordon Oakley

DPR Construction welcomes **Gordon Oakley** as a healthcare executive. With more than 26 years of service with the State of California's Office of Statewide Health Planning and Development, Oakley will play an integral role in DPR Construction's healthcare construction and OSHPD processes.



ENGINEERING, ARCHITECTURE AND CONSTRUCTION

New Hire



Felipe Chuang

Burns & McDonnell, a 100% employee-owned engineering, architecture and construction firm, hires **Felipe Chuang** as a senior project manager. Felipe will lead the pre-construction teams to deliver a variety of critical infrastructure projects for aviation, manufacturing, life sciences and utility clients across California. He has more than 20 years of experience, working on projects at Los Angeles International Airport, universities, federal facilities and more. Felipe is a certified professional by the Design-Build Institute of America (DBIA).



CONSTRUCTION

New Hire



Karri Novak

Innovative builder, **Suffolk**, has hired **Karri Novak** as Vice President of Project Development in San Diego to help strengthen the firm's positioning in the rapidly growing higher-education sector. In her role, Ms. Novak will be responsible for leading growth strategies, business acquisition, project design development, project oversight and client relationship management. She previously led the project teams that constructed UC San Diego's North Torrey Pines Living & Learning Neighborhood, San Diego State University's Huaxyacac residence hall and its Engineering & Interdisciplinary Sciences building.

SMITHGROUP

ARCHITECTURE

Promotion



Megan Skaalen

SmithGroup, one of the nation's leading integrated design firms, has elevated interior designer **Megan Skaalen**, CID, to serve as Workplace studio leader at its San Diego office. In her new role, she will continue to work with San Diego and Los Angeles leadership to expand the firm's workplace and mixed-use expertise and strengthen the firm's growing presence in the greater San Diego area. Megan has focused the last decade of her career on developing design solutions for owner, developer and end user clients, with an emphasis on creatively adapting real estate assets into forward-thinking business environments.