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

BURNS & MCDONNELL

Engineering, Architecture and Construction
Promotion

Burns & McDonnell, a 100% employee-owned engineering, architecture and construction firm, promoted Marianne Goldsborough to lead the company’s team in San Diego. She is responsible for overseeing the overall office success, sales and business development. Marianne plays a key role in attracting and retaining talent for delivering critical infrastructure projects. She has more than three decades of experience in the electrical utility sector, delivering reliable power to communities.

MARIANNE

GOLDSBOROUGH

ACCOUNTING SOFTWARE

New Hire

In his role as Head of Partner Growth, Moselle will lead teams that support accounting and bookkeeping partners across the country, with a focus on expanding each community that Xero has a presence in. The team will help establish new relationships with accountants and bookkeepers and help ensure partners are supported throughout their Xero journey. Moselle joins Xero after spending over 14 years at Intuit, where he led a succession of sales and account management teams. While at Intuit, he also led the financial institution account management team, responsible for driving revenue through these partnerships, while helping to formulate and execute Intuit’s API and OFX data connectivity strategy. Moselle is based in San Diego and will report into Chris Wicker, Head of Growth.

WILL

MOSELLE

INDEPENDENT FINANCIAL GROUP, LLC

New Hire

Independent Financial Group (IFG), a San Diego-based independent broker-dealer, welcomes Matt Mendez as Manager of Annuity Product Marketing. Matt comes to IFG with a wealth of annuity and insurance product knowledge, having served as an external wholesaler for 14+ years prior to joining the firm. His breadth of experience will prove invaluable for all IFG registered investment professionals with goals of expanding or refining the role annuities play in their clients’ portfolios. Matt started his career as an independent financial advisor and most recently served as Divisional Vice President for AIG. He holds FINRA Series 6, 28, and 63 licenses.

MATT

MENDEZ

ARCHITECTURE

New Hire

HGA welcomes David Rosenfeld, LEED AR as Associate Vice President leading Business Development for the Southern California market. He will focus on client relations and new opportunities throughout the region for HGA’s Healthcare and Science & Technology groups. Rosenfeld has 20 years of professional experience in business development, marketing, strategic planning and communications in the architecture/engineering/construction industry. He has worked with firms such as SmithGroup as well as Sundt Construction and Kitchell in San Diego and Tishman Realty & Construction in New York. Rosenfeld earned his bachelor’s degree in sociology and communications from Tulane University in New Orleans.

DAVID

ROSENFELD

NON-PROFIT

Appointment

Joe Garbanzos has been named AARP’s California State President. The state president is AARP’s top volunteer in California who serves as spokesperson and representative for AARP across the state. In this role, Joe will chair the all-volunteer Executive Council, a diverse group of professionals who provide advice and counsel to advance AARP’s social mission in California. Prior to his appointment, Joe served on the Executive Council for six years, serving as volunteer leader for Asian American Pacific Islander outreach, chairing the Education Committee for the California Telehealth Coalition, co-leading AARP’s Livable communities work in San Diego County, and chairing the Hi-Speed Internet Advisory Committee. Joe brings to his new role extensive experience in leadership, public health, change management, and public policy, having previously served as the CEO and Executive Director at Samahan Health Centers, a federally qualified health center in San Diego. As a health care consultant, he helped launch the Affordable Care Act in California, as well as the implementation of the Coordinated Care Initiative in San Diego County. He is an alum of the Peter Drucker Graduate School at Claremont University, an adjunct faculty member at the California School of Management & Leadership at Alliant International University San Diego, teaching courses on healthcare. His knowledge and expertise includes leading outreach and education in culturally diverse communities with hard-to-reach populations.

JOE

GARBANZOS

CONSTRUCTION

New Hire

Innovative builder, Suffolk, has hired Joshua Engleander as the Senior Director of External Affairs in the West Region. Mr. Engleander will be responsible for building and expanding key relationships in California state government, local government, and the business community, to strengthen Suffolk’s role as a policy leader on issues critical to construction, real estate, and development. Prior to joining Suffolk, Mr. Engleander served as the Federal Affairs Representative for the Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority where he advocated for Metro Board-approved federal policy with Congress and the administration.

JOSHUA

ENGLEANDER
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**LEGAL**

**New Hire**

*Christian Hulburt: Skilled Attorney and Mediator*

Christian Hulburt returns to Thorsnes Bartolotta McGuire as a Partner. After 20 years as one of San Diego’s most successful trial lawyers and mediator at the head of his private law firm, attorney Christian Hulburt has returned to the firm where he began his legal career, Thorsnes Bartolotta McGuire.

Hulburt, a two-time outstanding Trial Lawyer award winner and San Diego Magazine Top Lawyer since 2013, will specialize in serious and catastrophic injury cases including medical malpractice, personal injury, and products liability issues.

Hulburt also brings exceptional mediation skills to Thorsnes Bartolotta McGuire. Recognizing many cases can be resolved without going to trial, Hulburt is a certified mediator who completed training through the National Conflict Resolution Center, where he served as its Director of Development from 2016 until his return to his original law firm home. Hulburt will continue his service as an NCRC board member.

“I could not imagine a better time for a hometowning to the place where I began my career,” said Hulburt. “With everything we all have experienced over the past year, and the abuses and conflicts people are facing, many people truly need our help in seeking justice. Returning to Thorsnes Bartolotta McGuire allows me to make a difference in our community in multiple ways.”

“Chris embodies the absolute core values of our law firm”, said Managing Partner Vincent J. Bartolotta Jr. “Chris possesses an authentic sense of integrity, going to work every day with a philosophy and mission of making lives better, with his unique level of experience”.

Hulburt began his legal career as a University of San Diego law clerk working at Thorsnes Bartolotta. During this time, he led USD’s mock trial team to the national finals in Washington DC. Hulburt was hired upon graduation, and his outstanding courtroom performance for clients, soon led to his promotion to partner.

In 2000, Hulburt left to start his own firm, continuing to specialize in seeking justice for clients harmed by people, products, or companies they trusted. While pursuing a successful career, Hulburt dedicated time to providing insight and guidance to his peers as a prolific speaker and seminar leader. He returned to his alma mater, coaching the USD mock trial team to a national championship, and taught trial practice skills at USD School of Law for 15 years. He served as President of the Consumer Attorneys of San Diego, holds membership as an Associate in the prestigious American Board of Trial Advocates, and was a Master in the Louis B. Welsh Inn of Court.

In 2015 Hulburt developed a part-time mediation practice at West Coast Resolution Group. His unique combination of courtroom trial skills and mastery of the mediation process made him much in-demand among lawyers on both sides for his thoughtful listening, ability to name and hold the emotions behind the story, and keen insight to forge creative solutions. Hulburt and his wife live in Pacific Beach. They have four adult children, and five grandchildren.

About Thorsnes Bartolotta McGuire

Founded in 1978, our team at Thorsnes Bartolotta McGuire LLP has built our practice by providing quality, straightforward legal guidance to our clients.

**CONSTRUCTION**

**Office Opening**

Skyline Construction Enterprises, Inc. has opened an office in San Diego, CA, a major step in the commercial real estate and construction holding company’s nationwide expansion plan. With this location, the company will be able to service clients throughout Southern California including Orange County, the Inland Empire and San Diego, complementing their existing locations in Seattle, Chicago and the San Francisco Bay Area.

Skyline’s Southern California expansion will be led by two seasoned industry veterans, **Rene Olivo** and **Sean Holliday**. Under their leadership, Skyline will provide construction services in the areas of commercial interiors and capital improvements which includes ground-up office buildings, multi-family residential, hospitality, building repositioning, mission critical and life science projects.

Olivo, a San Diego native, joined the Skyline family of companies last year after a long career leading Rudolph & Sletten’s Southern California region. He currently oversees the company’s commercial interiors division throughout California, with a desire to grow into the life science market.

Holliday is a former executive of Balfour Beatty, and joined Skyline in 2016 before successfully launching Skyline Capital Builders in 2019, growing the firm’s ground-up division into a thriving business.

The two have established an office in Sorrento Valley and have hired a growing workforce to begin servicing existing clients in the region. Their key hires include a Project Executive, a Director of Preconstruction and a team of 10 local professionals to run the firm’s day to day construction operations. This team brings over 20 years of Southern California construction experience in the areas of ground up commercial office, retail, hospitality and multi-family residential construction.

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