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LEGAL
New Hires



Steven Otto

Steven Otto has joined **Crosbie Gliner Schiffman Southard & Swanson LLP (CGS3)**, a Southern California-based commercial real estate law firm, as a partner in the firm's San Diego offices. Previously a senior attorney with Pinnacle West Capital Corporation, he joins CGS3's general real estate practice.

According to CGS3 founding partner Sean Southard, Otto has special expertise in assisting clients in the energy sectors – drawing on his engineering degree from the United States Naval Academy as well as his military service. “Steven is an exceptionally talented and knowledgeable attorney with unmatched experience in technically complex matters, and will be invaluable to CGS3 as we continue to provide a best-in-class experience to clients in California and beyond.”

Otto's expertise spans the acquisition, development, leasing, licensing and sale of office, industrial and retail portfolios, power plants and mixed-use office/retail projects. In addition, he has negotiated master developer and merchant builder and private party development agreements for retail shopping complexes and residential developments. His clients have included international firms and public companies, REITs, developers and private joint ventures, and he has played a key role supporting one of the largest nuclear power-generating sites in the country.

Prior to joining CGS3, Otto also worked for several top tier San Diego law firms including Luce Forward Hamilton & Scripps (now Dentons), where he became a partner.

He holds an M.B.A. from the Rady School of Management at UC San Diego, a J.D. from The George Washington University Law School, and a Bachelor of Science degree in engineering from the United States Naval Academy.

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ENGINEERING
New Hire



Tom Canady

NOVA Services, Inc., a geotechnical engineering and special inspection/materials testing firm, welcomes **Tom Canady**, PE to the team as a Principal Engineer in our San Diego office. Tom has over 30 years of experience performing and managing engineering, testing, and inspection services and providing oversight of laboratory programs. With his industry knowledge and accomplished reputation, his primary role is to lead the growth of NOVA Services' engineering department in the southern California region. Tom is a member of ASCE and is a board member of the San Diego Transportation Development Association. In addition, he serves as an ACI Certification Examiner of Record.

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