## Mark Edwards, AIA

**Executive Vice President and Chief Operations Officer** 

## "Diverse experience brings an insider's understanding of the interconnection of tasks."

Mark Edwards is a licensed architect with a distinctive sense of the planning, design, and construction industry built over a 40-year career. He has worked not only as an architect but also for general contractors as a project superintendent, scheduler and program manager. His work for subcontractors includes the post of marketing director for a fabricator/installer of high-end architectural metals. And covering the spectrum, he has provided owner-representative services as a planner and as program, project, and construction manager.

The value of this diverse experience to Mark's current and future clients comes from his deep understanding—an insider's understanding—of the detailed tasks they must perform. Most importantly, Mark understands the necessary interconnection among all parties to achieve project success.

Along with diverse project roles and technical fields, Mark's experience encompasses a very wide variety of project and construction types. His expertise is both broad *and* deep.



YEARS OF EXPERIENCE 38 + Years

EDUCATION Claremont Men's College Claremont, California

> LICENSE Licensed Architect State of California (CA #9718)

## Among his many successes are:

Facilities Planning and Design Management Licensed architect with a distinctive, broad perspective into the management of planning and design.

Construction Management Insider expertise from working for general and subcontractors, materials fabricators, and construction management firms.

Program Operations Management Comprehensive experience inside institutional facilities operations plus direct management of \$350-\$195- and \$56-million multi-project capital improvement programs.

## Areas of Project Expertise

- Management of design and construction processes
- · Constructability reviews
- · Team hiring, training and guidance
- Budget/cost reporting systems
- · Client-consultant liaison
- · Regulatory board reporting and liaison
- · Campus and facilities master planning
- System and procedure administration
- Construction conflict resolution management