



## HMC News Release

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### HMC Hires John Phung, AIA, LEED® AP, as Senior Project Designer

SAN DIEGO, Calif., August 2008—John Phung, AIA, LEED AP, has joined HMC Architects as a senior project designer in the firm's San Diego studio.

Phung's design experience includes work on Children's Hospital facilities in Los Angeles and Chicago, retail and entertainment centers in Las Vegas and Hollywood, as well as numerous K12 schools in Los Angeles, San Diego, Newport Beach, and other Southern California cities.

According to David Rova, managing principal and design director of HMC's San Diego studio, "John brings another level of innovation to our design of extraordinary architecture. His care and passion in creating the right environment for our clients and their diverse communities blends perfectly with our mission."

Phung is also a founding board member of the Futuro College Prep Charter School in Los Angeles and remains active with many other non-profit organizations, including Habitat for Humanity, Reaching to Embrace the Arts, and the Los Angeles Firecracker Run.

Fluent in Chinese, Phung also has international experience, having studied in Florence, Italy, while pursuing his bachelor's degree in architecture from California State Polytechnic University, Pomona. His international architecture experience includes the Knox City Retail Center in Australia and the Botany Downs Center in New Zealand.

"We are very excited to have John on our team," said Randy Peterson, FAIA, LEED AP, HMC's president and CEO. "He not only has extensive background designing educational and healthcare facilities, but experience working as a volunteer for non-profit organizations that mirror the interests of our clients."

Throughout its history, HMC Architects has established a reputation as an award-winning design firm and thought leader for education, healthcare, and government facilities. Founded in 1940, HMC is one of the most prominent planning and design firms with offices strategically located throughout the West. To learn more about HMC Architects or to arrange interviews with the firm's executive leadership, please contact Tracy Black at (800) 350-9979, or [tracy.black@hmcarchitects.com](mailto:tracy.black@hmcarchitects.com) and visit [www.hmcarchitects.com](http://www.hmcarchitects.com).