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Todd DeGarmo joined the Washington, DC office of STUDIOS over twenty years ago. In 1995 he founded the firm's New York office and in 2005 was named CEO. Todd's expertise is in guiding clients through complex projects that include site search, strategic and master planning, design, and construction. He has considerable experience helping emerging and established organizations envision new work environments that support and integrate their culture, work processes, technology and brand. He has helped develop new work models for such diverse clients as Bloomberg, IAC, and Dow Jones.

Todd's innovative design thinking extends beyond private clients to academic, government, non-profit, and cultural institutions. STUDIOS' 2010 interior renovation of the Pentagon and numerous projects for the U.S. General Services Administration are redefining the public sector workplace at the Federal level. In 2009, STUDIOS was selected to design two new USO Family Centers for Wounded Warriors at Fort Belvoir and Bethesda. These centers give troops recovering from war wounds and injuries access to state-of-the-art, ADA-compliant spaces to relax, have fun and learn away from the grind of the hospital.

A strong proponent of sustainable design, Todd has led teams in the design of groundbreaking, carbon-neutral projects, including the Kingman Island Environmental Education Center and the renovation of the Headquarters for the American Institute of Architects, both in Washington, DC.

Todd's work has received numerous awards and has been featured in publications such as *The New York Times*, *WIRED*, *Metropolis*, *Bloomberg BusinessWeek*, *The Wall Street Journal*, *Interior Design*, *Architect* and *Architectural Record*. Past speaking engagements have included the National Building Museum's Spotlight on Design, the Boston Fulbright Committee and CoreNet Global. Todd is a member of the Partnership for New York City, a Trustee of the University of Cincinnati Foundation and is on the Board of the New York Restoration Project and the National Building Museum. Todd is a Fellow of the American Institute of Architects, and in 2007 was inducted into Interior Design Magazine's Hall of Fame.