



Scott Terrell

Scott Terrell has been the Director of Government Relations at AIA California for just under 2 years. He came to AIA California with legislative leadership experience in both houses of the California State Legislature, having served most recently as a Legislative Director in the CA State Senate. During his tenure at the State Capitol, Scott managed dynamic legislative packages for various members of both houses of the legislature, helping to accomplish qualitative and quantitative successes for the people of California.

Having come from a marketing background, he believes that effective advocacy is not one-size-fits-all and must take into account the diversity of our great state. He is most proud of being able to bring people together and build bipartisan coalitions around issues of importance. Having grown up in California's Central Valley, he originally chose a career in policy and advocacy because of his passion for advocating for those whose voices are often not heard. He is proud to use that passion to advance the voice of architects in California and support them in their endeavor to, "create more livable communities, sustainable designs and quality of work environments."