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His contributions to the region are recognized both by the profession and beyond. He has been awarded a Presidential Citation by the AIA California Council (AIACC) for changing the face of architecture in Los Angeles, and Coro Southern California presented Rob with the Crystal Eagle Award for civic leadership. He serves on the Boards of Gensler, the Los Angeles Business Council, Central City Association of Los Angeles, Los Angeles Area Chamber of Commerce, Town Hall Los Angeles, World Trade Center Los Angeles, and the Jonathan Club.