

David Garay
California Business



David Garay has been involved in commercial real estate management, finance and marketing since 1990. Prior to joining Arcadia Management Group, Garay started and managed his own commercial property management company and enjoyed a successful career at one of the top media companies in the country. He holds a Masters Degree from the Graziadio School of Business and Management at Pepperdine University and is a licensed real estate broker.

Garay began his career in facilities management of more than one million square feet of retail, office and industrial space for the Los Angeles Times. In that role, he was instrumental in the acquisition and management of thirty new distribution centers with more than 1.3 million square feet of project space. His success in facilities management landed Garay a promotion to direct the company's financial planning efforts. His leadership, discipline, and creativity in the efficient and effective use of resources resulted in a significant reduction of the company's operating expense. This success led to executive assignments in Sales and Marketing during a time of significant sales declines.

Prior to his return to real estate management, Garay accomplished unprecedented growth of the Los Angeles Times business in the developing markets of the Inland Empire and the fast growing population from Korea and China. This success was accomplished with a focus on developing and sustaining strategic partnerships with related communities, commerce and media outlets.

Garay returned to real estate asset management as an entrepreneur where he would leverage his vast experience to provide the highest quality commercial property management services in the marketplace. Currently, Garay serves as a director of Arcadia Management Group and is leading its expansion into California.

Garay is a member of International Council of Shopping Centers (ICSC) and is active in a variety of charitable organizations in Southern California, including the Los Angeles chapter for Finding Missing Children.