## **COMPANY FACT SHEET**

# **SMITHGROUP**

Design a Better Future

#### **OVERVIEW**

SmithGroup is one of the world's preeminent integrated design firms. Working across a network of 12 offices in the U.S. and China, a team of 1,300 experts is committed to excellence in strategy, design and delivery. The scale of the firm's thinking and organization produces partnerships with forward-looking clients that maximize opportunities, minimize risk and solve their most complex problems. SmithGroup creates exceptional design solutions for healthcare, science and technology organizations, higher education and cultural institutions, urban environments, diverse workplaces, mixed-use and waterfront developments, and parks and open spaces.

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#### LOCATIONS

SmithGroup leadership and design talent are spread among 12 offices in the United States and China.

Ann Arbor

Boston

Chicago

Dallas

Detroit

Los Angeles

Madison

Phoenix

San Diego

San Francisco

Shanghai

Washington, D.C.

#### **MARKETS**

Cultural

Government

Healthcare

**Higher Education** 

Mixed Use

Parks & Open Spaces

Science & Technology

**Urban Environments** 

Waterfront

Workplace

## **SERVICES**

Architecture

**Building Enclosure Consulting** 

**Building Engineering** 

Campus Planning

Civil Engineering

Coastal Engineering

Historic Preservation

Interiors

Lab Planning

Landscape Architecture

Lighting Design

Medical Planning

Programming

Strategy

Sustainable Design

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#### **LEADERSHIP**

#### MANAGING PARTNERS

Mike Medici, AIA - President
Russ Sykes, PE, LEED AP BD+C
Troy Thompson, AIA, LEED AP BD+C

#### **BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

Bonnie Khang-Keating
Chris Purdy, AIA, LEED AP
Joyce Polhamus, FAIA, EDAC, LEED AP
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Roxanne Malek, AIA, LEED AP BD+C
Russ Sykes, PE, LEED AP BD+C
Sven Shockey, AIA, LEED AP BD+C
Tom Mroz, ASLA, LEED AP

### **REVENUE**

\$256.7 million, gross (2017)

#### **RANKINGS**

Architect Magazine Architect 50

World Architecture WA100

Building Design + Construction Giants 300

Engineering News-Record Top 100 Design Firms

Detroit Free Press Top Workplaces - 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017

Chicago Tribune Top Workplaces - 2017

#### **OUR HISTORY**

Sheldon Smith, born in 1818, launched a career in architecture sensing that there would be opportunity in the newly formed states and growing territories of the United States. Smith founded his practice in 1853, first in Sandusky, Ohio, and later migrated to Detroit, Michigan where the firm has been in practice since 1855.

At the turn of the 20th century, Smith's grandson Fred Smith had the foresight to add engineering to the firm's architecture practice, creating the country's earliest integrated design services firm. This model of multidisciplinary collaboration endures today, as does the Smith name.

### **OUR NAME**

We feel strongly about what our name embodies. It reflects this company's evolution from several talented regional practices to a unified, award-winning, integrated design firm practicing around the globe. It honors our founder Sheldon Smith yet acknowledges that today we are stronger when we operate as a team. And it signifies that no single person, market, or location is responsible for the firm's success. That's why the proper spelling and capitalization of our name is SmithGroup—capital S and capital G, no spaces.



**1,300 STAFF** 



12 OFFICES



**WORK ON 6 CONTINENTS**