PGAL—headquartered in Houston—provides planning, architecture, engineering, interior architecture and program management services for public and private sector clients. Founded in 1946, the firm has 10 offices in the U.S. and Mexico.

National architecture/engineering firm PGAL welcomes Claudia Williamson as Director of Business Development.

A 20-year business development strategist, Claudia most recently served as government relations director for a national civil engineering company. Previously, she was a principal in a woman-owned-enterprise with a diverse client roster, including large urban K-12 and community college districts, and a national artist housing developer.

Williamson has received Houston mayoral board and commission appointments to Harris-Galveston Subsidence District, Term Limit Commission, and the Houston Area Water Corporation, where she spearheaded the development of the WaterWorks Education Center.

Currently, she serves as board chair of Scenic Houston and advisory board member for the University of Houston Hobby Center for Public Policy. She is also active with the Greater Houston Partnership and the Houston Council of Engineering Companies. A magna cum laude graduate of University of Houston, Williamson is a frequent speaker on a variety of business and leadership topics.

“Claudia’s proven civic commitment and experience with both public and private entities, combined with her exceptional communications skills make her a perfect fit for our corporate culture,” commented PGAL Principal/CEO Jeff Gerber, AIA, LEED AP BD+C. “She will be an asset to PGAL and our clients.”