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Biography

Ryan Sandstrom is a licensed professional and structural engineer with over 9 years of experience performing new and retrofit designs, forensic damage investigations, and code analyses. His structural engineering experience includes new designs, tenant improvements, and seismic retrofits of research laboratories and classroom buildings at educational institutions, and neurointerventional and radiology facilities at healthcare institutions. He also has experience in the forensic investigation of residential, commercial, institutional, educational, and healthcare facilities.

Ryan is efficient and effective in opining on the cause and extent of damage, conducting code analyses related to required upgrades or retrofit work, and providing repair recommendations and/or engineered repair drawings.

Credentials

- SE | Structural Engineer
- PE | Professional Engineer

Representative Consulting Assignments

- Commercial Building Partial Roof Collapse | Torrance, CA | Investigation of collapse cause and mediation support services.
- Biological Science Center | Tempe, AZ | Design of new 180,000 SF structure.
- Clinical and Translational Research Facility | La Jolla, CA | Design of new 365,000 SF structure.
- Clinical Development Center | Santa Clarita, CA | Investigation of structural fire damage and pre-lawsuit support services.
- Commercial Building Sinkhole | Trona, CA | Investigation of structural damage due to sinkhole.
- Commercial Building Explosion | Los Angeles, CA | Investigation of structural damage.
- Luxury Multifamily Condominiums | Beverly Hills, CA | Design of new 120 unit condominium structure.

Professional Experience

- 2020 2023 | Senior Project Manager | YA Engineering Services
- 2023 Current | Director, Engineering | YA Engineering Services
- 2019 2020 | Director of Forensics | John Labib + Associates
- 2016 2019 | Structural Engineer Forensic Consultant | Envista Forensics
- 2011 2016 | Structural Engineer and Project Manager, | KPFF Consulting Engineers

Area of Practice

- Building Code Upgrade Review
- Building Envelope

- Damage Assessment
- Failure Analysis
- Repair and Rehabilitation Design
- Structural Analysis

Education

- California Polytechnic State University Master of Science San Luis Obispo
- California Polytechnic State University Bachelor of Science San Luis Obispo

Affiliations

- Structural Engineers Association of Southern California (SEAOSC)
- American Concrete Institute (ACI)
- American Society of Civil Engineers (ASCE)

Licenses

- 64133 Arizona Professional Engineer (Structural)
- 6364 California Structural Engineer
- 80728 California Civil Engineer
- 52867 Colorado Professional Engineer
- 24603 Nevada Structural Engineer
- 128136 Texas Professional Engineer