

Valerie Hernandez Named a Finalist for the San Diego Business Journal's Indispensable Award

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Valerie Hernandez, Office Operations Manager for HLB's San Diego office, recognized as a finalist for the [*San Diego Business Journal's Indispensable Award*](#).

Since joining HLB in February 2005, Valerie has been a valued member of our San Diego office, known for her dedication, reliability, and steady support of the people around her. What began as a role in a law firm library grew into a career defined by a strong work ethic, sound judgment, and deep institutional knowledge.

Valerie keeps the San Diego office running smoothly. She's a mentor, a problem-solver, and a trusted resource for attorneys and staff across our offices, including San Diego, Denver, Washington, DC, Boston, San Francisco, and Los Angeles. She helps train new team members and is often the person others turn to for guidance.

Valerie remains humble and quick to lift others up. She meets challenges with grace and optimism, bringing both skill and heart to her work every day.