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Otak, Inc. Names Two New Principals

PORTLAND, Oregon – August 8, 2012–Otak, Inc., an international award-winning engineering, urban design, architecture and planning firm, is pleased to announce the elevation of Kevin Timmins and Doug Sarkkinen to Principal status within Otak.

Kevin Timmins is a senior water resources engineer working out of Otak's office in Lake Oswego, Oregon. Mr. Timmins has spent his entire 13-year career at Otak and has served as project manager on numerous public projects in Oregon and Washington, including the award-winning Cedar Creek Culvert to Bridge project in Sherwood, Oregon, and the East Lents Floodplain Restoration in Portland, Oregon. He has also served, for the past nine years, as chair of the Water Resources Committee for the Oregon Chapter of the American Public Works Association.

Doug Sarkkinen is a senior structural engineer working out of Otak's office in Vancouver, Washington. Mr. Sarkkinen has more than 24 years of professional experience. He has extensive expertise with concrete structures and bridges and is a highly sought after forensic and expert witness. Recent design projects include two pedestrian suspension bridges in the Olympic National Park, as well as the 385-foot span cable stay Spring Creek Bridge in Winthrop, Washington. Throughout his career, Mr. Sarkkinen has authored 16 papers presented at various technical conferences including the American Concrete Institute, the American Society of Civil Engineers and the Post-Tensioning Institute.

"I am both pleased and proud that Otak's current Principals have recognized these two very talented individuals for their excellent work on behalf of our clients," commented R. Nicholas Loope, FAIA, Otak's president and CEO. "These two dedicated professionals have been and will continue to be key to Otak's growth and success."

About Otak, Inc.

Otak, Inc., a HanmiGlobal Partner, is an international award-winning engineering, urban design, architecture and planning firm specializing in regional planning; public works; transit, residential, commercial, industrial and mixed-use developments; and civic, institutional and recreational projects. The firm is working on numerous significant public and private projects in the Western United States, Asia and the Middle East. In 2011, Otak became a global strategic partner of HanmiGlobal Co. Ltd., one of the largest construction management and project management firms in the world. Otak has offices in Washington, Oregon, Colorado, Arizona and Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates. For more information, please visit www.otak.com and www.hmglobal.com.