



# POWER HOUR

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BIO



## **Daniel M. Gilbane | Division Leader, Gilbane Southwest**

Dan serves as the Division Leader for Gilbane Southwest with responsibility for operations across the southwestern United States and Mexico. Gilbane Southwest is the largest division of Gilbane Building Company, a \$6 billion national commercial contractor, and has been involved in building many of the region's most complex and prominent projects such as the ExxonMobil Campus, George R Brown Convention Center and Hilton America's Hotel, the Moody Gardens complex, NASA's Johnson Space Center, Hess Tower, Kinder Morgan Tower, the Tarrant County Family Law Center and Court House, the Mickey Leland Federal Building, the Galveston County Criminal Justice Center, Rice University's Jones School (McNair Hall) and Brockman Hall of Physics, the Harris County Criminal Justice Center and the Mitchell Research Building at MD Anderson. Dan is a 5th generation leader of Gilbane Building Company, a family business founded by his grandfather's grandfather in 1873.

Prior to joining Gilbane Dan worked in investment banking and private equity for Donaldson, Lufkin & Jenrette, ING Barings Furman Selz, ABN Amro, and Morgan Stanley Real Estate Fund. Dan graduated from Brown University with a bachelor's degree in International Relations and was a four-year Varsity Letter winner in Lacrosse and a member of the 1995 Ivy League Championship team. Dan received his MBA from the Harvard Business School, where he served on the Student Association. He is an Eagle Scout.

Dan is on the Board of the Greater Houston Partnership, where he serves on the Executive Committee and as the Board Chair of UpSkill Houston a workforce development program. Dan also serves on several private company Boards and is also involved in several local and national non-profit boards. Dan is married to his high school sweetheart, Eleanor who is an attorney and 7th generation Texan. They have three children.



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