

**Dennis E. Noll**  
**President and Chief Executive Officer**  
**San Antonio Area Foundation**

The San Antonio Area Foundation Board of Directors has named Dennis E. Noll, a seasoned member of San Antonio's corporate community, as its President and Chief Executive Officer, effective August 15, 2011. Noll retired from Kinetic Concepts, Inc. in 2007 after 15 years with the company, where he was Senior Vice President and General Counsel. He played an important role in helping to grow KCI's revenue to \$1.3 billion during that time and led a successful legal team that prevailed in the company's protracted patent and antitrust litigation. He was also very community-conscious during his time at the company, having created and led the company's internal United Way – the Servant's Heart Foundation. Prior to joining KCI, Noll was a partner at Cox Smith, where he chaired the firm's Corporate and Securities Department for six years. During the past 25 years, Noll has served on the boards of more than a dozen charities and two private foundations. Noll graduated summa cum laude in 1976 from St. Vincent College in Latrobe, Pennsylvania, with a degree in Philosophy. He earned his J.D. from Georgetown University Law School in 1980.

**Executive Profile**

Seasoned Senior Executive with Charity, Foundation and Fundraising Experience

**Skill Highlights**

- 15 years of senior executive experience with a major medical device company (NYSE: KCI)
- 10 years of experience helping various charities build their capabilities and capacity
- 8 years of experience running two private foundations
- Excellent leadership and communication skills
- Strong track record of execution against strategic objectives

**Professional Experience**

**President and CEO**  
San Antonio Area Foundation

8/2011 - Current  
San Antonio, Texas

**Senior Vice President and General Counsel**  
CeloNova BioSciences, Inc.

8/2010 – 8/2011  
Peachtree City, Georgia

Responsible for Legal, Regulatory and Community Affairs

**President and CEO**  
Birnam Oaks Foundation

3/2005 - Current  
San Antonio, Texas

Responsible for all aspects of running our family foundation  
Mentored 10+ local charities on Strategic Planning, Capacity Building and Fundraising

**Senior Vice President and General Counsel**  
Kinetic Concepts, Inc

2/1992 - 1/2007  
San Antonio, Texas

Assisted in growing KCI's revenue from \$50m to \$1.3b  
Lead teams that went 8-0 in major patent and antitrust litigation  
Lead a team that obtained 1 of only 3 HCPCS codes granted by Medicare in a 7-year period  
Created and lead the Servant's Heart Foundation, KCI's internal "United Way"

**Partner** 7/1984 - 1/1992  
Cox Smith San Antonio, Texas

Chaired the Firm's Corporate and Securities Department from 1986-92

**Associate Attorney** 8/1980 - 7/1984  
Phelps Dunbar New Orleans, Louisiana

## **Education**

**J.D.: Georgetown University Law School --** 1980  
Washington, D.C.

**B.A.: St Vincent College – Philosophy** 1976  
Latrobe, Pennsylvania  
Summa Cum Laude

## **Community Service**

Returning Heroes Home

- Chairman, 2006- August 2011

The Arc of San Antonio Capital Campaign

- Chairman, 2007-2010

Kinetic Kids

- Board Member, 2008-10; Chairman, August 2011

Hill Country Daily Bread Capital Campaign

- Chairman, 2010-current

The Children's Shelter of San Antonio

- Board Member, 2002-10; Chairman, 2006-08

Haven for Hope

- Steering Committee, 2007-10

The Children's Shelter Foundation

- Trustee, 2009-current

Christian Hope Resource Center

- Advisory Board, 2009-current

The Lighthouse for the Blind

- Advisory Board, 2010-current

The Miracle Foundation

- Board Member, 2003-2007

Texas Burn Survivors

- Board Member, 2002-06

March of Dimes, San Antonio Chapter

- Board Member, 1994-6

Christian Heritage School

- Board Member, 1991-94

## **Awards**

2008 ARC of San Antonio Gala Honoree (with my wife Martie Noll)

2010 Association of Fundraising Professionals "Volunteer Fundraiser of the Year"

2011 Angel of the Children's Shelter