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Kavin E. Griffin is the Executive Secretary-Treasurer & CEO of the Southern Regional Council of Carpenters, where he provides strategic leadership across one of the largest geographic footprints within the United Brotherhood of Carpenters. A third-generation carpenter with more than 34 years of experience in the construction industry and over 21 years as a union member, Griffin began his union career with Carpenters Local Union 429 in Arlington, Texas, and currently holds membership in Carpenters & Pile Drivers Local Union 1846 in New Orleans, Louisiana.

Prior to his election as Executive Secretary-Treasurer in 2023, Griffin served in numerous leadership capacities, including Trustee, Financial Secretary-Treasurer, current Delegate to the Regional Council, and Delegate to multiple UBC General Conventions. He is a journey-level carpenter with a specialization as a master cabinet and furniture maker, a former union contractor, and an accomplished instructor who trained apprentices and journey workers at local training centers and the UBC International Training Center.

Griffin earned his undergraduate business education through Texas A&M University and completed certifications and a specialization through Harvard Business School. He is dedicated to advancing membership growth, workforce development, organizational excellence, financial stewardship, and market expansion throughout the construction industry while strengthening opportunities for union members and signatory partners alike.