



Hector Santiago, born and raised in Newark, NJ, is a professional baseball pitcher for the Los Angeles Angels. A local boy making it BIG is a cool enough story, right? It gets better! Those of you who are clients of **PARflooring** have no doubt had flooring over the years installed by his father, Hector Santiago, Sr. Let's sweeten the pot — Recently, PARflooring, in partnership with Corporate Contracting, Inc., completed the fit out of the state of the art studios for **MLB Network** in Secaucus, NJ. The Los Angeles Angels played the Yankees in New York this month, and while Hector Santiago was so close to home the **MLB Network** invited our local boy over for an interview. **This humble, 2015 American League All Star Team Pitcher surprises us and discusses our flooring installation during the interview** and they even show a picture of our flooring! Way to keep it real man — unbelievable!



TeamPAR is very proud of Hector Santiago's accomplishments and loves what he is doing philanthropically for the little league in Newark and through Santiago's Soldiers. He is paying it forward and not forgetting where he came from. Now, how do we get you traded to the Yankees?!

Watch the full interview on [MLB.com](#) here:



VCT - Design Driven Options Do Exist!

Standard VCT (Vinyl Composition Tile) has been a mainstay in commercial construction for over 50 years. Performance, durability, a deep color palette and reliable warranty all add to its value; but its inexpensive initial installation cost is the leading reason why VCT is specified over and over again.

VCT is manufactured from limestone, an abundant natural resource. This ensures costs remain competitive, but leaves an industrial look to the product. Leave it up to Armstrong to take a trusted material and make it more design driven for the A&D community! They have created Planks & Bio Based Tiles that are adding value to the industry. Welcome Raffia VCT + Striations & Migrations BBT Tiles. It's about time!



Why Use Raffia VCT?

- ✓ A new 12"X24" Plank format with a linear textural visual... A new spin on a trusted standard.
- ✓ Soft, tonal color steps offer muted, sophisticated pattern combinations.
- ✓ Includes pre & post-consumer recycled content & a true through pattern construction provides extended floor life - conscientious!

Why Use Striations & Migrations BBT Tiles?

- ✓ More than 5 times greater resistance to impact and more than 2-1/2 times greater resistance to cracking from uneven subfloors than standard VCT.
- ✓ Contains 10% pre-consumer recycled content & patent-pending BioStride polymer made with rapidly renewable, US-grown plant ingredients.
- ✓ Striations is offered in a linear visual, 12"X24" Plank & Migrations is offered in a traditional composite visual in a standard 12"X12" Tile - mingle and create fun patterns!

[Click here to learn more about VCT and other innovative flooring and design options.](#)

PROJECT HIGHLIGHT

PARflooring has the honor of upgrading a few of our regional VA Hospitals, through the partnership of Veteran owned, Regiment Construction. Currently, we are working at VA New Jersey Health Care System in East Orange, NJ. They have chosen to integrate approximately 30,000 SF of Armstrong Striations BBT into this hospital over 7 floors. PARflooring is installing 12"X24" planks in one color with a border in a complimentary color and adding a circular pattern at the elevator lobbies for interest. It is wonderful to see our veterans receiving a "green" floor that is visually attractive and will perform superior to the industrial looking standard VCT that has graced these halls for decades. Good use of our tax dollars!



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TEAMPAR SPOTLIGHT



On June 23, 2016 TeamPAR's President, Karen Rossilli-Kiefer, was one of 40 of New Jersey SmartCEO recipients of the 2016 Brava Awards.

The celebration took place at the Grand Marquis in Old Bridge, NJ

This year's class collectively generates more than \$2.83 billion in annual revenue and employs 14,457 individuals. The winners will be profiled in the July/August issue of SmartCEO magazine.

"Brava winners possess the hallmark qualities of successful leaders - vision, passion, compassion, dedication, perseverance. Each winner in this year's class exhibits these qualities in all facets of her life, from running her business to tending to her family and donating time and resources to philanthropic initiatives," says Jaime Nespor-Zawmon, president of SmartCEO. "We are honored to recognize a group of women who are truly making a difference in the world."

[Click here to read more about TeamPAR's own Karen Rossilli-Kiefer and the 2016 SmartCEO Brava Award Winners.](#)



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