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Overview

My wife, Stacie, and I moved our family to Harrison in 2002 having outgrown our starter home in Cheviot. We have 3 children. Our oldest, Kara Bischoff, is a graduate of William Henry Harrison High School and Northern Kentucky University. She currently lives in Columbus with her husband where she owns a photography business. Our son Jake is a graduate of William Henry Harrison High School and is living in North College Hill. Sam, our youngest, is entering his senior year at LaSalle High School. Stacie retired from her position teaching K-8 Art at St. John the Baptist School in 2023 to focus on an arts & crafts startup.

Throughout my career I've been able to serve some amazing clients including Swisscom, Sprint PCS, Fedex, General Electric, Johnson & Johnson, Luxottica, Quest Diagnostics and Kroger. As a consultant I've honed my problem solving skills and I lead large and small teams to collaboratively develop solutions to sticky business problems, skills that will serve me well on city council.

Employment

Systems Evolution, Inc. **September 2007 - Present**

Consultant working as a Developer, Tech Lead, Solutions Architect, and Product Manager for numerous Fortune 500 companies. Also a minority shareholder in our privately held business.

Sogeti (formerly Software Architects) **March 2006– August 2007**

Consultant working as a Solutions Architect at GE Aircraft Engines.

Convergys (formerly Cincinnati Bell Information Systems) **January 1997 – March 2006**

Software Developer servicing the telecom industry.

Education

Master of Science in Computer Science, Northern Kentucky University, May 2007

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science, University Of Cincinnati, December 1996

St. Xavier High School class of 1991

Public Sector Positions

Harrison Board of Zoning Appeals, 2022 - Present

Harrison Charter Review Commission, 2021

Northern Kentucky University College of Informatics Alumni Association, 2014 - 2020

President 2018-2020

Private Sector Positions

Boy Scouts of America, 1981 - Present

Numerous positions: Merit Badge Counselor, Assistant Scoutmaster, Troop Committee, Den Leader, Cubmaster, currently Scoutmaster of Boy Scout Troop 408

Harrison Knights of Columbus Council # 2633, 2019 - Present

Group Facilitator, Dave Ramsey's Financial Peace University, 2018 - 2019

Southwest Ohio Givecamp Non-Profit Selection Committee, 2015 - 2019

Dan Beard Eagle Scout Association, 2007 - 2019

Chairman 2008-2010

Director of Technology, St. John the Baptist School, 2003 - 2012