



~*~*~MEET A MEMBER MONDAY!~*~*~

Meet Tim Kramer, VP - Director of Operations for Draper and Kramer, Incorporated, managing senior housing developments, apartment communities and mixed use properties. While Tim comes from a family of property managers he shares the path that led him to follow in the family footsteps... “Although I am lucky enough to be a part of a family business, that was not my original career path. I was in a totally different industry. However, I have had part-time or summer employment with the firm for many years. When an entry-level opportunity arose at one of our sites, I took it as a way to learn more about the business. 30 years later...I'm still here!”

Tim gives most of the credit to his grandfather Ferd Kramer, who was amongst the first CPM's in Chicago. Had he not gotten the firm so involved with IREM, Tim says, “I may not have had all these great opportunities with IREM!”

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Fun Facts about Tim:

I am a former commercial pilot, but still fly for fun and the occasional business trip.

I am an avid baseball fan (go White Sox!) and love sailing, travelling with my family.

I also really love teaching and am lucky enough to be an IREM Instructor. Currently, I teach the RES201 and the FIN402 classes.

This past year, I was especially honored to be named to the IREM Board of Directors.

I know I speak for all of us at IREM Chicago, are honored to have him as a chapter member – give Tim is a BIG HELLO next time you see him at a luncheon.