

# CELEBRATING CAREERS IN CONSTRUCTION



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### How Did You Get Started In The Skilled Trades?

My father worked in the plumbing wholesale industry and pushed me to explore the option. When I was a kid we used to joke, "Who wants to sell toilets"!? Little did I know it was the perfect job for me!

### If You Could Do It All Over Again, Would You Choose The Same Career Path?

I have worked in a few different careers trying to find the perfect "fit" for me. I have enjoyed all of my endeavors, but, I can honestly say I LOVE this industry. The only thing I would do differently is get to this career sooner!

### What Do You Love About Your Career?

In the Kitchen and Bath industry I get to meet a ton of unique people! I work with other tradespeople that are extremely talented as well as vendors and manufacturers that provide amazing new products. There are always new and exciting experiences that make working fun. Seeing the projects completed really makes me feel great about our contributions here, but, I'm also so proud of the other local trades we get to work with to create the overall finished look! It's lovely to see how we are able to play a role in impacting someone's everyday life in a small way! I also truly enjoy the ongoing training/education, the connections I've made with others in the industry and being involved in community organizations.

### What's Your Advice For A Young Person Unsure About The Future And A Career Path?

Be open-minded. If I had taken my first impression of this industry to heart I never would have truly understood it in detail. In the same sense try new things! Throughout all of my working experiences I opened new doors for myself by branching out and learning about other areas of the business.



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