

The Cradle Welcomes Four New Board Members

George Wilkins is a Managing Director at JPMorganChase. He has been with the firm for over 20 years and manages teams in Chicago and New York focused on delivering liquidity and capital markets access for clients across a variety of market sectors. Throughout his career, George has forged lasting relationships and supported his clients in difficult market environments and has helped them grow to achieve their strategic goals.

George grew up in Evanston with his mom and two younger brothers, attending Saint Athanasius grade school and Loyola Academy. He has strong ties to the community and is the 3rd generation in Evanston - growing up a stone's throw from The Cradle. George and his two high school aged kids love to escape to the mountains to ski, hike and mountain bike.

George brings not only his affinity for The Cradle and his community roots, but also his experience in helping enterprises grow. George has a Finance degree from Michigan State University and an MBA in Finance and Strategy from The University of Chicago Booth School of Business.



George shared the following regarding his connection to The Cradle's mission:

As my children have gotten older, I have found myself with more free time than I've had previously. After spending most of my life in Evanston, I am eager to spend more time focused on giving back to my community and utilizing my leadership skills and business acumen to add value to The Cradle as a board member. I am excited about the new vision statement and expanded direction of the organization.