

10 Things

That Make Me Happy in My Career

1. Making a difference.

“This career gives me the opportunity to make a difference in people’s lives. Providing them with the opportunity to live in affordable housing is wonderful.”

2. Teaching others.

“I teach classes at the Greater Cincinnati Northern Kentucky Apartment Association. It’s great to be able to share stories, experiences and ideas with others in the field. Plus, it gives me the opportunity to network!”

3. The people.

“You never know who you’re going to meet! I love meeting new people and hearing their stories about what brought them to my community.”

4. It’s never boring.

“No two days are alike. A day at work makes me think of Forrest Gump’s famous quote: ‘Life is like a box of chocolates. You never know what you’re gonna get.’ Life in property management definitely is never boring.”

5. Positively impacting my community.

“By providing quality housing and caring about the community, I am able to promote the apartment lifestyle and have an impact on our neighbors. I take pride in the communities we live in and I want to be an integral part of helping our communities to be the best they can be.”

6. Relaxation time.

“On a personal note, there’s always a cool place for me to go swimming in the summer—the community pool! I can check out the community and relax at the same time.”

7. My company.

“I’ve worked at Berkshire Realty Group (BRG) since April 2005, but I’ve been in the industry for almost 19 years and have worked for several wonderful companies. I am in a position in which I can make a difference not only with our managers, but also with the company as a whole. It’s exciting to be working with such a great group of people. I’m proud to be a part of the BRG family!”

8. Improving properties.

“I absolutely love when we take over a new property and are able to improve it. It’s a great feeling to be able to change the community for the better.”

9. My friends.

“I’ve made so many wonderful friends over the years, and I love seeing everyone change, get married, have children and grow in the industry. These are relationships that I would not change for anything.”

10. Continued education.

“There’s always something new to learn, whether it’s new laws, sales techniques, policies or environmental issues. Things are always changing.” ■

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Photo: Robin (top right) stands with daughter Tina, age 15, and son Willie, age 8.