

Habitat Williamson-Maury Board Member

Kurt Alexander



Kurt is a Senior Financial Analyst at HCA Healthcare where he is helping build the organization's FinOps discipline. Kurt's role involves "bridging the gap" between Cloud Engineering and Finance teams and building a culture of accountability around cloud spending. As an engineer at heart, he enjoys problem-solving and helping groups with different priorities come together and work toward a common goal.

Kurt's involvement with Habitat began years ago when he participated on various builds as a young adult. He joined the HFHWM board as an intern in 2017 and became a voting member in 2018. His favorite description of Habitat is the phrase "a hand up, not a handout." Habitat gives more than a house, they give a home. For most people, homes conjure visions of safety and security. That's what Habitat provides to qualifying families. It's more than a house, it's financial counseling, it's lessons on the unexpected parts of owning a home, it's the appreciation instilled by the 200+ hours of "sweat equity" each homeowner must dedicate prior to completing the program. And each time a homeowner completes the program, they

change the direction of their entire family for generations.

In addition to Habitat for Humanity, Kurt also serves as Co-Chair of HCA's Caring for the Community Campaign, an enterprise-wide program encouraging all 280,000 employees to volunteer their time and give to charities. He also organizes monthly blood drives in partnership with the American Red Cross on HCA's Corporate campus.

A transplant from Colorado, Kurt has been in Nashville since 2007, which he claims is close enough to being a native. As a newlywed, Kurt spends lots of time with his wife Kellie and their dog Malcolm, a double-doodle (look it up, he didn't know they existed either).