

GET TO KNOW ...

Director of
Information Technology

Richard Albrecht

Hometown:
Skokie, Illinois

Family Members:
Lisa (wife); Lori, Amy, Chris,
and Kim (children)

If you could travel anywhere, where would it be? Europe. **Why?** I want to see things older than 250 years, like in Greece.

What is your greatest accomplishment outside of your career? My kids.

What is your favorite animal? Dogs. **Why?** They are loyal and love you without compromise.

What are your hobbies outside of work? I enjoy gaming and photography.

What is your favorite type of music, band, and song? Blues, rock from the 60s, 70s, and 80s (the classics). So many songs to choose from, but probably Lucky Man, House of the Rising Sun, and Knights in White Satin.

Which historical figure would you most want to meet? Neil deGrasse Tyson, Carl Sagan, Stephen Hawking. **Why?** I just would like to talk with them.

What do you do to relax? I watch good movies or TV shows.

If you could play any sport professionally, what would it be? Baseball. **Why?** I loved playing Little League and tremendously enjoyed coaching my daughters in softball for 10 years.

Do you have a nickname? Online it's Hawkcode. **How did you get it?** I wanted a totally unique name and Code Hawk was taken. Code refers to programming.

If you could live anywhere, where would it be? Puerto Vallarta, and I am living there now. **Why?** NO SNOW and cold weather.

What is your favorite meal? Brisket the way my wife prepares it.

Are you a movie buff? Yes. **What is your favorite movie?** The Godfather, Schindler's List, Casablanca, African Queen, Citizen Kane, and many more.

What did you want to be when you were a child? Astronomer.

If you could choose to do anything for a day, what would it be? Fly a fighter jet.

Who would you want to be stranded with on a deserted island? My dog.

If you were a super-hero, what powers would you have? All of them.

