

I was born in Durham, NC, attended Northern Durham High School, and went on to NC State University where I earned a Civil Engineering degree in 1995. After graduating, I began working as a grading foreman for C.C. Mangum Company, a family owned heavy-highway construction company in Raleigh, NC. C.C. Mangum Company changed its name to Fred Smith Company in 2009. Throughout my career at Fred Smith Company, I have served in many positions with most of those years spent leading our estimating pursuits. In 2024, I was named as President of Fred Smith Company. I live in Durham, NC with my wife, Shawna, and have two daughters that are both currently attending college.