

Brain Gain

The best way to predict the future is to create it.

Aaron Selby, a 1999 Washington Catholic graduate, attended Vincennes University and received his Associates Degree in Business Administration in 2001. During the time he was in school he lived in Washington with his parents, Charlie Selby, Executive Director of the Daviess County Chamber of Commerce and Christa Selby, with Hoosier Insurance and Financial Services, Inc. After receiving his VU degree he decided to continue his education with a double major at Indiana University in Bloomington, Indiana and earned his Bachelors Degree in Marketing and Distribution Management. He returned home from Bloomington to Washington in 2003.

Aaron's degree from IU qualified him for an employment opportunity with Olon Industries about seven years ago. During these past seven years while working at Olon as Production Coordinator he went back to school via on-line classes and received his MBA in Applied Management. Aaron comments "I moved back to Washington to be close to family and friends and the opportunities that were present at the time, plus being able to be involved in the community". Aaron has volunteered for Relay for Life, Chamber of Commerce and IU Alumni events.

We asked Aaron why he thinks an educated person should move back to this area, he replied, "the southern part of the state has low crime rates, low cost of living and it is good for raising a family." He also added, "People wanting to move back to Washington should get involved in the community at an early age. Ask yourself what can you do for the community and opportunities will come from that".

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