



KEVIN GUTMAN

Bennett Contracting

Kevin is co-owner and Vice President of the full-service remodeling firm Bennett Contracting, based out of Albany, NY. Bennett provides residential and commercial renovations to existing structures in the Capital Region and surrounding areas. Kevin is responsible for the strategic oversight of sales, marketing, and production, while also handling recruitment and hiring.

After graduating from SUNY Geneseo with a bachelor's degree in Business Administration, Kevin went on to work in the financial industry in New York City. In 2011, he and his wife decided to make career changes together, leaving NYC and returning to the Albany area. Kevin was inspired by his father, who was co-owner of Bennett at the time, to join the Bennett team. Starting as a junior estimator/project manager, Kevin learned about every aspect of the remodeling industry and became an integral part of the sales and management team. By 2016, he had become Sales Manager and oversaw a team of 8 salespeople with over \$8 million in gross revenue.

Kevin's brother, Andrew Gutman, joined Bennett in 2016 as CFO and they began working with the current owners at the time, to develop a succession plan to purchase and transition ownership. In January 2019, they successfully completed the transition of the business and became 50/50 owners of Bennett. Kevin resides in the City of Albany with his wife, Jenna, daughter, Cora and dog, Lucy.