

**JUSTIN WUTZKE***2021 JCI USA Immediate Past President (IPP)*

When asked about what he does for a living, Justin tells people “I make ideas become a reality.” A graduate of Montana State University’s graphic arts program, Justin has spent his career creating unique pieces that tell a story in a beautiful and often unexpected way. His eye for the extraordinary supports his professional endeavors as the Owner/Creative Director of WUTZpossible.

Justin’s extensive Jaycee career began as one of the founding members of the Billings Jaycees in 2009. Already a vibrant and energetic professional within the community, he saw the need for new opportunities, networking and mentorship for young professionals in his community. Living by the motto “Make Your Own Luck,” Justin served as the Billings Jaycees Marketing VP and Membership VP (2009-2010), Billings Jaycees President (2011), Montana Jaycees Secretary/Newsletter Editor (2012), Montana Jaycees President (2013), Montana Jaycees Chairman of the Board and JCI USA National Program Manager for Shoot for Success (2014), JCI USA National Vice President (2015), JCI USA Chief of Staff (2016), JCI USA Advocacy Coordinator (Nothing But Nets) and JCI USA Presidential Assistant (2017), JCI USA Membership Development Director (2018), Inaugural JCI USA Deputy National President (2019), and asking the Jaycees to set their #Vision2020 as the 100th National President of JCI USA in 2020. Justin believes the foundational WHY of the Jaycees movement is EMPOWERMENT. No matter your personal or professional goals, the Jaycees is the vehicle to get you there! Together, we create positive change in ourselves through collective collaboration to make our communities and our world a better place than we found it. Justin has created, overseen and collaborated with committees—from his own local chapter to chapters in states across our great country—to make successful community projects for our members to learn, develop and grow.

When not on the job or engaging with the community, Justin enjoys getting out for a nice hike or a bike ride on the local trails in the Rocky Mountains. Everywhere he goes, you’ll most likely see his French Bulldog, Gary, following his every footstep. He also loves a good night out with friends and has been known to bring down the house with his wicked karaoke chops. Music, in fact, is a big part of his life and his iTunes collection would put Pandora to shame. Justin is forever grateful for the love and support he continually receives from his family, friends and members of the Jaycees organization. They are truly the driving force behind his passion to lead and provide development opportunities that empower young people to create positive change.

Justin has spent countless hours working within the Jaycees organization at every level. He has learned the processes and best practices of the organization and grasps the big picture of what a full Jaycees experience can do for an individual. He is continually working with chapters and members to help spark their passion and inspire them to tackle their goals and aspirations in life. Justin believes anything is possible as long as you put in the effort and do what you can to make it happen. The Jaycees organization is a catalyst to do exactly that!