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Tom is committed to advancing the performance of an organization's two most valuable assets - the workforce and the workplace - by providing solutions that increase individual competency, business sustainability, and organizational longevity.

Since joining the management consulting firm of Booz Allen Hamilton in 2008, Tom has been responsible for providing facilities & asset management consulting and support services to help clients and Booz Allen colleagues develop vision, strategies and solutions that shape, improve and optimize the built environment.

Additionally, he leads development of differentiated Asset Management and portfolio optimization processes and enabling tools to support other Booz Allen senior leaders deliver tailored service offering capabilities and solutions to their respective client markets. He retired from US Air Force active duty as a Lieutenant Colonel, after serving 20 years of leading and managing programs that directed the development, acquisition, sustainment and protection of facilities at military installations throughout the U.S., Europe, Asia and the Middle East.

Tom joined IFMA in 1998, and served in a variety of leadership roles at the chapter, committee, and governance board levels. He served on the team of FM professionals who provided the subject matter expertise that validated the job task competencies questions used for the Certified Facility Manager exam. He also was a member of IFMA's Board of Directors from 2005 to 2011, and served as the board chairman from 2009-2010. In 2012, he received the IFMA Chairman's Citation and was inducted into the IFMA Fellow's Class of 2013. Tom currently serves a director on the National Institute of Building Science's Board of Directors, and as Vice Chairman, Professional Certifications & Partnerships on the Society of American Military Engineer's National Facility Asset Management Committee.

A Certified Facility Manager, as well as trained On-Scene Commander and Base Fire Marshal, Tom earned a Bachelor of Science degree in Architectural Studies, a Master's level certificate in Facility Management, a Master of Arts in Management, and a Master of Military Operational Arts and Science degree from Air University. He's also frequently-requested to share his perspective on leadership, facility management, and emergency management topics at industry events around the world, to include the [IFMA World Workplace](#), [SAME Joint Engineer Training](#), [Facility Management Association of Australia IDEACTION](#), [Japanese Facility Management Association FORUM](#), [European Facility Management](#), [Marche International des Professionnels d'Immobilier \(MIPIM\)](#), and Slovak Association of Facility Management annual conferences.