I have a Mechanical Engineering degree from Bradley University and work for Caterpillar as a Validation Engineering Team Lead and Project Planner. I enjoy a wide variety of hobbies, most of which involve being rather active: Horseback Riding, Hiking, Sports, etc. I also enjoy music, reading, and board games. Three and a half years ago I joined some friends taking an East Coast Swing dance class. While I didn’t have the natural grace you often expect in dancers, I actually picked up the steps rather quickly. I started learning many of the various ballroom, swing, and Latin styles of dance and soon became hooked on social dancing in general. I now enjoy helping others learn to dance whenever I can!

My motto is “I can learn to dance, so can you!”