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Professional Profile: Frederick Petrella 2012

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Name: Frederick Petrella, CCIM

Title: President/Broker

Company: Connecticut Realty Group, LLC / Corner Properties

Location: New Haven, CT

Birthplace: Hartford, CT

Family: Wife, Laura, two children: Andrew, 26; Kristin, 23

College: Southern Connecticut State University

First job unrelated to your current field: Health club

First job in current field: Cushman & Wakefield, 1984, industrial broker

What your firm does now and its plans for the future? Both brokerage and property investment/redevelopment

Hobbies: Working out, golf

Favorite novel: "Lincoln" by David Herbert Donald

Favorite film: "Seabiscut"

Keys to success: Persistence, keeping a positive attitude during tough times

Person you admire most (outside of family): Carl Traub, CCIM

If you had to choose a different profession, what would it be? I'd play shortstop for the Red Sox, but they already have one, so I'll stay in CRE

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