TODD DIETZ

Todd has been Osprey's Engineering Manager for 12 years. He's recently assumed the role of General Manager. Below we share some insights from our engineering guru.

First App you check in the morning?
Flipboard

What is your average commute in Atlanta traffic?
One hour in the morning and one hour in the evening

How long have you been with Osprey?
19 years

What do you like most about engineering?
That it provides the tools and opportunity to creatively solve meaningful problems

What engineering tool do you say you use the most?
SolidWorks

What was your favorite class during your MBA program at the Georgia Institute of Technology?
'Strategic Management'

What do you think is the best invention ever made?
Computers

Favorite new tech software?
Virtual Reality...Oculus Rift for example.   It is on the verge of changing how we interact with the world. Computers

What would you do if you weren't an engineer?
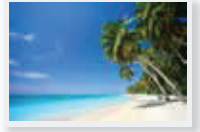*Be a psychologist*

Person you look up to most?
Warren Buffett

What country do you wish Osprey had a customer?
Costa Rica

What place outside of the USA do you like to visit? Or wish to visit?
I love visiting Italy

What music app do you use?
Apple Music

Favorite ethnic food?
Thai food

Favorite book?
1984, by Orwell

Any Philanthropic aspirations or projects?
A former MBA classmate is developing a program to give robots to schools to get children involved with programming.

Do you follow any Atlanta sports teams?
Atlanta United

If you were on a deserted island, what 3 items would you bring?
A knife, a first aid kit, and fishing gear...or maybe a guitar (to finally learn how to play)

Favorite football team?
Chicago Bears

City living or suburbs?
The suburbs...definitely the suburbs

Best thing about being a father?
Seeing how excited/happy my 10 month old daughter gets when I come home...knowing how much she relies on me

Worst thing about being a father?
Worrying about all the trouble my daughter can get into as she gets older

What is your new sleep schedule look like?
Luckily, my average sleep schedule has always been 1am to 5am, so it hasn't changed much