

Tom Base, Member Service Director

As Director of Member Services with the Institute of Hazardous Material Management (IHMM) and the Hazardous Materials Society (HMS), Tom works closely with the entire IHMM/HMS team. His portfolio includes membership, marketing, communications, and outreach.

Tom brings director-level experience at a diverse mix of national, Washington, DC-based trade associations and non-profits to his role at IHMM/HMS. His experience includes tenure with the National Association of Energy Service Companies (NAESCO), the National Newspaper Association (NNA), and the National Association for Gifted Children. He brings his collaborative style and audience minded communications skills to all of his professional roles.

Raised in Northern Virginia, Tom earned a BS, Public Administration from George Mason University in Fairfax, Virginia. His elective course work was heavy on economics, literature, and writing.

Tom now lives in Silver Spring, Maryland, and his interests and activities include home renovation, gardening, landscaping, architecture, hiking, swimming.