

AMP'S 2021 FUTURE 50

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Arkansas Money & Politics is proud to showcase its Future 50 for 2021. The Future 50 represents those Arkansans — business, political, cultural leaders — recognized by AMP readers as poised to do big things in their fields.

They could be up-and-comers, business leaders already established or industry veterans who have switched fields. But they all share one thing in common — from them, big things are expected. Highlighted by the subject of this month's cover, Rock Dental Brands CEO Kristi Crum, this year's Future 50 installment runs the gamut of Arkansas industry, from tech startups to government service.

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After graduating from the University of Texas in 2004 with a degree in economics and philosophy, it didn't take Thomas Knight, CFP®, long to hop the fast track. He joined NFP Securities in Austin as a newly minted college graduate, and within six years had risen from financial planning analyst to assistant vice president for recruiting. In 2012, he began his journey to Little Rock, where he continued to fine-tune his craft and rose quickly in several Arkansas wealth management firms, serving as vice president for strategic growth and as well as COO.

In 2017, Knight joined Sowell Management, overseeing its strategic data and technology initiatives. As managing director of data and technology, Knight is responsible for all of Sowell's data, technology and automation strategies



