



**J. RIEGER & CO**  
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**Andy Rieger**  
Co-Founder and  
President

Andy Rieger is currently the president of J. Rieger & Co., one of Kansas City's most treasured brands. A graduate of Southern Methodist University with a double major in Mathematics and Finance, Rieger is a former private equity analyst and investment banker. His executive experience, combined with a passion for manufacturing and brand-building, fueled his transition to management and operations at the distillery.

In 2014, Rieger quit his job in Dallas and moved back to Kansas City to take a leap of faith and fully dive into resurrecting the J. Rieger & Co. distillery. Five years later, Rieger completed a \$20 million historic redevelopment for his company which included multiple tax credits. Raising over \$30 million in both debt and equity over the years for his company's real estate and operations, Rieger has been the leading force in reviving one of Kansas City's cherished historic neighborhoods, the Electric Park district.

Named both a "Next Gen Leader" and "Kansas City's Power 100" by the KC Business Journal and "Entrepreneur of the Year" by the KC Chamber, Rieger continues to find opportunities to leverage his connections to continue to buildup Kansas City.

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