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When and why did you join CSCMP?	My membership in CSCMP was driven by a desire to build the very best possible background, experience, and career in supply chain management.
What advice do you have for new CSCMP members on how they can maximize their membership value? What membership benefit do you find most valuable?	Definitely participate in your local chapter events. They are easy, fun, and inexpensive. Those are welcoming ways to learn, stay up to date, and of course network with other practitioners. Then, if you are able, going to the national conference is an exciting way to be immersed in the space and network on a global scale!
What has been the most impactful connection you have made through CSCMP membership?	My connections made in the local chapter and through speaking at the national conference has been most impactful. You leave those moments feeling really great about your career and role in the global economy.
How did you get into supply chain management/logistics?	My first professional job was at a global transportation and logistics provider. I pushed my understandings and career as far as I possibly could from that point forward - and never looked back.
Describe your job in a tweet (i.e. 140 characters).	I am an attorney representing manufacturers, retailers, and supply chain service providers with all manner of domestic and international contracting, regulatory, and dispute resolution.
What are your top three job responsibilities?	My top responsibilities are zealous legal representation, trusted business counseling, and offering knowledgeable strategic advice.
What is the biggest challenge you face on the job, and how are you managing it?	The speed of change in this space, particularly since the pandemic, has been very challenging and yet rewarding to manage. My approach is to stay connected and well read first and foremost. Then, I always allow time for thoughtful reflection and planning.

What technologies, trends, or disruptive forces do you see having the biggest impact on supply chains?	Regulation such as international sanctions or import duties, coupled with commercial responses to those influences, have had the most disruptive force in the last eight or so years. However, with that disruption has come great opportunity for practitioners.
If you were to start a company from scratch, what values would you build it on?	My personal belief is that we should all do things of substance, without cutting corners, so that we build strong practices and relationships. You can move fast and you can move creatively but acting blindly, cheaply, or without respect for others will always get you into trouble. It is far better to have confidence and stand tall behind your work.
What are you proudest of?	My proudest professional achievement is the growth of my team. When I committed to doing transportation, logistics, and supply chain management law from a pure industry perspective there were no others I knew of who had a practice of that sort. Today, I lead a team of around a dozen attorneys from new career professionals to seasoned industry veterans who all work together under a shared vision of how we want to serve our clients - and we are growing!
If you could interview anyone, who would it be and why?	If I could interview any living public figure right now it would probably be Volodymyr Zelenskyy. We don't know the full story of his Presidency in Ukraine or how the story will end. Either way, in my mind he has a personal and professional story to tell like none other today.
What was your childhood dream job?	I wanted to be a scientist. It didn't really matter what specialty - just something practical and impactful. I think that is what I have been able to achieve in supply chain management.
When you retire, what will be the first adventure you take, or what will be the first thing you will do for which you may not otherwise have had the time?	My "bucket list" is a single item - I would like to retire and take an around-the-world cruise. The idea of setting aside that time to see the world is very peaceful to me. I think it would be the perfect start to a retirement.
Write your own question and answer! What have we not asked that would be interesting for other CSCMP members to learn about you?	Q: What do you like most about the supply chain management field? A: My favorite aspect of this field is that it is perfectly tangible and practical. It is the ultimate space for pragmatic critical thinkers who never want to get bored with their work. Everything we do regardless of our role has a real-world impact. People could not live in homes, wear clothing, eat meals, connect on their phones, or drive cars without everything we do in the supply chain management field.
Are you available for a virtual video interview for the CSCMP Member Monday series?	Yes!