Q: How did you select your certification program or college major?
A: Growing up in Memphis, I was in the center of a Logistics hub. After enrolling in the University of Tennessee, I knew I wanted to pursue a degree in Business but was uncertain what degree to follow. I quickly learned the importance of an efficient and effective supply chain and was naturally drawn to the program. To this day I have no regrets about finding a career path that I am so passionate about.

Q: What was the biggest influence in your selection of career pathway?
A: My parents have influenced me the most. My mom is a natural born networker with what seems like an endless supply of energy. My dad is the best business person I know and has never come across a problem he can’t solve. I believe I am a good combination of both.

Q: What attracted you to the transportation industry?
A: Transportation is a fast paced, ever changing industry. I flourish in the energy that transportation individuals show up with every day.

Q: What is your favorite aspect of your job?
A: Every day is different, and I get the chance to meet so many amazing professionals in my field.

Q: What makes you get up each morning excited about your profession?
A: Changing people’s lives one placement at time!

Q: If you could go back in time and select any elective course to take that would have better prepared you for the future, what would it be?
A: I would have taken Advanced Excel. No matter what field you studied, Excel is a universal language in all industries and jobs. It is more than just a spreadsheet, it is a problem-solving tool.

Q: What advice would you share with students or anyone considering your profession?
A: Follow your heart and your passions. If you are truly happy, fame and fortune will follow.