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I am currently a Costing Coordinator for Hendrickson UK Ltd which is part of a Global USA privately owned business, and have been in Purchasing within the Automotive Industry for 35 years, not just with Hendrickson. I cover a range of commodities which are purchased globally and this has given me great experience of the different business cultures across the globe. I also track, manage and measure the Purchasing Cost reduction initiative and any new projects which are introduced by Engineering.

I became a full member of CIPS in 1999 and had the honour of being a member of the CIPS Council for a period of time which was a great way to see how CIPS works and have a voice in how it runs. So now looking forward to being part of Congress.

Purchasing was not my intended career as my first job application was in Sales, but was offered a purchasing role instead and have never looked back.

