

CSCRL FALL FORUM

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NOVEMBER 6-7, 2025

PANEL SESSION - SPEAKER BIO

SAL LOMBARDO

TERRITORY MANAGER, NORTHEAST, THE TENEO GROUP



Sal Lombardo has worked with numerous businesses over the past 20 years as Territory Manager, General Manager, and recently as the Chief Sales Officer of Corporate Partnerships for the New York Yankees Triple-A Affiliate, the SWB RailRiders.

Sal joined The Teneo Group in 2020 bringing with him a wealth of knowledge in helping businesses grow. He provides a unique view of cybersecurity from the executive perspective and how organizations can protect themselves.

Sal understands first-hand the business risk associated with cybersecurity failures and the significant impact this has from a reputational and financial standpoint.

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PETE BAYER

SENIOR VICE PRESIDENT - OPERATIONS, PENSKE LOGISTICS



Pete Bayer joined Penske Logistics in 2014 and currently serves as Senior Vice President of Operations leading the company's Dedicated and Truckload transportation operations team of over 12,000 professional drivers and associates operating from 375 locations supporting multiple customers in the Auto, Consumer Goods and Food and Beverage industries in the United States and Canada. He has previously served as Director of Customer Operations for Cardinal Health, Vice President Operations for the Northeast and Midwest South areas and most recently as Senior Vice President Operations leading the company Distribution Center Management operations.

Prior to joining Penske, Pete proudly served over 29 years as a Soldier in the United States Army in a variety of command and staff positions in the United States, Germany and the Middle East. He has extensive leadership experience at the tactical, operational and strategic levels and spent the majority of his career in operations and training with duty in multiple Armor and Cavalry units in Germany and the United States including four post 9/11 operational and combat tours in Kuwait and Iraq. His final assignments as a Major General were as the Director of Strategy, Plans and Policy for the U.S. Army on the Army Staff in the Pentagon and as Deputy Chief of Staff for Strategic Plans and Policy, Headquarters Supreme Allied Command Transformation, NATO.

Pete earned an M.S. in Marketing from Lehigh University in 1984 as well as a Masters in Security Studies from the U.S. Army War College in 2004.

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KATE SOLOMITO

PRICING AND MICROBULK BUSINESS MANAGER FOR THE WEST SUBREGION,
AIR PRODUCTS



Kate Solomito joined Air Products in 2016 after graduating from Lehigh University with a B.S. in Industrial and Systems Engineering. She has held various roles in both the IT and distribution/supply chain organizations, mostly with a focus on data analytics.

Kate is currently Pricing and MicroBulk Business Manager for the West Subregion. Her primary responsibilities include leading customer pricing analysis activities to meet targets and accountability for the growth and development of the MicroBulk business and its sales team.

Within Air Products, Kate serves as the Supply Chain representative for the Women in Operations employee resource group. She has been involved in recruiting talent from Lehigh University for both internships and the Career Development Program for many years.