

**Krissy van Niekerk**  
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Krissy van Niekerk joined Maersk in July 2006 as a trainee, and she is currently Head of Key Client Sales for the FMCG, Tech, Auto and Retail Verticals. Krissy started her career with Maersk as a Pricing Analyst in the Pacific Westbound Trade in the Madison, NJ office. Since then, she has progressed her career primarily in the commercial organization with roles ranging from Key Client Sales in New Zealand to Latin American Trade Management and Special Cargo Trade and Business Development in Charlotte, NC. Krissy joined the Florham Park, NJ office in January 2019 to lead the sales team responsible for small to medium sized forwarders as well as recyclables sales. In December 2021, she took the lead role for the Maersk digital products, Maersk Spot and Twill, as well as the recyclables sales team for the US. From December 2022, she was responsible for the sales teams covering a wide variety of customers including forwarders ranging from small to global, commodity exporters, and small to medium sized cargo owners. She recently took the Key Client Sales leadership role from January 2025.

Krissy holds a Bachelor of Arts in International Trade, with a minor in French from Clemson University.

Krissy currently resides in Wilmington, NC with her husband, Ryan, and two children, Ethan (7) and Sophie (9). Outside of the office, Krissy enjoys traveling, fitness and spending time with her family.