



FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

- **What is Broker Carrier Summit?**
 - The Broker Carrier Summit (BCS) exists to provide resources and networking opportunities for carriers and freight brokers, with the goal of forming lasting partnerships. Our mission is to help individuals and companies elevate their brands and get deals done. Oh, and we like to have a little bit of fun while doing so.
- **How often do Broker Carrier Summit events occur?**
 - We host two main events each year known as Summit Week (in Spring and Fall), and these are held in different cities each time, to provide maximum opportunities for those who want to attend. In 2025, we will begin our "Big Road Tour," during which we will be traveling to various cities throughout the year to host smaller, happy-hour style events for BCS members and those who want to see what the BCS is all about.
- **What is Women in Logistics?**
 - Women in Logistics is a group started by female BCS members with the vision to empower women in logistics through community, collaboration, transparency and advocacy in order to drive success and inclusivity in the freight industry. We are on a mission to advance the voices of women in our industry and create opportunities for women to learn, thrive, grow their business and contribute meaningfully to the BCS network and beyond. Our goal is to enable women in logistics to come together and grow their own personal brands - we believe this will strengthen the industry as a whole.
- **Why would I want to be a member?**
 - If you are looking for ways to create meaningful connections with other women in our industry, are open to learning and lifting others up, and making sure everyone has a seat at the table, Women in Logistics is a place for you! We encourage you to consider membership if you are interested in networking, advancing the voice of women in our industry (including your own!) and / or are looking to grow your personal brand. We also plan on offering mentorship opportunities, so if you are just starting out in logistics, are looking to learn from others who have "been there and done that" or have experiences and knowledge you would like to share, we would love for you to consider membership.

- **Who are the current members?**
 - Women in Logistics is made up of a diverse group of women from various areas of our industry (brokerage, carriers, technology, financial companies and more). We are business owners, leaders, individual contributors, new to the industry and just getting our careers started! There are no thresholds or minimum requirements to join and we welcome anyone (male or female) who is looking to make a difference in our industry.
- **Is there a cost to become a member?**
 - There is no cost to becoming a member of Women in Logistics. We are supported by the broader BCS community and simply ask that you are willing to contribute your passion, strengths and humility to the betterment of the group and the BCS as a whole.
- **What is the time commitment?**
 - We plan on hosting bi-monthly virtual meetings for those interested in leading the growth of Women in Logistics. We will be hosting meet-ups at each BCS event and seek to provide opportunities, for those interested, to speak on BCS panels, podcasts and more.
- **Are there travel requirements?**
 - There are no travel requirements; however, Women in Logistics members will be encouraged to participate in local events, Summit Weeks and in the broader BCS discussions (i.e. on podcasts, on panels, etc.). We aim to offer a variety of opportunities for connections, both in-person and virtual with the hope of providing every member with their most optimum manner of participation.
- **Who covers summit and travel expenses?**
 - BCS and Women in Logistics do not plan on reimbursing any travel expenses at this time. However, we'd love a world in which our future financial support allows us to "sponsor" participation for those who might not otherwise be able to cover it themselves.
- **Can men be members of Women in Logistics?**
 - Absolutely! We welcome anyone who supports the mission of Women in Logistics. We believe that diversity in backgrounds, thoughts and experiences is important and men are welcome to become members of the group and / or supporters of our efforts.