

Hi, I'm Natalie

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MY ROLE AT GUY CARPENTER

As a treaty reinsurance broker in the Philadelphia office, I focus mainly on large account property business, supporting a global client with their property reinsurance purchases. I also work in the regional mutual space across the property, casualty, and worker's compensation lines of business. Throughout the year my client teams deliver a wide array of projects beyond the traditional reinsurance transaction, which make my job exciting, challenging, and rewarding.

WHY I CHOSE A CAREER IN (RE)INSURANCE

As a college senior, I was given the opportunity to change my major from Actuarial Science to a brand new major being offered: Risk Management. As I would be in the first graduating class of a new major, I sought advice from mentors who emphasized the vital role risk management plays in an ever-changing business environment. This opened my eyes to the insurance industry beyond the actuarial role. When a reinsurance brokerage firm posted for an analyst position, I realized that reinsurance broking was an obvious fit for me, marrying my mathematical background with my aptitude for developing strong interpersonal relationships.

WHAT HAS SURPRISED ME THE MOST

Reinsurance plays an essential role in our global economy from the smallest single-state writers to the largest global corporations. We are constantly fine-tuning products, coverages, and structures to adapt to our changing environment. We support our clients after a major catastrophe in fulfilling their promises to policyholders. I am most surprised that this vast network of support exists beyond primary insurance companies, yet many people have never heard of reinsurance. No matter how many times I explain reinsurance to people who have never heard of it, I am proud to work in an industry with such a broad, meaningful impact.

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MY BACKGROUND

After graduating with a Risk Management degree from Penn State, I began my career as a treaty reinsurance broker at Willis Re in Philadelphia. I worked with global and national property and casualty clients as well as various specialty lines of business. I joined Guy Carpenter in 2015 to broaden my experience with clients, and I look forward to contributing to Guy Carpenter's continued success.