With over two decades of leadership experience in the public and private sectors, Matt started his career at Cisco Legal as lead counsel for Global Government Solutions and eventually led legal support across the America's, serving Cisco's largest market. He was selected to be the Cisco Scholar in-residence at the Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars in Washington D.C., where he studied cybersecurity policy, working closely with industry leaders and government officials. In addition, he spearheaded the divestiture of several Cisco Collaboration technology products and has managed vertical compliance for healthcare and export controls.

Today, Matt is Cisco's Trust Officer and he leads the company's Trust Office, a global organization responsible for building customer trust with efforts across cybersecurity, supply chain security, insider threat risk management, geopolitical risk analysis, third-party risk, anti-counterfeiting, law enforcement and data demands, and data compliance for Cisco. The Trust office incubates and leads strategies, solutions, and business models to deliver industry leading transparency and trust. Matt is privileged to lead a talented team of technical, legal, and business professionals that include a global lineup of country cybersecurity officers, analysts, national security and supply chain security experts.

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