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Hi, my name is Daniel Jones. I am an Auditor at the Office of the Inspector General. I am originally from New Orleans, Louisiana, grew up in Charleston, West Virginia, and been traveling all over the world for twenty seven years with the United States military. One day I was wearing my uniform, and the next day I took it off and put on a suit. It was a little odd because I wasn't used to wearing anything other than green, green, or green. I found it to be a challenge to join a civilian organization only from the standpoint of the environment was different. As far as the work ethic, I found it to be exactly the same – high quality, high standards, expectation for delivering the product, no change. My military experience gave me the opportunity to understand structure, understand teamwork, understand commitment, and understand the value of having someone that's equally skilled. And those things translated very easily to the Department of Justice Office of the Inspector General.

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