Get to KNOW... Bryan Hutton

JOB TITLE: Market Development Manager, Corzan Piping Systems
COMPANY: Lubrizol Advanced Materials
HOMETOWN: Checotah, OK (home of Carrie Underwood)
ASPE CHAPTER: Dallas/Ft Worth and Oklahoma
IMMEDIATE FAMILY: Rolanda (spouse), four adult children, four grandchildren
PETS: Priscilla and Willow (feral cats)

“ASPE has been an organization of great importance to me over the years. While I initially joined as part of my job function, the benefits of interaction and involvement have kept me engaged as my career path has changed. ASPE has provided me with many mentors and mentees who allow me to grow as a person and help others achieve their goals. ASPE is what I like to call a ‘Conduit of Success’.”

WHAT BOOK DO YOU RECOMMEND EVERYONE SHOULD READ? Winning by Jack Welch and Who Moved My Cheese? by Spencer Johnson. Winning provides a glimpse into what it takes to grow a Fortune 500 company through cultural changes while maintaining positive financial returns. Spencer Johnson’s book reminds me to continue to be humble and aware of the understanding that conditions and environments change.

WHAT ARE YOUR HOBBIES OUTSIDE OF WORK? Travel, boxing, and golf. I love seeing the world and experiencing great boxing events. Golf allows for observance of nature and solitude. Another hobby is officiating women’s college basketball. It is a way to stay connected to a game that I love and work on my people skills in the midst of competition.

WHICH HISTORICAL FIGURE WOULD YOU MOST WANT TO MEET? Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Dr. King’s life has been an inspiration to me to continue to work for the better good of everyone. His journey was a tough one based on his religious beliefs and his commitment to his brothers and sisters.

WHAT DO YOU DO TO RELAX? I have learned to binge watch on Netflix as I don’t typically get a chance to watch TV on a regular basis. So, I binge when I can put together a few hours to relax and clear the mind.

WHAT IS YOUR FAVORITE VACATION SPOT? WHY DO YOU KEEP GOING BACK? Kauai, Hawaii is my favorite place to vacation. Miles of great beach areas and relative seclusion provide great beach-front experiences in near solitude. The weather is almost always fabulous, and the island has some great golf courses to enjoy.

WHAT IS YOUR FAVORITE MEAL? My favorite meal is pinto beans and corn bread. This is a meal I enjoyed growing up with my family and was a central meal in my upbringing. We had many family meals together, but this one is my favorite that I share with my mother.