

# **It Takes a Village: Cultivating Strategic Relationships for Career Success**

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**GENERAL DYNAMICS**  
Information Technology

OPPORTUNITY OWNED



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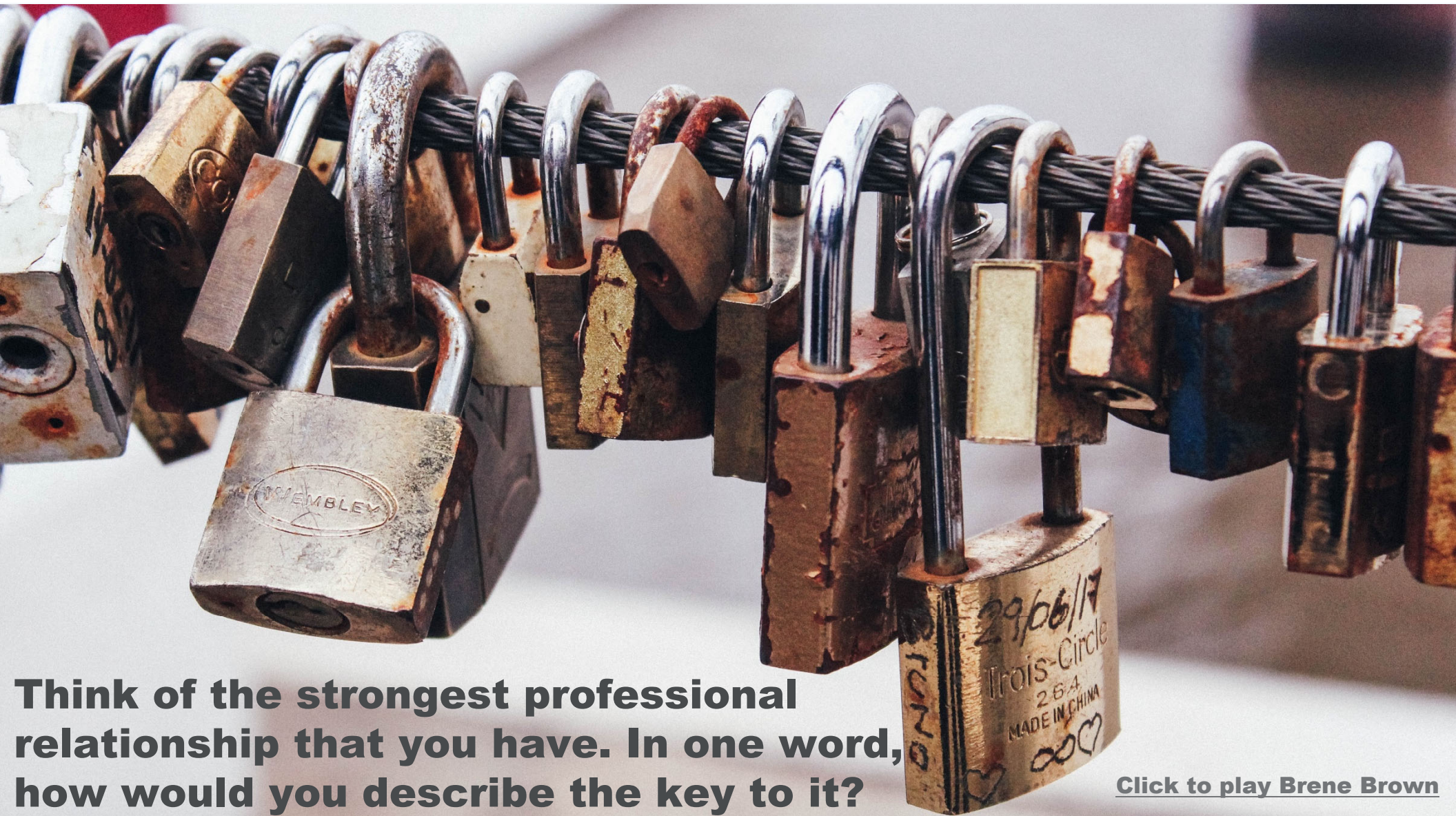
**Relationships Help Us Do Great Things!**



**Buddy**  
**Mentor**  
**Best Friend**  
**Manager**  
**Senior Leader**  
**Client**  
**Sponsor**  
**Affinity Groups**  
**Professional Associations**  
**Personal Board of Advisors**







**Think of the strongest professional relationship that you have. In one word, how would you describe the key to it?**

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# Set Your Intention

Guided Meditation



**What Questions Do You Have?**

