## How did you join the Supply Chain arena?

I studied Chemistry (#womaninscience!) and wanted to do something quite different after my degree – so I joined Mars and was fortunate to experience 4 different roles across Supply, Supply Chain & Demand in my first few years.

I was immediately drawn to supply (for the reasons outlined in the green box!), and so moved into a shift management role in a chocolate factory – can you think of anything more exciting?!

Following this, I moved into a Logistics Manager role which was fantastic! I loved the breadth – working on topics like improving our inbound supply chain to preparing for Brexit.

I'm now responsible for global processes across supply and for our external manufacturing strategy – I feel very grateful to be working for a company that places such importance on continuous learning & development.

## Which statement motivates or inspires you?

"Vulnerability is not about winning or losing. It's having the courage to show up when you can't control the outcome."

**Brené Brown** 



## MARS Food



Sabrina Maas, Global Industrial Engineer (Supply Strategy) – Mars Food

## What are you passionate about in SC?

- <u>The perspective</u>: sitting in between supply and demand means you get a real feel for how the total business is operating – this is quite unique!
- <u>It's tangible!</u> What I love about supply & supply chain is that you can see & feel the progress you are making daily – we are talking about physical goods moving around the network.
- <u>The diversity</u>: no working day is the same and I love that level of challenge. Often in supply chain you are working across several countries & cultures, so there is a lot to learn from others beyond the functional!