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As the Principal at Oculus Strategies, Chris works with clients to obtain favorable legislative, regulatory and political outcomes in Washington, DC.

Previously, Chris worked at Steptoe & Johnson, LLP for over 9 years in the Government Affairs and Public Policy Group. Steptoe & Johnson, LLP is an international Law Firm that provides legal, regulatory and governmental affairs representation.

Prior to joining Steptoe, Chris was the Deputy Chief of Staff and an Appropriations Associate for Congressman Tom Cole (R-OK) for 8½ years. He managed the day to day operations and staff of member's legislative shop as Deputy Chief of Staff, as well as conducted and managed member's Appropriations work as associate staff to the House Appropriations Committee. Chris also served in a variety of other roles during his time at Congressman Tom Cole's office, including Republican leadership liaison for NRCC chairman, Legislative Director/Military Legislative assistant, Rules Committee associate, and Budget Committee associate. Additionally, he also worked for Congresswoman Jo Ann Davis, Congressman Helen Chenoweth-Hage, Congressman Tom Latham, Congressman Joe Pitts, and he interned for former House Majority Leader Congressman Dick Armey.

During his time on Capitol Hill, Chris specialized in defense policy, international security issues, homeland security, foreign policy and transportation. His wideranging background has also provided him with in depth knowledge of government agencies across the political spectrum.

Chris also worked for the National Conference of Catholic Bishops, served in the United States Army, the Republican National Committee, and the Heritage Foundation.