

**From:** J <jeevacation@gmail.com>  
**To:** Maxim Churkin <[REDACTED]>  
**Subject:** Re: Happy Holidays!  
**Date:** Thu, 17 Jan 2019 23:13:36 +0000

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yes

On Thu, Jan 17, 2019 at 6:07 PM Maxim Churkin <[REDACTED]> wrote:  
Should I contact [REDACTED] to organize?

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**From:** J <jeevacation@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, January 18, 2019 2:33 AM  
**To:** Maxim Churkin  
**Subject:** Re: Happy Holidays!

Yes

On Thu, Jan 17, 2019 at 5:32 PM Maxim Churkin <[REDACTED]> wrote:  
Great! Any chance we can meet 24-25 or 28 if still there?

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**From:** J <jeevacation@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, January 18, 2019 2:13 AM  
**To:** Maxim Churkin  
**Subject:** Re: Happy Holidays!

Im in Paris from 24

On Thu, Jan 17, 2019 at 5:12 PM Maxim Churkin <[REDACTED]> wrote:  
Hi Jeffrey,

I'm back in Zug and am ready to take on the New Year. I spent 3 great weeks back in home with my mom and sister. Mom is doing well and being active. She is finalizing the book, preparing a conference in Dad's name, also working with a local community who want to install a statue in his name in the town where my grandparents are from. She will come visit me here once that is done and will be ready to take on new challenges. It was awesome being in Moscow, always makes me think of what has been accomplished and reminds me that there is still a very long way to go.

This year was very interesting because of my move to Zug (fantastic place), new challenging job, new people. Also did some travel around Italy, France, Germany, visited sister in London. My role here is doing a deep dive into an area of ABI's business and coming up with strategy/finding opportunities/negotiating. Worked on steel sourcing, creating byproduct business strategies, sustainability, optimization of a rice mill in the US. This year (just got the project assignment) my projects are going to be on ocean freight and rail transport, which is a great opportunity to learn about logistics.

Due to the re-organization, they will most likely move me to a different role and location (Brussels/Prague/Moscow) sometime between june-december of this year. The next role will not be as

interesting, nor diverse. I see my role as very much a PE role (take a sector, dive into it, improve it) and will start looking into PE firms (maybe focused on fmcg)/family offices in Switzerland. I want to figure out my options. I believe there may be a lot of opportunities here and would appreciate your advice on timing, my overall approach and general idea.

I would be happy to talk to you whenever you are available. As always, if you are in Europe, would be happy to go and see you.

All the best to you in the New Year!

Regards,

Max

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**From:** J <[jeevacation@gmail.com](mailto:jeevacation@gmail.com)>  
**Sent:** Sunday, December 30, 2018 8:53 PM  
**To:** Maxim Churkin  
**Subject:** Re: Happy Holidays!

Yes please - give me details

On Sun, Dec 30, 2018 at 10:50 AM Maxim Churkin <[REDACTED]> wrote:

Hi Jeffrey,

We wish you Happy Holidays and all the best in the New Year! Hope it will be very interesting and successful for all of us!

It has been a challenging yet absolutely interesting year for me, and eager to start the new one. Looking forward to seeing you in the New Year!

Best,

Max and Mom

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