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Jonathon is a Legislative Assistant to Rep. Dan Lipinski, where he advises the Congressman on issues before the House T&I committee. Jonathon also manages the Congressman's leadership of the House Unmanned Systems Caucus. Prior to his role in the House, Jonathon was the Federal Government Affairs Representative for the Metropolitan Washington Airports Authority. He was a Fellow in Sen. Maria Cantwell's office, then chair of the Aviation subcommittee, and has interned with the White House Office of Legislative Affairs. Jonathon received his undergraduate in Aviation Science from Western Michigan University, and is a commercial pilot and flight instructor. He was a co-founder of Aerius Flight LLC, the first company in Michigan to receive a Section 333 authorization from the FAA.