

## Star broker leaves Cushman to head his own corporation

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Alex Ringsby, one of the top industrial real estate brokers at Cushman & Wakefield, has left the firm to strike out on his own.

Ringsby, 31, isn't leaving C&W, where he has been a top broker since he joined almost nine years ago, because of the softening economy. Three years ago, at age 28, he was named director of the New York City-based firm, the youngest broker to land that designation, he said.

Ringsby is leaving to head Ringsby Real Estates Corp. and to

join his father Don's company, Ringsby Terminals.

"It's a family business," Alex said about Ringsby Terminals. "My father got out of the trucking business several years ago and began to own and operate industrial properties and land, many of them with ties to the trucking industry."

Sherman Miller, who heads the C&W office in Denver, said he hates to lose Ringsby.

"I'm sorry to see him go," said Sherman Miller, who heads the Cushman Denver office. "He earned about as many titles as you can in this business."