

Experience

Director of Farming, Pomona Farming; Bakersfield, CA: June 2021-Present

Lead strategy and execution of farming operations for Pomona Farming properties. Oversee agronomic practices to maximize yield and quality. Develop best practices for fertility, harvest, irrigation, and pest management. Manage a team of ranch managers and PCA's to promote continuous improvement, collaboration, and successful execution of tasks. I started as a ranch manager for Pomona Farming in 2021 and have also held the positions of Director of Agronomy (Southern Region) and Director of Farming (Southern Region).

Senior Crop Manager, Wonderful Orchards; Shafter, CA: November 2020-Present

Manage all labor, equipment and cultural operations on 28000 acres of almonds and pistachios.

Crop Manager/PCA, Wonderful Orchards; McKittrick, CA: June 2017-November 2020

Design and implement a comprehensive IPM plan for almonds and pistachios. Monitor orchard health with soil sampling, tissue analysis, and crop estimates to create nutrient management plans. Oversee all cultural practices in orchard development. Manage almond harvest on 7,000 acres. Supervise almond stockpile fumigation and educate crews on all regulations.

Industry Involvement

Treasurer, CAPCA Executive Committee: January 2025-Present

Kern County Farm Bureau Director, Kern County Farm Bureau Board of Directors: September 2024-Present

Kern County State Director, California Association of Pest Control Advisers Board of Directors: August 2020-December 2024

Education

California State University Chico - B.S. Crop Science and Horticulture - 2017

Licenses & Certifications

Certified Crop Advisor - American Society of Agronomy, License #672383

Pest Control Adviser, Categories A,B,C,D,E,F,G - CA DPR, License #144530

Qualified Applicator License, Categories A,D - CA DPR, License #145295