



# AGROLIQUID EXPERTS

Meet the AgroLiquid agronomists.

Located throughout each region of the United States,  
our expert agronomists hold a wealth of knowledge  
and experience for crops of all types.

Read on to see who can best help you deliver essential  
crop nutrition information to your specific audience.



# Reid Abbott

## Regional Agronomist, Southeast Region

Reid Abbott holds a Bachelor of Science in Agronomy from Texas A&M University. Following graduation, he worked as a crop consultant in the Texas and Oklahoma panhandles, dealing with corn, wheat, cotton, sorghum, alfalfa and sunflowers. There, he gained knowledge in all aspects of crop production, including seed variety selection, soil fertility, irrigation management and weed, insect and disease control. In his time with AgroLiquid, Reid has been responsible for growing and managing the dealer network in his territory of south Texas and Louisiana. He also assisted his dealers in employee training, customer meetings and product recommendations. As an agronomist, he is working to train the dealer network and provide fertility solutions on a wide array of crops nationwide. He makes frequent visits to the field to gain knowledge on product performance and further enhance AgroLiquid fertility programs.



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# Molly Alexander

## Regional Agronomist, Southeast Region

Molly is motivated by providing growers with the information and tools needed to be good stewards of the land. As the Southeast Regional Agronomist, Molly has a lifetime of experience, beginning on the family farm and followed with a degree from the University of Tennessee and close to 25 years of professional experience. Molly understands the importance of economically maximizing yields and continuing a farm's legacy, which she strives to help growers accomplish.

Molly spends her free time traveling to rodeos and competing in barrel races. She lives her life without dwelling on the past or worrying about the future, an outlook she's adopted from her favorite quote by Ralph Waldo Emerson: "What lies behind us and what lies before us are tiny matters compared to what lies within us."



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# Galynn Beer

## National Strategy & Product Management Lead

Galynn's career trajectory was not necessarily a straight line through the ag industry. His degree from OU is in Business Administration and Finance, and he began his career in investment banking. He soon returned to his roots in agriculture, and he has been with AgroLiquid for more than 20 years. Galynn is diligent in staying connected with our customers as a part of monitoring the economic client we operate in. He has unique insight in this area, as he owns an ag input supply company in Guyman, Oklahoma. Galynn also has an innate curiosity, which led him to attain an MBA from Michigan State University in 2018. Galynn lives with his wife, Lisa. Dedicated foodies, the couple travels extensively and knows the best restaurants in many states, cities, towns, villages and four-way stops. As a licensed pilot and dedicated OU football fan, Galynn can also be counted on to grill burgers and brats at many OU football games.



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# Ryan Harbison

## Sales Area Manager for Indiana and Illinois

Ryan Harbison, Sales Area Manager for Indiana and Illinois, approaches his life with a coaching mentality. Whether he's setting up a "game plan" with retail partners or coaching his local junior high girls' basketball team to another undefeated season, Ryan is passionate about leading by example and providing avenues for those he coaches to continually strive for their best.

Ryan uses his background experiences on his family cattle operation and working in the field to help growers exceed their goals. This passion for expanding the limits of what can be accomplished with an acre of land led Ryan to become a Certified Crop Adviser with a 4R Nutrient Management Specialty. He is focused on furthering the future of agriculture. AgroLiquid is proud to have Ryan on our team and he will be a great asset to your operation as well.



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# Abe Isaak

## Regional Agronomist, West Region

Abe Isaak is descended from generations of farmers spanning back to his great-grandfather and grandfather in Russia to his father and brother who farm stone fruit and raisins in California. Abe grew up on the farm, and with ag in his blood, his heart has never left. As president of Abe Isaak & Sons, Inc., in Dinuba, California, Abe experienced firsthand what growers face every day. The family decided to sell the farm in 2009, and Abe went to work for Ultra Gro Plant Food as a nutrition consultant. He became a Certified Crop Adviser (CCA) and worked with growers, designing nutrition programs using soil, tissue and water samples. Abe focused on diagnosing and managing crop nutrition issues in a variety of crops. He has extensive experience with stone fruit, almonds, grapes and citrus, as well as many row crops. He enjoys the challenge of helping growers increase the quality and yield of their crops. In his free time, Abe enjoys playing golf, woodworking and spending time with his family, including his five grandchildren.



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# John Leif

## Regional Agronomist, Northeast Region

A Nebraska native who grew up on a crop and livestock farm, John Leif received his bachelor's and master's degrees from the University of Nebraska in agronomy and field crop weed control. He also completed some graduate work at the University of Minnesota in aquatic crop production (wild rice). Leif spent the first portion of his career with American Cyanamid and BASF, where he worked as a research agronomist in the crop protection production development group. In 2003, he joined the USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service in its Plant Materials Program. There, he conducted research and demonstration plots on how to use plants to address natural resources conservation issues. He was the research agronomist and Center Manager for the Rose Lake Plant Material Center for 11 years. The Plant Materials Center provided training and technical tools in the areas of vegetation for erosion control and snow management, tree and shrub establishment, native pollinator habitat improvement and soil health. Leif joined AgroLiquid in 2014.



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# Dan Peterson

## Regional Agronomist, Northern Great Plains Region

Dan Peterson came to AgroLiquid with extensive agricultural experience. After several years managing hog and grain farms, he moved into retail farm supply operations and sales, designing and building grain drying systems and selling seeds, fertilizers, herbicides and feeds. He eventually ventured out on his own as an agronomist and environmental consultant in northern Illinois, crop consulting on 20,000 acres, as well as for municipal waste water treatment districts and the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency. Following a move to Wisconsin, Peterson founded and managed what became the state's largest crop consulting firm, with five professional agronomists over 14 different crops. In addition to agronomy work, he provided farm business advisory services to his firm's clients. He has experience in plant nutrient product and market development. He has served as president of the Wisconsin Association of Professional Agricultural Consultants and has been a member of the WI Certified Crop Advisor board and the WI Cooperative Extension Advisory Council, among other organizations. He enjoys playing cornet and tenor horn with several wind ensembles and is active in his church and community.



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# Brian Waugh

## Regional Manager, Great Plains Region

One of Brian's proudest accomplishments is working with individuals to develop them into a stellar regional field team. Throughout his career, Brian has motivated and encouraged his field teams to build confidence, deepen experiences and strengthen customer relationships. Brian hails from western Kansas where he says agriculture is in everything you do. He grew up working for neighbor farmers and raised livestock. That passion followed him to college as he earned a Bachelor of Science degree in Agricultural Business and Management from Fort Hays State University. With over 20 years working at AgroLiquid, Brian embodies the company mission – to prosper the farmer. At AgroLiquid, the focus is on crop nutrition and fertility. Brian and his team place the same emphasis on their work as he notes, "When raising crops, soil is everything." In his spare time, you can find Brian in the great outdoors fishing, camping, kayaking and spending time with his lovely wife, children and grandchildren.



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# Stephanie Zelinko

## Sales Agronomist

Stephanie Zelinko's passion for agriculture started early. Growing up on a cash crop farm in mid-Michigan, farming has always been part of her life. She attended Michigan State University and received her bachelor's degree in Crop and Soil Sciences. Upon graduation, she began working as a researcher for AgroLiquid – a role she has expanded and enhanced over more than 20 years. To broaden her skillset, she went on to attain a Master of Science in Research Administration from Central Michigan University in 2017.

Zelinko currently works as Sales Agronomist, a position through which she bridges AgroLiquid's sales, agronomy and research teams. She is dedicated to evaluating soil and cropping systems to develop sound recommendations and provide agronomic solutions for growers. Zelinko understands the importance good agronomics play in successful farming – she also applies that vast knowledge at home where she and her husband farm.



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