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Born and raised on a sheep, beef, vineyard and mixed cropping farm in the Marlborough region of New Zealand.

Obtained first class honours in Agriculture Science from Lincoln University.

Enjoyed working for the Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry (MAFF) as a biosecurity officer. Currently managing the intellectual property (IP) portfolio for Grasslanz which is a subsidiary of AgResearch, a Crown Research Institute. IP Managerial role includes researching, applying, processing and maintaining Plant variety rights, Patents and trademarks. Has recently enrolled to begin studying towards a Masters in Plant Breeding at Massey University.