

**David Bubeck** 

Dr. Dave Bubeck is a Research Director for Seed Product Development (SPD) for Corteva Agriscience. In his current role, Dave serves the plant breeding organization through the effort of a Seed Product Commercialization team, oversees the global germplasm intellectual property protection, and provides a connection point for SPD with regulatory/compliance/stewardship. Dave is a recent Past President of the National Association of Plant Breeders, serves as Research Chair of the Seed Science Foundation, and is on the Board of Directors for the Living History Farms.

Dave joined Pioneer Hi-Bred, now Corteva Agriscience, in February 1998 as a Research Coordinator in Corn Breeding and became a Research Director in 2000. He conducted a corn breeding program and subsequently lead various parts of the North America and Southern Europe corn breeding programs until fall of 2013. Since then, he had several responsibilities, including Corn Platform Product Program Director and leading Global Trait Integration, Global Plant Pathology, and Global Parent Characterization.

Dave earned his Bachelor of Science degree in agronomy and his Master of Science degree in plant breeding and cytogenetics from Iowa State University. He received his Ph.D. in plant breeding and crop science at North Carolina State University.