

# Brian Nodolf

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## Work Experience

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### **Farm Manager**

Biddick, Inc - Livingston, WI

May 1980 to March 2019

Managed a large diversified farming operation that produced seed (corn, soybeans, small grains), popcorn, and cattle.

Oversaw planning, planting, growing, harvest, and processing of seed crops and popcorn.

Planned and directed production of forage cover crops to enhance sustainability

Bought and sold feeders for 1000 head feedlot. Developed rations using homegrown forage and purchased commodity feeds.

Developed a purebred cow herd (Angus, Tarentaise) to use "waste" forages.

Conducted corn yield trials and had a small corn breeding program from 1980 to 2005.

Retired March 2019

### **Various Positions**

Madison, WI

December 1976 to May 1980

Various part time and seasonal jobs while putting self through college:

Dishwasher (Paisan's), Corn Breeding Worker (Holden's, Pfizer Genetics),

UW Oat Breeding Lab Worker, UW Dairy Science Nutrition Lab Worker,

Seasonal Farm Worker (Trelay Farms, inc), Relief milker for various local farmers

### **Farm Worker (Intern)**

Johann Gawronski - Leitershofen, Bavaria, West Germany

May 1976 to December 1976

Worked on a beef and swine farm in Bavaria

### **Farm Worker**

Don Nodolf Family Farm - Livingston, WI

December 1963 to May 1974

Grew up on a dairy farm. Milked cows. Chores 2X daily. Baled hay.

## Education

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### **Bachelor's in Agriculture (Major in Dairy Science)**

University of Wisconsin-Madison

1976 to 1980