

Ashley was born and raised on her family's dairy farm in the heart of the Ottawa Valley. After realizing her passion for agriculture at a young age, she proceeded to attend the University of Guelph where she got her Bachelor's degree in Agriculture from the Ontario Agricultural College in 2013. Upon graduation, she's held a variety of roles in the industry ranging from a dairy nutritionist to working in communications and government relations. Ashley is currently the Dairy Strategic Accounts manager for Corteva.

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