



Agriculture and Natural Resources Extension



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Extension Expertise

- Field Crops

Research Interests

- Diseases of field crops
- Plant disease forecasting and risk management
- Plant disease management

Other Professional Experience

- NSF Postdoctoral Research Fellow, 2006-2007, Research Emphasis: Soybean rust
- Iowa Department of Agriculture and Land Stewardship-Entomology & Plant Science Bureau, 1999-2006, Phytosanitary Inspector

Education

- B.S., 1998, University of Wisconsin, Genetics and Bacteriology
- M.S., 2001, Iowa State University, Plant Pathology
- PhD, 2005, Iowa State University, Plant Pathology and Statistics

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