

Lindsay Menich

Lindsay grew up in southwestern Ontario where her parents were involved in a diverse array of agricultural businesses from tobacco, ginseng and cash crop farming to beef production and commercial grain handling. Following high school, she moved to Montreal to study structural engineering at McGill University and began her career working out of Toronto on the reconstruction of the World Trade Center site in NYC.

While working in Toronto she met her future husband, Drew, and together they felt the draw of a more rural existence. They decided to leave their professions in the city and move out to the farm. Since then, they have built their tobacco and ginseng farming business together and Lindsay is also involved with her mother's commercial grain elevator, Homeland Grain Inc. Lindsay also manages and farms, with Drew, her family's 600 acre century cash crop farm.

Lindsay is very passionate about modern agriculture and hopes to provide some advocacy and education to the greater public. She feels that the average person has never been so far removed from their food and yet so invested in their beliefs of what it should be. What a time to be a farmer.