

ALICE BUTLER

PRECISION AGRONOMIST

PROFILE

Alice joined Farmanco in 2020 on a part time basis, as well as part time for DPIRD in Perth.

During university Alice undertook two mining internships where GIS software was used for mapping important structures and vegetation. From these internships she developed an interest in spatial science and decided to volunteer with a GIS consultant based in Esperance. In Esperance, she was exposed to Precision Agriculture (PA) through the grower group SEPWA and continued to work with the group on a PA project for two and a half years.

After SEPWA, Alice moved to Albany for two years to work with the Department of Primary Industries and Regional Development (DPIRD) on a graduate project which provided her with grounding in agronomy, specifically weeds, pests and diseases that affected growers along the south coast.

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AREAS OF EXPERTISE

- Fertiliser and ameliorant strategy
- Fertiliser requirement planning
- Interpretation of soil tests
- · Operating profit focused agronomy advice
- Soil fertility management
- Creating prescription maps from spatial data
- Analysing yield data to understand paddock variability

EDUCATION

BACHELOR OF ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE University of Western Australia

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

