

# Five

Under 30



GRAIN TRADE AUSTRALIA



# BRILEY MONAHAN

*Grower Services Manager,  
Shannon Bros*

## LOCATION

*Horsham, VIC*

## AGE

26

## CAREER GOALS

*Briley aspires to be in a leadership position where she can support the creation of inclusive and accessible opportunities for all within her workplace and other industry related spaces. Briley hopes to encourage, support and guide enthusiastic entrants to find their place in agriculture. Briley's personal success will be measured in the confidence she can lead as a source of knowledge and learned skills; gathered through working hands-on, mentorship and the formation of strong networks.*

## EDUCATION

### **BACHELOR OF COMMERCE**

*Major in Agribusiness  
Deakin University, VIC*

## WORK EXPERIENCE

*Briley's current role at Shannon Bros focuses on fostering transparency for farmers throughout their grain sales activities. As the first point of contact in grain trade between Shannon Bros growers and domestic end users, processors, and exporters, Briley's responsibilities are varied. These range from domestic and export quality control, grain handling logistics, and administration, to grower and staff engagement, as well as safety regulation.*

*Key elements of her work include liaising with growers, grain traders, and exporters, overseeing stock administration, leading the harvest sample team, managing grain quality control, handling grain logistics, and preparing export documentation as an Authorised Officer. She also provides regular reporting to the management team.*

*Briley's position is set to evolve further as Shannon Bros shifts its focus towards strengthening relationships with growers. Her role will expand into more on-the-ground facilitation role.*

## THE IMPORTANCE OF FIVE UNDER 30

*Through her participation in the Five Under 30 program, Briley seeks to challenge herself and broaden her knowledge, skills, mindset, and critical thinking. Briley hopes to give back to the industry that has provided her with a vast array of opportunities so far.*

*Briley hopes that by engaging in this program, she can encourage and inspire the young individuals she works closely with daily to find their place in the agriculture industry, just as she has done within the grains sector.*

*Briley recognises the interconnectedness of the grains industry and the importance of building strong networks. She values the advantages of surrounding herself with like-minded, determined, knowledgeable peers and professionals. With a firm belief in the power of young minds coming together, supported by industry mentors, she sees this as key to strengthening the longevity and prosperity of the industry.*