



**EMILY PUTMAN
VICE PRESIDENT, INTERNATIONAL SALES**

As Vice President of International Sales for The Family Coppola, Emily Putman relies on her extensive background in the wine industry and diverse international relations to swiftly and effectively navigate the ever-changing wine export market. Prior to joining the The Family Coppola team, Putman worked for the well-known Wente wine family before she embarked on a journey to Africa, where she contributed to international humanity efforts in the non-profit sector. In her early career, she was fortunate to work in the fast-paced national television network news production field, an industry known for its often-contentious environment. She quickly mastered decisiveness, as well as the ability to positively communicate with a diverse group of professionals from many different cultural backgrounds and beliefs -- an enviable trait which has proved to be invaluable in her current role.

Spearheading global wine export efforts and liaising with importers in more than 60 countries, Putman and her lean team consistently drive double-digit sales growth year after year, while continuing to open new markets at a growth rate of 20% a year -- a significant feat that keeps her traveling around the world more than 300 days a year. Remarkably, she's also been successful in achieving the perfect work-life balance, as her passion and dedication for her career are a natural fit with her personal sense of adventure and travel. When she's not hosting a Francis Ford Coppola Winery wine dinner in Japan, for instance, or pouring wines for The King of Thailand's birthday celebration, you'll likely find Emily enjoying her time at home in California or globe-trotting with her family, seeking the allure of a new adventure.