

## Kristin Whittington – Landmark Farms – Edinburgh, Indiana / Windsor, South Carolina



Kristin is an avid combined driving competitor in the horse and pony divisions with singles and pairs. Upon graduating from Purdue University, Kristin established Landmark Farms, based in Edinburgh, Indiana.

Over the years, under these colors she guided horses to many national and international successes. Some highlights included being crowned American and Canadian National Morgan Champion and multiple AHSA (now USEF) Horse of the Year Honors competing with Morgans in the Hunter, Dressage, Carriage driving, and Western divisions.

Kristin has enjoyed the opportunities and travel of being a Nationally Accredited Judge “R” Judge in several Breeds (including American Morgan Horse Assoc., Pony of the Americas-POA, and American Miniature Horse Assoc.), and Disciplines (including American Driving Society (ADS), United States Equestrian Federation (USEF), and American Saddle Horse Assoc. Hunt & Saddle Equitation), for more than 25 years. Over the past 3 years, Kristin has focused on officiating at Combined Driving Competitions. Most Recently traveling and officiating in England, Wales, France, Germany, Switzerland, and the Netherlands as a licensed Judge with and Driving Steward with Federation Equestrian International (FEI).

Kristin is currently actively involved in American Driving Society Rules and Education Committees. Her background includes leading such diverse Boards of Directors, including Indiana Whips & Wheels Driving Club, Indiana 4-H Horse Judges Advisory Council and Indiana State Technical Committee for US Department of Agriculture, and 95th Army Division Legacy Association (a group of WWII Veterans of which my grandfather was a part).

Her driving and judging career has enabled her to spend multiple months in the concentrated driving community of Windsor, South Carolina. This provides multiple opportunities to drive and compete year-round.

Kristin says, she still remembers the assistance she was given “when all I had was “determination” and I believe I am blessed to be able to give back to the horse and driving community through involvement.”

