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Ed Cooper joined Wells Fargo Bank as a senior vice president in April 2005 to help establish a new commercial banking food and agribusiness office. He has more than 25 years' experience in the industry and currently leads a team that is responsible for new business development and client relationship management.

In addition to his company responsibilities, Mr. Cooper has conducted speaking engagements at industry conferences and has published articles in the ABA and RMA journals. He is a member of the Union League Club of Chicago where he recently served on the board of directors and is an adjunct professor at the University of Illinois, Champaign-Urbana.

Mr. Cooper received his MBA from Northwestern University, Kellogg Graduate School of Management, and his B.S./B.A. from John Carroll University.