



**Angela Smith**  
**Regional Sales Director, South**

A coastal Georgia native, Angela Smith joined the Jordan family in 2017 and thrives on the relationships she has built with distributors, restaurateurs and sommeliers across the Southern United States and beyond. In her role, Angela oversees distributor management, trade account relations, sales initiatives and regional events in Florida, Georgia, Alabama, Mississippi, Kentucky, Tennessee, South Carolina, North Carolina, West Virginia and Virginia. Prior to joining Jordan, she worked for Republic National Distributing Company (RNDC) in sales and management for six years, first in Atlanta before relocating to Charleston, South Carolina.

Her love of wine was born in Europe during college. “While studying abroad in Florence, Italy, I took a wine class. The teacher was a chef and winemaker and he opened my eyes to the importance of pairing wine and food,” Angela says. “My first passion is Italian wines, but I am drawn to any wine made with thoughtfulness of the terroir and a balance that lends itself to a great meal. That’s what I love about Jordan wines.”

After graduating from University of Georgia’s Grady College of Journalism with a degree in public relations in 2007, Angela worked in restaurants before joining the team at Ritz-Carlton, Atlanta. There, she strengthened her passion for hospitality and wine, and moved to the distribution side of the business to further her wine passion in 2011.

Angela currently resides in Nashville, Tennessee. She thoroughly enjoys the live music scene and exploring the city. However, she spends most of her time traveling around the country and looking for new adventures.