

Curriculum Vitae
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WORK EXPERIENCE

Toronto and Region Conservation Authority (TRCA)

<u>Manager, Development Planning and Regulation</u>	2006 – Present
Senior Planner, Development Planning and Regulation	2004 - 2006
Plans Analyst, Development Planning and Regulation	2003 - 2004

In this position I manage a team of planners, reviewing applications for development, and provide expert advice to municipal staff and partner agencies on sustainable development, and environmental planning. This position involves facilitating solutions to key environmental planning and natural hazard management issues with opposing interest groups, to implement the Authority and the Province's policy objectives. This has included taking a leadership role in implementing the Authority's "Living City" guiding philosophy, which seeks to establish sustainable urban and natural systems, while providing for sustainable urban growth within the Greater Toronto Area. A principal role of this position is to manage and facilitate a large number of very high profile, controversial projects concurrently, under challenging conditions. Representing the Authority and our partner municipalities before the Ontario Municipal Board, and other planning and conservation boards, tribunals and councils is a component of the position.

York University

<u>Course Director and Part Time Faculty Member</u>	Fall 2008-Present
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In this position, I teach Graduate level courses in environmental studies and planning that form part of the Program in Planning at York. From September, 2008 to February, 2009, I was co-course director for the Bioregional Planning workshop, a graduate course in sustainable environmental and urban planning.

Region of Peel

<u>Planner</u>	August 2000 – March 2003
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This position involved taking a leadership role in key policy, monitoring, outreach and development review initiatives for the Planning department. These include:

- Being Chair of the 2002 Peel Children's Water Festival.
- Chairing and co-ordinating the Region's State of the Environment program and authoring reports.
- Sitting on a national technical committee with the Federation of Canadian Municipalities to develop national environmental indicators.
- Land use planning, policy creation and revision, research and report writing.
- Leading Regional Official Plan amendments, preparing reports and professional advice to Peel Regional Council and senior staff.
- Reviewing Development applications and assessing their conformity with the Regional Official Plan.

York University

Teaching Assistant – Faculty of Environmental Studies Sept 1998 – April 2000

Duties Included: Coordinating and teaching senior undergraduate environmental studies lab courses, including examining and grading students. This involved teaching research, analysis, and applied planning skills, working with GIS technologies, in environmental and geographic analysis. These courses focused upon teaching some of the most vital analytical and research skills with planning based applications.

District of Central Saanich (Vancouver Island, British Columbia)- Planning

Department

Planning Intern

May 1999 – Sept. '99

Duties Included: being responsible for the comprehensive review of the Land Use (Zoning) Bylaw. Drafting and redrafting bylaws and reports, conducting research and analysis, attending conferences and workshops, and working with other planners and municipalities on joint initiatives were components of the position. This position required direct interaction with senior municipal staff and advisory committees on planning issues.

Ecotone Consulting Ltd. (Houston, British Columbia)

Environmental Management Technician and GIS Co-ordinator April 1997 – Feb. '98

Duties Included: Coordinating all aspects of a computer (GIS) mapping department, working on multiple projects concurrently, and adhering to strict deadlines. This position also involved extensive wilderness fieldwork involving natural feature assessment, surveys, forestry engineering and environmental management.

EDUCATION

- **Master in Environmental Studies (Environmental Planning), York University, 2000.**
- **Bachelor of Arts in Geography, University of British Columbia, 1997.**

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATION AND CONTINUING DEVELOPMENT

- Full Member, Canadian institute of Planners
- Registered Professional Planner, Ontario Professional Planners Institute.
- Examiner, Ontario Professional Planners Institute.

CONTINUING DEVELOPMENT

- Fisheries and Oceans Canada, Referrals Training, 2005, 2004
- Facilitation Training, 2004
- Project Management Training, 2004
- Fluvial Geomorphology Training, 2004
- *Ontario Professional Planners Institute* – Planner at the Ontario Municipal Board course, November 2003.
- *Ontario Professional Planners Institute* - Planner as Facilitator course, January 2003.
- *Ontario Professional Planners Institute* - Plain Language Writing for Planners course– June 2002
- Region of Peel - Class Environmental Assessment training, November, 2001.
- Ontario Ministry of Agriculture and Food, Minimum Distance Separation (MDS) training, March 2002.

- University of Guelph - Nutrient Management Act training, 2001.