

Joanne Hammond

Archaeologist at Pacific Heritage Research

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Heritage expert connected to BC's archaeology and Indigenous heritage communities, dedicated to public outreach on BC's past.

Biography

I am an archaeologist and anthropologist with a commercial practice built on supporting First Nations communities and organizations reclaiming control over cultural heritage and territorial governance.

My parallel areas of expertise are 1) heritage practice, policy and legislation in British Columbia, including provincial processes and community-based Indigenous heritage stewardship, 2) the archaeology of precontact British Columbia, with a focus on stability and change in land use over time, and 3) rights-based engagement of Indigenous groups in the governance of heritage.

I have 20 years of cultural resource management experience in BC, Alberta and Alaska, in forestry, mining, energy, transportation, agriculture, infrastructure, residential development, recreation and tourism sectors.

I am also a program developer and advisor for Simon Fraser University's professional MA program in Heritage Resource Management, and am appointed to the Kamloops Heritage Commission to advise city council on heritage policy and management.

I'm an active communicator of archaeology to the public, working with local museums, schools, community groups and media.

Industry Expertise

Environmental Services, Research, Public Policy

Areas of Expertise

Archaeology, Heritage, Indigenous History, heritage ethics, heritage policy, Colonialism, BC history, land use studies, Indigenous heritage, Archaeological Survey, Archaeological Research, Anthropology, public heritage, public archaeology, heritage legislation, archaeological ethics, Reconciliation, heritage politics, commercial archaeology

Event Appearances

Panelist, Heritage Futures

Simon Fraser University's professional MA program in Heritage Resource Management

Invited discussant

British Columbia Archaeology Forum

Education

Simon Fraser University
Master of Arts Archaeology

McGill University
Bachelor of Arts (hons) Anthropology

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