

Adena Vanderjagt

B.Sc. Manager, Consulting Indigenous Services

Profile

Adena Vanderjagt, B.Sc., is a member of MNP's Consulting team, specializing in the Duty to Consult, Environmental Assessment review and Indigenous rights studies (also known as traditional land use studies). Adena has over 12 years' experience in this field and has worked extensively with Métis governments, First Nations and industry proponents.

Adena has worked on a variety of Indigenous rights studies, with expertise in Métis project-specific studies; and has worked on a number of successful regulatory interventions and innovative assessment reports.

Adena's most recent projects include environmental assessment review and execution of rights-specific assessments which focus on the collection of Indigenous specific baseline information and the identification of potential effects to Indigenous rights.

Adena is known for her detailed orientation, and ability to navigate complex ideas and succinctly translate those ideas into products for her clients.

Service Line

Adena has extensive knowledge and experience in the areas of third-party environmental assessment review for both federal and provincial processes, execution of Indigenous specific studies such as traditional land use studies and implementing successful consultation processes. She also helps organizations understand three pillars of the Duty to Consult including treaty and Indigenous rights, environmental assessment methodology and relevant case law/regulatory environments.



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Education

Bachelor of Science – University of Calgary, 2006

Languages

English

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Industry Experience

With deep knowledge and experience in the Duty to Consult, Adena develops practical solutions and delivers results for her clients. Her cross-industry expertise includes Métis Nations, First Nation governments, industry proponents and assemblies such as Assembly of First Nations.

Project Experience

Industry	Service Line	Project Description
Indigenous Services	Duty to Consult	Gitxaała Nation – Vopak Pacific Canada EA Review and Support – 2020 - ongoing
		Managed and executed the review of the Vopak Pacific Canada Environmental Assessment, including review of the report, preparation of comments for clients and participation in conference calls with the proponent and the regulator.
Indigenous Services	Duty to Consult	Gitxaała Nation – Ridley Island Export and Logistics Terminal Project Description and Environmental Effects Evaluation Review – 2020
		Managed and executed the review including review of the report, preparation of comments for clients and participation in conference calls.
Indigenous Services	Duty to Consult	Gitxaała Nation – CN Zanardi Environmental Effects Evaluation Review – 2020
		Managed and executed the review including review of the report, preparation of comments for clients and participation in conference calls.
Indigenous Services	Duty to Consult	Métis Nation of Ontario – Region 1 and Region 7 Traditional Land Use Studies for the Nuclear Waste Management Office Adaptive Phase Management Willingness Determination – 2020 – ongoing
		Management of the execution of both studies including interview preparation, mapping management and report oversight.
Indigenous Services	Duty to Consult	Métis Nation of Ontario – Phase 1 and Phase Branch Review of the Lands, Resources and Consultation Branch – 2020 - ongoing
		Conducted a Branch Review of the LRC including internal interviews and workshops and survey/interviews with Regional Consultation Committees (Regions 1-9); production of final report.



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Indigenous Services	Duty to Consult	Métis Nation of Ontario Douglas Point Waste Facility Decommissioning License Amendment – 2020 - ongoing
		Managed and executed the review including review of the report, preparation of comments for clients and participation in conference calls and preparation for hearing.
Indigenous Services	Duty to Consult	Sayisi Dene First Nation – Alamos Gold Lynn Lake Project Environmental Impact Statement Review – 2020 - ongoing
		Managed and executed the review including review of the report, preparation of comments for clients and participation in conference calls.
Indigenous Services	Duty to Consult	Chemawawin Cree Nation - Alamos Gold Lynn Lake Project Environmental Impact Statement Review – 2020 - ongoing
		Managed and executed the review including review of the report, preparation of comments for clients and participation in conference calls.
Indigenous Services	Duty to Consult	Métis Nation of Ontario – Region 1 Wellbeing Study for the Nuclear Waste Management Office Adaptive Phase Management Willingness Determination – 2020 – ongoing
		Development and provision of specific indicators for study in an MNO specific wellbeing study. Confirmation with the Region and a preliminary desktop analysis.
Indigenous Services	Duty to Consult	Manitoba Métis Federation – Manitoba-Minnesota Transmission Project Condition Review for Condition 22 and Condition 26 of NEB/CER Approval
		Managed and executed the review including review of the conditions, preparation of comments for clients and participation in multiple rounds of edits with legal counsel.
Indigenous Services	Duty to Consult	Metis Nation of Ontario, Regions 1 and 2 – Hydro One Waasigan Transmission Project –2019 - ongoing
		Regions 1 and 2 of the Metis Nation of Ontario are being consulted on the development of the Waasigan transmission line by Hydro One. MNP was engaged to support the MNO with:
		 Conduct routing workshops with three Metis community councils Conduct Valued Component workshops to identify criteria for the assessment of effects to Metis rights and interests within the



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		environmental assessmentLiaise with the Proponent on inclusion of information in the dTOR
Indigenous Services	Duty to Consult	Metis Nation of Ontario, Region 7 – Bruce Power & Ontario Power Generation Nuclear Energy Projects – 2013 - ongoing
		The Georgian Bay communities of the Metis Nation of Ontario are engaging their citizens to understand community concerns around the existing and planned Nuclear developments in the region.
		Conduct a traditional land use study in the region
		 Review of background information on issues and concerns in relation to Nuclear Energy filed with regulatory agencies
		 Facilitation of a series of community workshops to identify preliminary values
		 Facilitation of a series of community meetings to present preliminary values and deliver a survey (hand-out, written survey)
		 Data analysis of survey results and preparation of a report on community values and concerns
		• Final series of community meetings to present survey results and seek input on next steps
		• Technical review of environmental assessments and other related filings
		• Present on behalf of the MNO at the Canadian Nuclear Safety Commission hearings
Indigenous Services	Duty to Consult	Metis Nation of Ontario, Region 5 – Chalk River Laboratories Nuclear Energy Projects – 2017- ongoing
		The Mattawa area communities of the Metis Nation of Ontario are being consulted on several applications related to decommissioning and relicensing of the nuclear research facilities and Chalk River Labs:
		• Review of background information on issues and concerns in relation to Nuclear Energy filed with regulatory agencies
		• Technical review of environmental assessments and other related filings
Indigenous Services	Duty to Consult	Stoney Nakoda Nations – TMX Traditional Land Use Study – 2019 - 2020
		Managed the completion of a Traditional Land Use Study for the TMX



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		TLU Project.
Indigenous Services	Duty to Consult	Gitxaała Nation – Vopak Pacific Canada Traditional Land Use Study – 2019 - 2020
		Managed the completion of a Traditional Land Use Study for the Vopak Pacific Canada Project.
Indigenous Services	Duty to Consult	Michel First Nation – NGTL Edson Mainline Project and NGTL 2021 Expansion Project– 2019 – 2020
		Supported the Regulatory Process and Regulatory submissions for the NGTL Edson Mainline Project and NGTL 2021 Expansion Project, including:
		Participation at meetings
		Budget support
		IR submissions
		Written Submission
		Hearing support and participation
Indigenous Services	Duty to Consult	Ka'a'gee Tu First Nation – Joint Offer Support – 2019
		Organized and prepared materials to explain the Dehcho First Nations Joint offer to Ka'a'gee Tu First Nation.
Indigenous Services	Duty to Consult	Sambaa K'e First Nation – Joint Offer Support – 2019
		Organized and prepared materials to explain the Dehcho First Nations Joint offer to Sambaa K'e First Nation.
Indigenous Services	Duty to Consult	Kitsumkalum – Economic Accommodation Principles & Valuation Analysis of Ridley Terminals Inc. – 2019
		Researched and prepared a Report to provide Kitsumkalum with information necessary for ongoing negotiations with the Government of Canada in relation to the Divesture Accommodation Agreement.
		This Report included information on Kitsumkalum Laxyuup, Kitsumkalum Title and Rights Summary, Kitsumkalum Declaration, and economic accommodation principles. This information was then synthesized into an economic accommodation matrix which could be used by Kitsumkalum.
Indigenous	Duty to Consult	Battlefords Agency of Tribal Chiefs Inc. – Government of Canada





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Services		Bill C-69 Community Feedback Report – 2019
		Managed the completion of a Community Feedback Report to summarize presentation results completed to inform BATC nations about Bill C-69.
Indigenous Services	Duty to Consult	Beaver Lake Cree Nation - Land Use Survey and Traditional Land Use Study for Beaver Lake Cree Nation – 2018
		• Delivered several land use studies for Beaver Lake Cree Nation on multiple resource development projects
		Study and interview guide development
		Author and senior review of several report deliverables
		Training of BLCN staff to conduct interviews
Energy and Utilities	Risk and Control	Alberta Utilities Commission – Risk and Control Framework - 2017
		Completed a Risk and Control Framework for the Alberta Utilities Commission High Pressure Pipeline Monitoring Program through the Alberta Energy Regulator.
Indigenous Services	Duty to Consult	Manitoba Métis Federation – Manitoba Hydro Birtle Transmission Project - 2017
		Completed a Métis Land Use and Occupancy Baseline Data Report for the Birtle Transmission Project. This included focus group execution, community meetings, survey execution with focus groups and selected interviewees, data analysis and report writing.
Indigenous Services	Duty to Consult	Gitxaała Nation – Prince Rupert Harbour Strength of Claim - 2017
		Mapping of Gitxaała historically identified use and occupancy data for the Gitxaała Nation Prince Rupert Harbour Strength of Claim.
Indigenous Services	Duty to Consult	Métis Nation of Ontario – NextBridge East-West Tie Transmission Project Environmental Assessment Report Review – 2016/2017
		Managed and executed the review of the NextBridge East-West Tie Transmission Project Environmental Assessment Report, including review of the draft report, review of the final report, preparation of comments for clients and participation in conference calls with the proponent and the regulator.
Indigenous Services	Duty to Consult	Métis Nation of Ontario - NextBridge East-West Tie Transmission Project Occupied Lands Report - 2017





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		Completed a supplementary Occupied Lands Report for the Métis Nation of Ontario in regard to the NextBridge East-West Tie Transmission Project. This included focus group execution, community meetings, survey execution, data analysis and report writing.
Indigenous Services	Duty to Consult	Manitoba Métis Federation – Manitoba Hydro Manitoba- Minnesota Transmission Project – 2016 - 2017 Managed and executed the review of the Manitoba-Minnesota Transmission Project Environmental Assessment Report, including review of the draft report, review of the final report, preparation of comments for clients and participation in conference calls with the proponent.
Indigenous Services	Duty to Consult	Gitxaała Nation – Banks Island Gold Human Health and Ecological Risk Assessment - 2017 Development and formatting of survey questions for implementation of Banks Island Gold Human Health and Ecological Risk Assessment.
Indigenous Services	Duty to Consult	 Manitoba Métis Federation – Manitoba Hydro Manitoba- Minnesota Transmission Project – 2016 Completed a Métis Land Use and Occupancy Report for the Manitoba-Minnesota Transmission Project. This included focus group execution, community meetings, survey execution with focus groups and selected interviewees, data analysis and report writing.
Indigenous Services	Duty to Consult	Métis Nation of Ontario - Ontario Power Generation Deep Geologic Repository (DGR) and Bruce A and Bruce B Nuclear Generating Stations Relicensing Valued Components Monitoring – 2016 - 2019 Completed a Métis Nation of Ontario Valued Components Monitoring Report for the Ontario Power Generation Deep Geologic Repository (DGR) and Bruce A and Bruce B Nuclear Generating Stations Relicensing. This included focus group execution, community meetings, survey execution with focus groups and selected interviewees, data analysis and report writing.
Indigenous Services	Duty to Consult	Métis Nation of Ontario - Ontario Power Generation Deep Geologic Repository (DGR) Application Review - 2017 Reviewed additional information related to the Ontario Power Generation Deep Geologic Repository (DGR) application which was before the Canadian Environmental Assessment Agency for minister approval.





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Indigenous Services	Duty to Consult	Métis Nation of Ontario - Western-Waste Management Facility 10-year license renewal - 2017
		Executed the review of the Western-Waste Management Facility 10- year license renewal, including preparation of comments for clients and participation in conference calls.
Indigenous Services	Duty to Consult	Métis Nation of Ontario - Greenstone Gold Hardrock Mine Project Application - 2017
		Executed the review of the Greenstone Gold Hardrock Mine Project Application, including review of the draft report, review of the final report, preparation of comments for clients and participation in conference calls with the proponent.
Indigenous Services	Duty to Consult	Métis Nation of Ontario - Regulatory Oversight Report for Canadian Nuclear Power Plants: 2016 - 2017
		Executed the review of the Regulatory Oversight Report for Canadian Nuclear Power Plants: 2016, including review of the final report, preparation of comments for clients and participation in conference calls.
Indigenous Services	Duty to Consult	Métis Nation of Ontario - Canadian Nuclear Laboratories Near Surface Disposal Facility Environmental Impact Statement - 2017
		Executed the review of the Canadian Nuclear Laboratories Near Surface Disposal Facility Environmental Impact Statement, including review of the report, preparation of comments for clients and participation in conference calls.
Indigenous Services	Duty to Consult	Beaver Lake Cree Nation – Various Traditional Land Use Studies - 2017
		Methodology and interview survey development for four (4) Traditional Land Use Studies to be executed by Beaver Lake Cree Nation, including an in-person training session with BLCN staff.
		Mapping of collected Traditional Land Use Information for inclusion in the Report.
Indigenous Services	Duty to Consult	Assembly of First Nations – Specific Claims Dialogue Sessions - 2017
		Facilitation and drafting of a recommendation report for the Assembly of First Nations Specific Claims Dialogue Sessions.





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Indigenous Services	Duty to Consult	Blackfoot Confederacy – Session on the United Nations Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples - 2017
		Facilitation and development of a recommendation report for integration of principles of the United Nations Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples for the Blackfoot Confederacy.
Indigenous Services	Duty to Consult	Gitxaała Nation - Valued Components Report for the Aurora LNG Project, WCC LNG Project, Grassy Point LNG Project and AltaGas Project - 2016
		Completion of a Valued Components Report for the Aurora LNG Project, WCC LNG Project, Grassy Point LNG Project and AltaGas Project on behalf of Gitxaała Nation.
Pre-merger Work		
Indigenous	Duty to Consult	Gitxaała Nation - 2016
Services		Review of the Environmental Assessments for Aurora LNG Project, WCC LNG Project, Grassy Point LNG Project and AltaGas Project, including review of the document and preparation of comments for Gitxaała Nation.
Indigenous	Duty to Consult	Métis Nation of Ontario - 2015
Services		Executed the review of the Joint Review Panel Environmental Assessment Report for the Deep Geologic Repository for Low and Intermediate Level Radioactive Waste on behalf of the Métis Nation of Ontario, including review of the report, preparation of comments for clients and participation in conference calls.
Indigenous	Duty to Consult	Métis Nation of Ontario - 2015
Services		Executed the review of the Treasury Metals Inc. Goliath Gold Project Environmental Impact Statement on behalf of the Métis Nation of Ontario, including review of the report, preparation of comments for clients and participation in conference calls.
Indigenous	Duty to Consult	O'Chiese First Nation - 2015
Services		Review of the Alberta Biodiversity Policy on behalf of O'Chiese First Nation, including review and provision of comment letter.
Indigenous	Duty to Consult	James Smith Cree Nation - 2015
Services		Executed the review of the Shore Diamond (formally Shore Gold) Star- Orion Diamond Mine on behalf of James Smith Cree Nation, including review of the report, preparation of comments for clients and participation in conference calls.
Indigenous	Duty to Consult	Métis Nation of Ontario - 2014

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Services		Completed a Métis Nation of Ontario Traditional Land Use Study and Evaluation Criteria Report. This included interview methodology development and execution, data analysis and report writing.
Indigenous	Duty to Consult	Métis Nation of Ontario – 2013 - 2014
Services		Executed the review of the Rainy River Gold Project on behalf of the Métis Nation of Ontario, including review of the report, preparation of comments for clients and participation in conference calls.
Indigenous	Duty to Consult	Gitxaała Nation - 2013 - 2015
Services		Review of the Environmental Assessments for Pacific Northwest LNG, Prince Rupert LNG, Westcoast Connector Project, LNG Canada Project and Prince Rupert Gas Transmission Project, including review of the document and preparation of comments for Gitxaała Nation.
Indigenous	Duty to Consult	Gitxaała Nation - 2013 – 2015
Services		Completion of a Valued Components Report for Pacific Northwest LNG, Prince Rupert LNG, Westcoast Connector Project, LNG Canada Project and Prince Rupert Gas Transmission Project on behalf of Gitxaała Nation.
Indigenous	Duty to Consult	O'Chiese First Nation - 2013
Services		Completion of a Preliminary Survey of Traditional Use for the Encana Willesden 3D Seismic Program for O'Chiese First Nation.
Indigenous	Duty to Consult	Métis Nation of Ontario - 2013
Services		Executed the review of the Rubicon Minerals Phoenix Gold Mine Closure Plan on behalf of the Métis Nation of Ontario, including review of the report, preparation of comments for clients and participation in conference calls.
Indigenous	Duty to Consult	Métis Nation of Ontario - 2012
Services		Executed the review of the Osisko Mining Project on behalf of the Métis Nation of Ontario, including review of the report, preparation of comments for clients and participation in conference calls.
Indigenous	Duty to Consult	Métis Nation of Ontario - 2012 - 2013
Services		Executed the review of the Ontario Power Generation Deep Geologic Repository for Low & Intermediate Level Waste on behalf of the Métis Nation of Ontario, including review of the report, preparation of comments for clients and participation in conference calls.
Indigenous	Duty to Consult	Métis Nation of Ontario - 2012 - 2013
Services		Completed a Métis Nation of Ontario Traditional Land Use Study for the Ontario Power Generation Deep Geologic Repository for Low & Intermediate Level Waste. This included interview methodology



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		development and execution, data analysis and report writing.
Indigenous	Duty to Consult	James Smith Cree Nation - 2012
Services		Completed a Traditional Land Use Study for the SaskPower Shore Gold Diamond Mine Transmission Line on behalf of James Smith Cree Nation. This included interviewing, mapping and reporting.
Energy and Utilities	Duty to Consult	Surmont Energy Ltd 2012
		Public and Indigenous Consultation for a Pilot Project for Surmont Energy Ltd., including development of materials, provision to stakeholders and stakeholder tracking.
Energy and Utilities	Duty to Consult	Statoil Canada Ltd 2011 - 2014
		Public and Indigenous Consultation for the Kai Kos Dehseh Project amendments for Statoil Canada Ltd., including development of materials, provision to stakeholders, stakeholder meetings and management and stakeholder tracking.
Energy and Utilities	Duty to Consult	Oak Point Energy - 2011
		Public and Indigenous Consultation for Oak Point Energy Lewis SAGD Pilot Project, including development of materials, provision to stakeholders and stakeholder tracking.
Indigenous	Duty to Consult	James Smith Cree Nation - 2011
Services		Completed a Traditional Land Use Study for the Shore Gold Star- Orion South Diamond Project on behalf of James Smith Cree Nation. This included interviewing, mapping and reporting.
Indigenous	Duty to Consult	Chipewyan Prairie Dene First Nation - 2010
Services		Executed the review of the MEG Christina Lake Project, Cenovus Narrows Lake Project and Petrobank May River Project on behalf of Chipewyan Prairie Dene First Nation, including review of the report, preparation of comments for clients and participation in conference calls.
Indigenous	Duty to Consult	Gitxaała Nation – 2010 - 2011
Services		Executed the review of the Enbridge Northern Gateway Project on behalf of Gitxaała Nation, including review of the report, preparation of comments for clients and participation in conference calls.
Indigenous	Duty to Consult	Gitxaała Nation – 2010 - 2011
Services		Completed a Traditional Land Use Study for the Enbridge Northern Gateway Project on behalf of Gitxaała Nation. This included interviewing, mapping and reporting.
Indigenous Services	Duty to Consult	James Smith Cree Nation – 2010 - 2011





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		Executed the review of the Shore Gold Star-Orion South Diamond Project on behalf of James Smith Cree Nation, including review of the report, preparation of comments for clients and participation in conference calls.
Indigenous Services	Duty to Consult	Michel First Nation - 2009 - 2010 Executed the review of the Enbridge Northern Gateway Project on behalf of Michel First Nation, including review of the report, preparation of comments for clients and participation in conference calls.
Indigenous Services	Duty to Consult	Michel First Nation - 2009 - 2010 Completed a Traditional Land Use Study for the Enbridge Northern Gateway Project on behalf of Michel First Nation. This included interviewing, mapping and reporting.
Indigenous Services	Duty to Consult	Métis Local 125 and Métis Local 63 - 2010 - 2011 Graphic Design and Document Layout for the Métis Local 125 and Métis Local 63 Community Plans for Teck Resources Ltd.; Graphic Design and Document Layout for the Barb Hermansen: Her Story, The Last Women to Raise Children on the Athabasca River Report for Teck Resources Ltd.
Indigenous Services	Duty to Consult	Dene Tha' First Nation - 2008 - 2010 Consultation Coordinator and Project Manager for Dene Tha' First Nation including development of a Land Use Management Framework and Consultation Protocols, budgeting and financial reporting.
Indigenous Services	Duty to Consult	Eagle Forest Developments - 2008 - 2009 Pre-disclosure activities for the Mara Lake BC Development on behalf of Eagle Forest Developments, including development of consultation strategy, inclusion lists, support at selected meetings and issues recording and tracking.
Indigenous Services	Duty to Consult	Métis Nation of Alberta - 2008 - 2009 Consultation Coordinator for Métis Nation of Alberta including development of a Land Use Management Framework and Consultation Protocols and response to Industrial Heartland Project applications.
Energy and Utilities	Duty to Consult	Southern Pacific Resources Corp 2008 - 2011 Consultation Coordinator for Southern Pacific Resources Corp. McKay North SAGD Project including development of consultation strategy, inclusion lists, pre-disclosure activities, support at selected meetings and issues recording, tracking and reporting.

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Indigenous	Duty to Consult	Métis Nation of Ontario - 2009
Services		Graphic design and Document Layout for the Métis Nation of Ontario Consultation and Engagement Strategic Multi-Year Plan.

Work Experience

Organization	Title	Timeframe (MM/YY – MM/YY)	Role Description
MNP LLP (formally Calliou Group, merged as of 06/17)	Manager	05/08 - Present	• Responsible for executing a variety of Duty to Consult activities including Environmental Assessment Review, Traditional Land Use Study Development and Consultation Process Implementation
FMA Heritage	GIS Analyst/ Consultation Assistant	08/06 – 05/08	• Responsible for the creation of digital maps for traditional land use studies and entry level consultation activities
AGAT Laboratories	Soil Technician	05/06 – 08/06	 Responsible for soil testing and analysis including Dean Stark testing, sieve analysis and texture analysis

Additional Information

- Volunteered at the drop-in centre kitchen through an at-work developed volunteer program
- Volunteered services and time to the Michel First Nation in their ongoing work for government recognition as a Band

