

## EWA DOWNAROWICZ

Ewa has a diverse background in environmental planning, community engagement, and project management. She is particularly interested in sustainable growth management and the links between the natural and urban environment, community planning, waterfront and urban regeneration as well as open space planning.

Ewa has developed a secondary plan and transit studies for municipalities in Southern Ontario; has been involved with development approvals for a variety of residential and mixed use developments in the City of Toronto, and a visioning workshop for Mississauga city leaders to strategize about the evolution of their city. Currently, Ewa is the project manager for a regional growth strategy in Southern Ontario. The focus of the study is to understand the impact of growth on the Region's communities. A key component of all these studies is public consultation.

Prior to joining Urban Strategies Inc., Ewa worked with various governmental agencies, including the Toronto and Region Conservation Authority, where she gained extensive knowledge of the environmental regulatory and policy framework in Ontario. Ewa's experience in the environmental field is conveyed in her balanced approach to planning.

### EDUCATION

2003

Master of Science  
Resource Management and  
Environmental Studies  
University of British Columbia,  
Vancouver, BC

1999

Bachelor of Science  
Dalhousie University, Halifax NS  
Combined Honours in Biology and  
Anthropology

### PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND

2007	Planner, Urban Strategies Inc.
2004 - 2006	Planning Ecology Analyst, Toronto Region Conservation Authority, Toronto
2002 - 2003	Research Associate, Institute for Resources, Environment and Sustainability, Vancouver
2000 - 2001	Project Associate, Nova Forest Alliance, Halifax
1999 - 2000	Watershed Project Manager, Universidad Nacional, Asuncion, Paraguay

### SELECTED PROJECT EXPERIENCE

2010	West Donlands Waterfront Toronto, Development Approvals
2010	Concord Park Place, Development Approvals
2010	Sheppard Avenue Study
2010	Tibetan Canadian Cultural Centre, Development Approvals
2008-2009	251 King Street East, Development Approvals
2008-2009	Hamilton LRT Terminal Feasibility Study
2007-2009	Durham Region Growth Plan Implementation Study
2008	90 Broadview, Development Approvals
2007-2008	Village of Queenston Secondary Plan

### CONTACT

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## CURRICULUM VITAE

2007	Hamilton Transit Terminal Environment Assessment
2007	Mississauga Visioning
2007	Brock University Best Practices, St. Catharines ON
2006	Brampton East feedermain Schedule C Class Environmental Assessment
2006	High Park Stormwater Management Implementation,
2005	Assessment of Riparian Corridors in Etobicoke/Mimico Watersheds

#### SELECTED AWARDS

2009	Federal Parliamentary Commendation The Queenston Secondary Plan
2008	Niagara Community Design Award, Policy & Plans The Queenston Secondary Plan
2003	University Graduate Fellowship, University of British Columbia
2001	Environmental Youth Strategy Grant, Canadian Council for Human Resources in the Environment Industry

#### PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

Member, Ontario Professional Planners Institute  
Member, Canadian Institute of Planners  
Member, Humber Watershed Alliance

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