

# **Candidate Information Package**

President-Elect Certified Member & Candidate Member Candidates Nominated for Election to the Board of Directors (2023 - 2025 Board Term)

The following President-Elect candidate(s), Certified Members and Candidate Members have been nominated for election to the Board of Directors in their respective positions/categories:

President-Elect (1 to be elected):

Kenna Jonkman RPP, MCIP \*

Certified Members (8 to be elected):

Sawngjai (Dear) Bhokanandh RPP, MCIP

Andrew Browne RPP, MCIP

Lui Carvello RPP, MCIP

Narissa Chadwick RPP, MCIP

Cleo Corbett RPP, MCIP

Cherie Enns RPP, MCIP

Jason Llewellyn RPP, MCIP

Zoë Morrison RPP, MCIP

Sara Muir RPP, MCIP

Danielle Noble-Brandt RPP, MCIP

Meghan Norman RPP, MCIP

Ian Robertson RPP, MCIP

Alex Taylor RPP, MCIP

Andrew Yan RPP, MCIP

Candidate Member Rep:

(1 to be elected):

Sarah Foulkes \*

In this package you will find information on each Certified Member & Candidate Member Candidate as provided by the candidates themselves. PIBC members eligible to vote should refer to their voting information – <u>sent separately by electronic mail</u> – for detailed online voting instructions.

Members with any questions or concerns regarding balloting should please contact PIBC Executive Director Dave Crossley.

**Important Note:** Eligible members only receive ballots and vote for contested positions and candidates in the same respective membership category to which they themselves belong. Candidate(s) automatically elected by acclamation (if any) are noted above.

<sup>\*</sup> Note: Elected by acclamation.



### **President-Elect Candidate(s)**

# Kenna Jonkman RPP, MCIP \*



Kenna was first elected to PIBC Board in 2017 and has enjoyed collaborating and discussing matters that are important to planning professionals across BC and the Yukon. Currently, Kenna is Secretary-Treasurer for PIBC along with being the Chair of PIBC's Student Internship Program Committee. Kenna was also the previous Chair of PIBC's Membership Engagement Committee.

Kenna has more than 14 years' experience in land use planning and is currently the General Manager of Development Services with the Regional District of Fraser-Fort George. Kenna's experience with the Regional District has afforded her the ability to work on both current and long range planning projects. In addition to traditional planning work Kenna has also worked on projects and initiatives that integrate planning with other priorities and goals of local government. She has worked on a variety of projects from environmental issues, regional and community projects, air quality, emergency response, stakeholder partnerships, and economic development initiatives and has gained an appreciation of the many competing goals and objectives that

can sometimes challenge a planner's perspective. Kenna has always thought of planning as an important practice as it allows individuals to be engaged with their community and region.

As President-Elect, Kenna hopes to continue to advance the work being done by PIBC regarding meaningful reconciliation in the planning profession, climate action, diversification of planning professionals, engaging and supporting student and emerging planning professionals, supporting planning professionals in both urban and rural places throughout BC and the Yukon and ensuring fiscal accountability of the Institute.

<sup>\*</sup> Note: Elected by acclamation.



#### **Certified Member Candidates**

# Sawngjai (Dear) Bhokanandh RPP, MCIP



about having the time to bake).

Hello PIBC members!

Thank you for your time and participation in this process. A little bit about me...

I am a settler originally from Bangkok, Thailand and have been fortunate to call Canada home since 2001. I am humbly thankful to be housed, raise my family, and work on the unceded, traditional lands of the x<sup>w</sup>məθkwəÿəm (Musqueam), Skwxwú7mesh (Squamish), and səlilwətat(Tsleil-Waututh) Nations, also known as Vancouver, BC. I am also a mom of two young kiddos, and when I have me-time, I like to bake (or just read recipes and dream

This is my third time running for the PIBC Board. I served as the Candidate Member Representative and Communications Committee Co-Chair from 2011-2013, and am just completing my 2021-2023 term as a Board Member. There is much work still to do (we are an ambitious institute!) and I hope to have the opportunity to continue serving our membership, and by extension the communities within which we practice, through your vote for the upcoming 2023-2025 term.

As a Cultural Planner at the City of Vancouver, I support the protection and enhancement of affordable arts and cultural spaces, with a priority for Indigenous visibility and self-determined spaces, and accessibility for equity-denied communities.

It is through the lenses of Reconciliation, redress, and equity that I apply to all aspects of my practice as a planner – be it at work or through the PIBC. I hope to continue championing for ways that our profession can better uplift those most marginalized in our communities, and it is my belief that the work starts at home: with our membership and through our Institute.

I'm always happy to chat so please reach out if you have any questions: dear.bhokanandh@vancouver.ca.



#### **Certified Member Candidates**

### **Andrew Browne RPP, MCIP**



Andrew Browne is an urban planner with 15 years' experience who is passionate about creating great places to live. Following graduation from the University of Waterloo School of Planning in 2008, he worked as a Planner 2 with the City of Kelowna for three years, where he worked on a wide variety of land use applications and policy projects including agri-tourist accommodation and ALR, coach houses, townhomes, apartment buildings, official community plan review, revitalization tax exemption areas, hillside development policy, various advisory committees, and other matters.

In 2011 he joined the District of West Vancouver as a Senior Community Planner. Here, Andrew worked for

five years to complete a key waterfront development and municipal land sale in Ambleside, and major developments around Park Royal, Ambleside, Horseshoe Bay, and the Upper Lands (British Properties). In 2016 Andrew joined the Transit Oriented Development (TOD) and Master Planning team in the Vancouver office of IBI Group, an architecture, engineering and planning consultancy. Here over three years he worked across the continent with both public- and private-sector clients on TOD and transit-supportive projects, large-site master planning, and to bring the RailVolution TOD conference to Vancouver.

In 2019 Andrew moved to join the development team of a Canadian owner, operator, and developer of purpose-built rental housing, and is today working to bring several thousand rental homes forward in Metro Vancouver and the Capital Region.

Andrew has volunteered for years with the Urban Land Institute BC Young Leaders Group, first as an event volunteer and progressing to co-chair organizing the work of more than 25 volunteers.

His planning experience within municipal hall, as a TOD and master planning consultant, and as a purpose-built rental housing developer, is a unique blend that is ideally suited to the issues that we face today as a profession – namely, housing, and how best we can collaborate within our respective areas of expertise under the larger umbrella of our profession. Housing underlies virtually every challenge we face today, and we need a renewed focus on housing and transportation if the profession is to stay credible and relevant.

In his spare time, Andrew enjoys biking, skiing, hiking, soccer, and training his dog.



#### **Certified Member Candidates**

### Lui Carvello RPP, MCIP



Lui Carvello, RPP, MCIP is passionate about the planning profession and hopes to continue his service to PIBC and its membership on the Board of Directors, including by bringing his legal perspective to the table. Lui considers law a speciality within his planning career, that first begin with an interest in high school, then a BES (Honours Urban and Regional Planning) from Waterloo and an MES (Consensus Building and Dispute Resolution in Planning) from York while also going to Osgoode Hall Law School.

He has worked in planning departments in BC, Ontario and England, and with consultants, and now focuses on providing practical legal advice and creative options in planning, development and environmental matters. Carvello Law has 55+ local government clients across the province, along with work for a non-profit conservation organization, First Nations and the Province.

Lui has sought to contribute to the profession through volunteer efforts, speaking engagements, articles, sponsorships, and employment of young planning professionals.

Lui didn't expect to run for a sixth term, but events both within FIBC and from external sources have rejuvenated him and highlighted the value of his experience and strategic perspective. The Province's approach to professional regulation and the enactment of the Professional Governance Act may lead to provincial oversight, perhaps with a right-to-practice. Although Lui has never advocated for right-to-practice legislation, as this is an issue RPPs who practice planning on a daily basis should decide upon, he has strongly advocated for a fulsome analysis and discussion on the topic, and for PIBC to be ready should the Province bring planners under the PGA. He's also advocated for building a stronger relationship with the province and ministry staff, and had to fight for that again this past term when other agendas were sought to be advanced in a conflicting manner. (Like good planners, we found a win-win solution.)

With your support, Lui hopes to be able to continue on the PIBC Board and PIBC's Policy and Public Affairs Committee.



#### **Certified Member Candidates**

# Narissa Chadwick RPP, MCIP



Narissa Chadwick's planning journey began with gathering an oral history of the history of regional planning in BC which became her Master's thesis. Ever since, then Narissa has been committed to upholding the provincial goals enshrined in the in the provincial growth strategy legislation (check them out).

Narissa's career with the Province included the development of BC's Integrated Community Sustainability program, the implementation of legislation requiring local government to have climate mitigation targets and managing the development and implementation of the Community Lifecycle Costing Tool (CLIC) which emphasizes coordination with planning, finance and

engineering related to infrastructure costing and land use.

Now, 25 years later, Narissa is working in the trenches for the Islands Trust focussing on policy and program development related to freshwater sustainability and housing. Systems thinking, partnership building and mentorship are foundational in all Narissa's work.

Family, friends, music and self-propelled movement outside are what dominate Narissa's personal life.



#### **Certified Member Candidates**

# Cleo Corbett RPP, MCIP



Growing up traveling the world and living in Co-op Housing in Vancouver, Cleo Corbett has a unique perspective on planning and what "home" means. Cleo started her professional career in tourism and recreation management (leisurology), which has provided a unique and poignant backdrop for the twenty years she worked as a municipal planner in BC resource communities transitioning to amenity driven economies. Cleo received registration to the Institute through the alternative route to certification. Cleo will act as a proud representative for fellow Prior Learning Assessment Recognition (PLAR) applicants to ensure the profession is rich with a diversity of perspectives and backgrounds and remains inclusive. This is especially true for rural, remote, and Indigenous communities in BC and the Yukon. Cleo walks the talk by reviewing PLAR applications to the Professional Standards Board and by mentoring prospective student and candidate members.

While Cleo has worked in many aspects of planning including development, long-range planning, and social planning, housing has always been her passion. As a Senior Specialist with CMHC's new Municipal Relations team, her focus is on improving housing systems for all people in Canada. Cleo prides

herself on creative policy development, sound implementation, building strong partnerships, and encouraging systems change. She will bring all of these areas of focus into her work on the Board of the PIBC. Cleo balances a busy career and family life with tennis, dog walks, theatre, and rock 'n' roll.



#### **Certified Member Candidates**

# Cherie Enns RPP, MCIP



Cherie Enns has been working in the planning field for over 30 years and a member of the Canadian Institute of Planners for over 25 years. After graduating from SCARP in 1985, she worked for Lavalin and has continued as a practitioner in a consulting role, operating a small firm that focuses on policy, housing, and child/youth rights, known as Cherie Enns Consulting Inc or operationally as Transformative Community Planning and Policy. She has written many housing and child-care policies and worked on several innovative housing projects.

In the mid-1990s and to this day, she teaches urban geography and planning courses at the University of the Fraser Valley (UFV). She has enjoyed watching many former students go on to very successful planning careers. Seeing a need for undergraduate planning education in the Fraser Valley, she has recently led the successful launch of an undergraduate planning degree. She is looking forward to being part of a program that integrates values of social or spatial justice and inclusion and diversity, focusing on applied for studio-based programs. She is grateful for the solid indigenous support for the program, and UFV has committed to hiring an Indigenous Planner in Residence in the coming year.

In 2018 Cherie graduated with a Ph.D. in planning and policy from Ardhi University in Tanzania. Having lived as a child in Kenya, Cherie is very involved in international projects, including an advisor to the UN-Habitat program related to cities and youth integrating innovative technology. Cherie has volunteered over the years with PIBC and serves as a mentor for youth planning professionals. She is interested in a two-year term as a board member. Specifically, she is committed to professional development related to planning not just at a local but also at a global scale with attention to sustainable development goals and needs and rights of vulnerable populations.

Cherie has two adult children and is a recent grandmother as well. In her spare time, she enjoys travel, hiking and time with friends and family.



#### **Certified Member Candidates**

# Jason Llewellyn RPP, MCIP



Jason has more than 28 years of experience working as a planner for municipal and regional district governments in BC. He has been a PIBC member since 1995, and a member of the Association of Regional District Planning Managers since 2004. He is currently serving in his 17<sup>th</sup> year as Director of the Planning Department for the Regional District of Bulkley-Nechako. This department provides planning and development, building inspection, transit, parks and trails, and bylaw enforcement services to the rural areas and to member municipalities under contract. Jason has also worked as a planning manager for the City of Prince George, the Town of Smithers, and the Regional District of Nanaimo.

Jason has a Bachelor of Arts (Honours) Degree in Geography from Simon Fraser University, and a Master of Science Degree in Environmental Science from the University of Northern British Columbia (UNBC). He has also instructed for the School of Planning and Sustainability at UNBC.

In addition to increasing awareness of the profession across BC and the Yukon, Jason has an interest in raising the profile of rural and small-town planning within PIBC, and advancing an understanding of rural planning best practices.

Jason balances his work life by escaping the built environment at every opportunity. He enjoys camping, snowshoeing, and mountain biking. And he has a passion for fly fishing the province's lakes and rivers.

Jason is excited by the opportunity to contribute to the ongoing success of PIBC as a member of the Board. It would be his privilege to serve the institute and its members across BC and the Yukon.



#### **Certified Member Candidates**

### Zoë Morrison RPP, MCIP



Zoë Morrison is a Whitehorse-based planner who has been in the profession for 19 years. She completed a Master in Urban and Rural Planning at Dalhousie University in 2004. Zoë has been with Stantec for five years, and is a senior planner and the Whitehorse Office Leader.

Zoë has spent her career in the North and has worked with communities, First Nations and local governments across the Yukon, Northwest Territories, Northern Ontario, Nunavut, and Alaska. She works on a wide range of projects including official community plans, neighbourhood design, climate action planning, active transportation, zoning bylaws, and downtown revitalization. She has excellent communication skills and can bring diverse groups together. Before joining Stantec, Zoë worked for

Yukon government and the City of Whitehorse, as well as for smaller planning firms. Having experience in the both the public and private sectors means that she understands the diverse challenges planners face.

Zoë has been involved in the PIBC for over 10 years. She helped set up the Yukon Chapter in 2012 and has been involved ever since. While on the executive, she hosted lunch and learns, welcomed new planners and built the network of professional planners in the Yukon. Zoë was a co-chair for the 2021 PIBC Annual Conference, which was held as hybrid event in Whitehorse. She has been a long-term volunteer on the Professional Standards & Certification Committee. However, the PIBC-related activity that Zoë has enjoyed the most has been mentorship and she has loved mentoring planners both formally and informally.

Zoë would like to represent Yukon and BC planners on the PIBC Board of Directors. As people come back together in person, she sees the importance of strengthening the local planning chapters, celebrating the professional and building relationships. Zoë is committed to continuing PIBC's important work on climate change and reconciliation. Lastly, she would like to continue to grow membership by ensuring PIBC's approach and activities stay relevant as the profession continues to evolve.

Zoë has two young boys, and spends her spare time playing hockey, hiking, camping, and wondering if driving kids to soccer is considered a hobby.



#### **Certified Member Candidates**

# Sara Muir RPP, MCIP



A landscape architect by training and a registered planner by practice, Sara is driven by a desire for fairness and peace amongst healthy and diverse communities, together thriving in a stable climate. Her everyday work aims to connect people—be they researchers, policy makers, community members—to co-create, plan, and implement mitigation and adaptation solutions to climate change. She's also been exploring how cities can use the UN Sustainable Development Goals as a framework for local government planning and policy development to advance climate change solutions and sustainability at the community level.

Sara oversees the administration, management and planning of the Pacific Institute for Climate Solutions (PICS) programs at UBC, including faculty-led research related to

climate change mitigation and adaptation in the built environment, transportation, forestry and energy sectors. She also coordinates many climate change solutions seminars, panel sessions, events and outreach activities at the university and throughout Metro Vancouver. In addition to her role with PICS, she works with the UBC Sustainability Hub to advance sustainability at UBC and across the region. Sara has been volunteering with the Planning Institute of British Columbia (PIBC) since 2011, serving on the Continuous Professional Learning committee; the Climate Action subcommittee; and, Chair of the Policy and Public Affairs Committee, in addition to her role as a Director on the PIBC Board (2019-2023).

Sara is keen to continue her role on the PIBC Board of Directors for the coming two-year term to support the growth and development of the planning profession in the areas of climate change and sustainability. She also hopes to continue her role as Chair of the Policy and Public Affairs Committee to advance PIBC's partnership and engagement with relevant BC government ministries, and further explore the Professional Governance Act in context of the planning profession. On the personal side, some of her favourite activities to do in and around the city include playing soccer in the metro Vancouver women's soccer league; preparing homecooked dinners with friends and family; and exploring the built and natural environment with her two kids..



#### **Certified Member Candidates**

# Danielle Noble-Brandt RPP, MCIP



Danielle Noble has been working in the planning field for more than 19 years, having graduated from Wilfred Laurier University with a Masters of Environmental Studies. Following graduation, she worked as a Planner in the small community of Coldstream, and then moved to the City of Kelowna in various roles of development planning that shaped many significant projects in the Kelowna landscape.

In 2013, she moved into her current role as Department Manager of Policy and Planning where her planning work has focused on leading major longterm planning projects such as the comprehensive review of the City's Official Community Plan, Healthy

Housing Strategy, Agriculture Plan update, Community Climate Action Plan, among many other activities of neighborhood revitalization. Her planning practice is characterized by an emphasis on collaborations across sectors and advancing the built environment to improve health, equity, and connectedness for communities. She is passionate about creating places where people flourish, and in her current capacity she shares her vision for cities of the future and her passion for walkable, healthy, and connected communities that enhance public life.

Danielle has been a Certified Member and Registered Professional Planner since 2010 and has been involved in various local chapter events. She is interested in joining the PIBC Board of Directors for the upcoming term to propel the planning profession forward at a time of deep societal change and transformation. Today, what feels so meaningful is the vast opportunity in the post-covid era to address issues of housing and food insecurity, diversity, equity and inclusion, and climate vulnerability from a systems lens. Importantly as practicing professionals, it can be challenging to meet our obligation to upholding public interest while navigating so many tensions. The PIBC Board is positioned to continuously raise awareness and knowledge for the discipline at large, and to advance planning processes that safeguard the public trust while advancing economic, social and racial equity for present and future generations. When she is not focusing on city building, Danielle can be found enjoying nature hikes, trail running, or time with her daughter.



#### **Certified Member Candidates**

# Meghan Norman RPP, MCIP



Meghan Norman has been a professional planner for 12 years, working within Alberta and British Columbia and has public and private experience with big city, small town, and rural planning. Meghan is currently serving as the Secretary on the PIBC Vancouver Island North Chapter Committee. Meghan's strengths on boards and doing committee work is being able to use her connections and network to bring people together. As a Director of the PIBC board, Meghan's main goals are to roll up her sleeves and get to work by increasing the profile of PIBC and professional planning and advocating for professional planners and students of BC and Yukon in the ever changing and demanding world of professional planning.

Meghan is seeking your support to serve as a Director on the PIBC Board. Meghan believes that being a Director is an important and active leadership position that requires addressing sticky issues and having tough conversations all while working closely with the other Directors to develop strategic policies and

actions that are innovative, creative, and slightly risk-taking.

Planners and the planning profession are facing challenges like never before – increasing costs and low supply of housing, climate change, the necessity of bringing truth and reconciliation into our daily practice and increasing inclusivity in our engagement practices and everyday work (to name a few). As a Director, Meghan wants to work with the board to increase the profile of PIBC by having more face time and dialogue with provincial, territorial, and federal representatives.

When not involved in planning debates, questioning why cars are *actually* the ones planning our cities, all while trying to keep up with family activities, you can find Meghan with her roller skates playing a bout with the Comox Valley Brick House Betties roller derby team.



#### **Certified Member Candidates**

# Ian Robertson RPP, MCIP



During my 49-year career I have worked in 5 provinces and all three territories providing planning services to all levels of government, NGOs, and the private sector. I have been an activist volunteer since high school and my student planning years at the University of Waterloo back in "ancient times". I was the first student appointed to faculty council and first to provide a student voice representing my faculty on the university senate. Giving back to my community and profession is part of my DNA.

I have followed the path less travelled based on one fundamental, holistic principle - system stability and resilience come from diversity and challenging convention. Our role as planners is not only to redress current problems and past mistakes but also preserve future choice through active, respectful stewardship of our land, air, and waters for future generations. Who better than planners with a holistic perspective to speak for the natural environment, a balanced economy and a just, inclusive society?

I fought for years to make universal access to life-long continuing education mandatory in our profession encouraging integrated, professional, and cultural cross-learning. I have been a candidate for President of CIP and served on boards at the national, provincial /territorial, and municipal levels. I have contributed papers and helped organize the two PIBC conferences here in Yukon. I also served three terms on the Yukon Land Use Planning Council and one term on the Inuvialuit Environmental Impact Review Board. I have also served on national award juries, helped develop CSA northern drainage standards and negotiated intergovernmental agreements. Most recently I served as chair of the program evaluations of UNBC and the University of Saskatchewan planning programs.

I am a creative problem-solver with diverse, practical planning experience at the urban, regional, provincial/territorial, and federal levels producing tangible, precedent-setting results. Few can say their work has taken them to all four corners of this magnificent country we call home. I would welcome the opportunity to serve on the PIBC Board.

I am an explorer, golfer and pilot in my spare time, a 32-year member of the Yukon Civil Air Search and Rescue Association.



#### **Certified Member Candidates**

# **Alex Taylor RPP, MCIP**



I have been humbled and honoured to represent you on the PIBC Board for the past four years, having served on the Executive Committee and Governance & Nominating Committee, as a Signing Authority, and as Professional Conduct Review Committee (PCRC) Chair.

I am seeking re-election so I can continue to advocate for:

- Growing membership and developing the planning profession to ensure that PIBC more represents the diverse communities we plan for, using a justice, equity, diversity and inclusion lens,
- Improving the depth and breadth of professional events, and ensuring the Board considers the challenges and constraints of our chapters and their volunteers,
- Ensuring and communicating the value-for-money provided by PIBC to members,
- Finding efficiencies in PIBC and committee operations, and
- Ensuring that planners are better known for their contributions to solving many key challenges our communities face, including housing and homelessness, climate change and social inequity.

As chair of PIBC's Professional Conduct Review Committee (PCRC), we've recently expanded to better reflect PIBC's diversity and keep pace with recent professional conduct complaint trends. Should I be re-elected, I hope to lead a review and refresh of PIBC's Code of Ethics and Professional Conduct in 2024, to better include topics of bullying, harassment, discrimination and work safety, in-person and in the digital realm, and continue to advocate for transparency for members to better understand the complaint process and investigation results, within the limits of PIBC Bylaws.

Alex is an award-winning planner and project manager with two decades of experience in civic leadership, community and parks planning, public engagement, land development and project management. Currently a Senior Public Space Planner with the City of Vancouver, Alex liaises with community partners to envision and activate the city's public spaces, and is an advocate for reconciliation, justice, equity, diversity and inclusion in his work. Alex has worked for almost a decade in local and regional government (including Regional Parks and Regional Planning at Metro Vancouver, and the City of Port Moody), and a decade as a planning consultant, leading projects for municipal governments, First Nations and land owners across BC and western Canada. He has developed and managed over 100 Community Planning projects and public engagement programs, led interdisciplinary work teams, delivered dozens of presentations and workshops with councils, managed over \$1 million in annual project budgets, and worked on projects in over 150 western Canadian municipalities.

Alex has a BA in Geography (Co-op) from the University of Calgary and a Masters of Urban Planning from McGill University. Alex actively volunteered with CIP from 2008 to 2019, as treasurer of the CIP Planning Student Trust Fund (PSTF), and with PIBC since 2010, on the South Coast Chapter (SCC) Events Committee (2011-2019), and as an oral examiner. Alex lives in East Vancouver and enjoys biking, hiking and camping with his wife and two young kids..



#### **Certified Member Candidates**

# Andrew Yan RPP, MCIP



Andy Yan is the Director of the City Program at Simon Fraser University. He has extensively worked in the non-profit and private urban planning sectors with projects in the metropolitan regions of Vancouver, San Francisco, New York City, Los Angeles and New Orleans as well as working and teaching in academia for nearly 20 years.

Andy has been a member of the PIBC since 2008 when he was an urban planner with Bing Thom Architects. With BTA as well as other planning teams, he has worked on a variety of planning projects and studies from the Surrey City Centre Plan, the Southern Alberta Institute of Technology Campus, and the Living River Plan in Tulsa, Oklahoma as well as the City of Vancouver's Neighborhood Retail Study.

Andy holds a Master of Urban Planning from the University of California – Los Angeles and a

Bachelor of Arts with First Class Honours distinctions in Geography and Political Science from Simon Fraser University.

With academic service, Andy is also an adjunct professor in Urban Studies at Simon Fraser University and a member of the Housing Research Collaborative at UBC. Andy wrote the chapter, "Census Making and City Building: Data Perspectives on the 1907 Anti-Asian Riots and the Development of Vancouver" in Henry Tsang's recently published, "White Riot: The 1907 Anti-Asian Riots in Vancouver".



### Candidate Member Candidate(s)

#### Sarah Foulkes \*



I am originally from the UK but moved to Vancouver Island 5 years ago to spend more time with my Canadian family. I fell in love with Vancouver Island and am proud to call it my home. In 2022 I graduated from the Master of Community Planning (MCP) program at Vancouver Island University. As a student, I was actively involved with the MCP Student Association, PLACE21 Conference, worked as a research assistant for the Mount Arrowsmith Biosphere Region Research Institute (MABRRI), and presented at several conferences. After graduation I worked as a Junior Planner for the Alberni Clayoquot Regional District and now, I am a

Development Planner for the Municipality of North Cowichan.

I initially become interested in a career in planning because I was fascinated by food systems and how they are an integral part of our communities. However, since studying at VIU and working in the field I have realised that the scope of planning work is far bigger than I ever imagined. As someone just starting out in their career, I find the all the different career paths available in planning work an exciting prospect.

I would like to be a PIBC board member because I enjoy being an active member of my local PIBC chapter and would like to get more involved with the organization. I have already found PIBC to be a great support for me and I hope to do the same for future planning students as they progress through their education and start their careers.

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