

YATIN DUA

Policy | Research | Programs | Public-interest writing

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EXPERIENCE

Policy and Program Analyst

Squamish Nation, Training & Trades Centre | North Vancouver, BC | Jan 2025 - Mar 2026

- Coordinated workforce and trades programming, including Environmental Monitoring, participant intake and tracking, attendance, assessments, completion records, provider coordination, and learner support.
- Managed reporting and compliance across 4 to 5 concurrent federal and provincial contribution agreements, maintaining audit-ready records and overlapping accountability requirements.
- Tracked program budgets through expenditure reporting, invoice verification, variance review, and reallocation requests.
- Sourced \$12,000 in provincial funding and managed budgets, partner coordination, and financial accountability reporting.
- Prepared briefing notes and decision materials, conducted policy and institutional scans, and coordinated with ministries, funders, post-secondary institutions, and industry partners.

Policy and Advocacy Coordinator

Gastown Business Improvement Society | Vancouver, BC | Jun 2024 - Dec 2024

- Designed and delivered monthly street research in homeless shelters, harm reduction, public safety and community record-keeping a16 service provider and d36 local business.

SELECTED RESEARCH, POLICY AND WRITING

More Than Stewards: Why Canada's Clean Energy Transition Needs Indigenous Leadership, Not Indigenous Symbolism

Policy op-ed, 2026. Indigenous governance, partnership structures, and economic participation in the clean-energy transition.

Community Care in Action

MPPA capstone, 2024. A neighbourhood-level model for homelessness, mental health, substance use, referral pathways, and community accountability.

Climate Action and Sport

Adler University, 2023. Policy scan of federal, provincial, and municipal climate instruments including carbon pricing, renewable-energy targets, and efficiency measures.

The Neglection of India's Livestock Industry in Climate Change Mitigation

The Green Matter, 2021. GHG emissions, abatement measures, India's NDC, and the National Action Plan on Climate Change.

Green GDP and the Circular Economy of Plastics

The Green Matter, 2021. Environmental measurement, economic incentives, and material flows.

Witch-hunting field research in Jharkhand

MA thesis and ASHA field research using 100-plus interviews and 150-plus surveys to examine gender, poverty, property, violence, and local power.

METHODS AND TOOLS

Policy analysis; jurisdictional and institutional scans; briefing notes; stakeholder interviews; survey design; mixed-methods research; qualitative analysis; program evaluation; contribution-agreement compliance; budget and variance tracking; data visualization; Excel; Stata; Tableau; SharePoint; Teams; WordPress; Canva; Adobe InDesign.

FELLOWSHIP AND CERTIFICATIONS

Results Canada Advocacy Fellowship (2024) | Gender-Based Analysis Plus | TCPS 2: CORE 2022 | BC FOIPPA Foundations | Foundations of Project Management (Google)

LANGUAGES

English, Hindi, Punjabi | Spanish (basic) | Mandarin (beginner)