



Sarah Tremblay

Council Member

Term on Council:
2018 - Present

Hometown:
Coquitlam, BC

Current Community:
Vancouver, BC

Inspiration

I used to work in the non-profit industry and have experience applying for my fair share of grants. I know how time-consuming and high stakes the application process can be – especially when you know that your organization's future is on the line.

Fun Fact

I used to be so scared of sharks that I wouldn't even swim in lakes or pools. Now I go diving any chance I get!

What do you hope to achieve on the Council?

I hope to draw on my personal experience as a youth who benefitted from community support and share my insights of the non-profit world. I want to grow my community and make it a better place for everyone!

What accomplishment are you most proud of to date?

After university, I spent two and a half years abroad. I traveled to 29 different countries on five different continents by myself. On my journey, I've learned so many life skills that I wouldn't have learned in school or at home.

Bio

Passionate about making change, Sarah is in the process of completing her Master of Public Policy degree while working part-time at NATIONAL Public Relations. She has experience working on a variety of campaigns including gender equality in tech, Indigenous reconciliation and LGBTQ-inclusive education. Sarah has always been passionate about being engaged with value-driven organizations; she worked at Coast Capital for a few years and is excited to play a new role with a great organization.

Given her passion for civic engagement, Sarah volunteers with various government officials as a public relations assistant, collaborating with constituents to raise awareness and support advocacy of issues such as housing affordability and the opioid crisis. She also volunteered for the BC NDP provincial election campaign and has developed an insatiable taste for the rush of the campaign trail.

In 2017, she was selected as 1 of 30 Urban Influencers in Vancouver to participate in the 30Network: a think and do tank to develop innovative solutions for Vancouver's housing affordability issue. Sarah graduated from the University of Victoria with a Bachelor of Arts in History and Political Science. She holds a certificate in public



Sarah at the top of Volcán Acatenango in Guatemala.

relations from the British Columbia Institute of Technology and continues her learning with courses in coding, Spanish and public engagement. Sarah has a love for adventure and spent a few years traveling in South East Europe.