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## SUMMARY

Policy analyst working to meaningfully advance the energy transition with a focus on oil and gas methane. 10+ years experience conducting research, writing, publishing, presenting, and mobilizing knowledge.

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## PUBLICATIONS

- "Measuring methane intensity is a key step on the path to net zero", *The Conversation*
- Proposed climate disclosure rules have gaping loophole for methane emissions", *Corporate Knights*
- "Canada is far behind the U.S. on methane reduction", *The Hill Times*
- "Methane is an air-quality problem, so treat it like one", *National Observer*
- "Too soon to celebrate progress in reducing methane gas emissions", *Policy Options*

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## EDUCATION

**PhD in Philosophy** ('17)

City University of New York

**MA in Philosophy** ('11)

Simon Fraser University

**BA Hons in Philosophy** ('09)

University of Regina

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## VOLUNTEERING

**Calgary Chapter Lead, Women in Renewable Energy (WiRE)**

Feb 2023 - Present

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## EXPERIENCE

**Senior Analyst, Oil and Gas, Pembina Institute**

Sep 2023 - present

- Developing and advocating for sound, evidence-based policy solutions to ensure the oil and gas sector meets federal and provincial methane emissions reduction targets
- Bringing expertise and thought leadership to the policy space for oil and gas methane mitigation

**Consultant, Pembina Institute**

Jun 2023 - Sep 2023

- Led creation of regulatory submission from environmental groups on B.C. methane regulations
- Supported oil and gas regulatory analysis and advocacy

**Contract Policy Researcher, St. Francis Xavier University's FluxLab**

Mar 2023 - Sep 2023

- Built knowledge of cutting-edge methane research and current policy context
- Developed innovative, evidence-based policy recommendations for methane emissions
- Contributed to research communications strategies and produced high-quality public-facing content

**Independent Energy Transition Researcher**

Sep 2022 - Mar 2023

- Established technical subject-matter expertise through literature reviews, expert interviews, webinars and online courses

**Contract Lecturer, Toronto Metropolitan University**

Dec 2021 - May 2022

- Conveyed complex matters in plain language through 80 hours of presentations to 120 diverse stakeholders

**Postdoctoral Research Fellow, University of Lisbon**

Sep 2019 - Nov 2021

- Executed complex research projects and communicated findings clearly in 5 presentations and 5 published reports

**Assistant Professor (Fixed Term), Trent University**

Aug 2017 - Aug 2019

- Engaged 964 diverse stakeholders, building relationships, responding to needs, and providing leadership and mentorship