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## Services Offered

- Mediation and Facilitation
  - Human Rights and Workplace
  - Community
  - Public Policy
  - Environmental
  - Aboriginal Issues and Land Claims
  - Cross-Cultural
  - Family
  
- Negotiation
  - Effective Principled Negotiation
  - Systems Design and Analysis
  - Consultation Services
  
- Training
  - Understanding and Resolving Conflict
  - Introduction to Mediation and Advanced Mediation
  - Principled Negotiation Skills
  - Conflict Analysis and Negotiation Theory
  - Multi-party Consensus Building
  - Mediation in the Human Rights Context
  - Sexual Harassment and Workplace Violence Prevention
  - Sexual Harassment Investigator Training
  - The Duty to Consult: Implications for Aboriginal Negotiations
  - Needs-based Curriculum Development and Delivery
  
- Stakeholder Consultation Processes
- Conflict Coaching for Employees and Managers
- Arbitration
- Conflict Analysis
- ADR Systems Design
- Cross-cultural Issues
- Sexual Harassment Prevention and Investigation
- Land Claims and Aboriginal Rights Research

## Ongoing and Previous Clients

- ❑ Government of Canada - Indian and Northern Affairs Canada (Specific Claims Branch, Treaty Policy Directorate), Parks Canada (Northern Ontario Field Unit), Health Canada (Employee Assistance Services, Specialized Organizational Services), Justice Canada
- ❑ Provincial/Territorial Governments - Nunavut Human Rights Tribunal, Government of Nunavut, Department of Northern Development and Mines
- ❑ First Nations Governments and Organizations – Pic River First Nation, United Anishinabek Council, Nishnawbe Aski Nation, Dogrib Community Services Board, Biidabaan Healing Lodge, United Anishinabek Council, Windigo Community Development Corporation
- ❑ Universities and Colleges – Confederation College, Nunavut Arctic College, Carleton University Mediation Centre, Algonquin College, University of Windsor Mediation Centre
- ❑ Community Health and Social Service Organizations – People Advocating for Change Through Empowerment (PACE), Sexual Assault Centre of North York, Dogrib Community Services Board, Biidabaan Healing Lodge, Agriplex Board, St. Paul's United Church

## About the President

Sheriden Barnett, BA, LLM (ADR) is the President of the Boreal Centre For Dispute Resolution Inc., located on the north shore of Lake Superior at Thunder Bay, Ontario.

Sheriden is a Certified Mediator, Negotiator and an experienced Facilitator/Trainer. Sheriden received a Masters of Law (LLM) from Osgoode Hall Law School, specializing in Alternative Dispute Resolution. She is a graduate of Carleton University in Ottawa, where she obtained a B.A. in Aboriginal Studies and pursued Graduate studies in Cultural Studies and Northern and Native Issues.

In addition, Sheriden has been awarded Certificates in Alternative Dispute Resolution from the Canadian International Institute of Applied Negotiation (Ottawa), and the University of Alberta Law School (Alberta Arbitration and Mediation Society). Sheriden is recognized by the Association for Conflict Resolution as an ADR practitioner, educator, and researcher. She was a mediator, coach and trainer with the Carleton University Mediation Centre and coached Principled Negotiation with the University of Windsor Mediation Centre.

Since 1989, Sheriden has worked with First Nations, federal government and community organizations throughout Ontario, Nunavut and the NWT in the areas of conflict resolution, community development, health, education, and social services. She is an experienced facilitator in a variety of areas, including as a facilitator/mediator for complex Treaty discussions between Canada and an organization representing over 50 First Nations.

Currently, Sheriden is working with the newly formed Nunavut Human Rights Tribunal to develop a mediated resolution process that incorporates traditional Inuit approaches to dispute resolution with current mediation practices and Canadian Human Rights Law. As well she is the primary trainer/mediator for the Tribunal while developing internal capacities.

Sheriden has designed and delivered workshops focusing on conflict resolution and mediation skills and theory, interest-based negotiation, negotiation theory for environmental disputes, sexual harassment investigator training, prevention of sexual harassment and workplace violence, respectful workplace: stress management, to name a few.