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### **Professional Summary**

- Based on her 22 years of industry and government of Canada experience, Vickie works with her indigenous clients to help them achieve success in their sovereignty goals, specifically in the areas of indigenous Trust creation and management, board governance, and financial management.

### **Experience**

- The majority of her early career was at the Department of Indigenous Services Canada (DISC) in the British Columbia and National offices in various financial and management related roles for over 17 years.
- In the past seven years she has specialized in indigenous trust administration, trust structuring, indigenous governance and program, financial advisory, and policy development.

### **Professional Affiliations**

- Vickie is a member of the Chartered Professional Accountants of British Columbia and a designated CGA.
- She is also a Certified Aboriginal Finance Manager (CAFM).

### **Education**

- Vickie completed her MBA at Laurentian University.

### **Community Involvement**

- Vickie has served as the Director for Aboriginal Financial Officers Association of Canada since 2018.
- She has also held the role of Vice Chair of the National Aboriginal Trust Officers Association since 2017.
- In addition she is an advisory group member for the Aboriginal Financial Officers Association of BC, as well as a Technical Advisory Group member.
- Since 2013, Vickie has also been a member of the CPA BC bylaws committee.

### **Service Focus:**

- Advisory

### **Industry Focus:**

- Indigenous Services