



# Sarah Beitel

## Project Environmental Planner

Sarah is a Project Environmental Planner with experience in environmental planning approvals, consulting, environmental impact assessment and development approvals. Sarah has managed a number of EA / ERC applications and amendments and has supported several EIS processes in addition to managing other environmental scopes of work. Sarah has wide ranging experience within Queensland's planning system and is experienced in the preparation of environmental approval applications required under local, State and Commonwealth legislation.

Sarah fosters close working relationships with regulators and clients alike and can undertake a wide range of tasks including but not limited to analysing, writing and editing high quality technical documents as well as conducting high-level research.

## QUALIFICATIONS

- 2018** University of Queensland / Master of Urban & Regional Planning
- 2016** Macquarie University / Bachelor of Science (Climate Science)

## AFFILIATIONS

- Member, Queensland Environmental Law Association (QELA)

## SKILLSETS

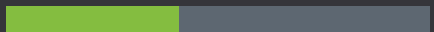
Environmental Impact Assessment



Natural Resource Management



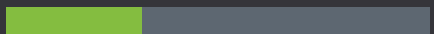
Environmental Approvals



Statutory Environmental Planning



Compliance and Auditing



## MARKET SECTORS



Property



Construction



Government



Electricity & Renewables



Resource



Industrial

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# EXPERIENCE

## ENVIRONMENTAL PLANNING AND ASSESSMENT

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- **Project Manager, Castillo Copper Exploration Permits.** Sarah managed and successfully developed two site-specific EA and ERC applications to allow the Project to proceed.
- **Project Manager, Etta Plains Irrigation Project.** Sarah developed a project approvals strategy, authored all supporting applications, associated reporting and undertook in-depth communications with all stakeholders to have the development approved.
- **Approvals Support, Author, Kowanyama BioFutures Project.** Sarah prepared the Initial Advice Statement for the Project, an approvals register and undertook a detailed environmental constraints assessment.
- **Approvals Support, Author, St Ronans Agriculture Project.** Sarah assisted in undertaking a cultural heritage assessment, and created several strategic options for potential approvals pathways for an ethical cotton agriculture development.
- **Project Support, Author, Edenvale and Everleigh Solar Farms.** Sarah assisted in completing the EPBC Referrals for both Projects.
- **Project Manager, Total Oil Australia Pty Ltd - EA Application.** Sarah developed an EA application and supporting reports to approve activities for the Project.
- **Project Manager, Castillo Copper – EA and ERC Applications.** Sarah developed a number of EA amendment and ERC application supporting reports for the Project.
- **Author, Future Mines - Cloncurry Tenements.** Sarah developed a number of EA amendment and variation application supporting reports for the Project.
- **Assistant Project Manager, BHP Heyford Pit 66kV Powerline Realignment.** Sarah undertook overarching project management, scheduling, reporting and approvals pathways for this Project.
- **Author, Wilson Minerals Croydon Gold Project DFS, Health, Safety, Environment and Community Chapter.** Sarah wrote the environmental components for this chapter of the Detailed Feasibility Study, in addition to synthesising the Project's history from a wide range of sources.
- **Project Support, Multicom Resources Saint Elmo Vanadium Project EIS.** Sarah assisted with review and restructure of several chapters of the EIS, including water and waste, as well as final review of referencing for the entire document.
- **Team Member, Wilson Minerals Croydon Gold Project Estimated Rehabilitation Cost (ERC) Calculator.** Sarah undertook the completion of the new ERC Calculator to submit to Government in place of the superseded Financial Assurance (FA) Calculator.
- **Project Support, Sibelco Australia Limited Dry Mine Package EA Surrender.** Sarah supported the Project through the development of surrender documentation and supporting background information and report.
- **Masters Practicum, Ecolateral – Experts in Sustainability.** Sarah led a successful report development to achieve Green Star submission, negotiated with Stockland and McNab, used planning schemes/DA. She also had exposure to BCA, ISO standards, NABERS, NatHERS, BASIX, LHA.
- **Undergraduate Practicum, NSW Office of Environment and Heritage – NARClIM project.** Sarah gained experience with the NSW/ACT Regional Climate Modelling (NARClIM) project, snow depth data (Snowy River Hydro), raw data manipulation & analysis.
- **Research Volunteer/Assistant Editor, Climate Council - On the frontline: Climate Change & Rural Communities Report.** Maintaining stakeholder engagement, synthesis of high-quality scientific resources, communication within public & private sector.

## POSITION SUMMARY

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● 2021	Project Environmental Planner	<b>Epic Environmental Pty Ltd</b>
● 2020 – 2020	Consultant Environmental Planner	<b>Epic Environmental Pty Ltd</b>
● 2019 – 2020	Graduate Environmental Planner	<b>Epic Environmental Pty Ltd</b>
● 2018 - Present	Tutorial Demonstrator – Natural Resource Management & Environmental Planning	<b>University of Queensland</b>
● 2016 – 2017	Student Industry Placement	<b>NSW Office of Environment and Heritage</b>