

Sarah Aranha

Consultant



Sarah Aranha is a skilled administrator and project manager with five years experience in organizing events and logistics for cultural institutions and organizations. She joined Lord Cultural Resources in 2009 as a Research Consultant in the Management Consultancy division. Sarah brings to the team solid project management skills, a love of working with people and a passion for contemporary art.

Sarah was part of the Lord team involved with the cross-Canada story gathering project for the Canadian Museum for Human Rights. Working with the museum's Content Advisory Committee, Sarah coordinated all logistical aspects in both English and French for the 21 roundtable discussions and 200 bilateral and video interviews coast to coast, gathering the input of over 1,700 Canadians who relayed their personal and intimate stories of human rights violations and successes.

Most recently, Sarah spent four months in Dhahran, Saudi Arabia, working with the King Abdulaziz Center for World Culture – a major cultural institution in the Kingdom's eastern province. Sarah managed and coordinated the on-site activities of program development for the exhibitions, theatre, archives and other components of the Center.

Prior to joining Lord Cultural Resources, Sarah was the Exhibitions Coordinator for Wedge Curatorial Projects. She coordinated all aspects of the exhibitions *head room* at the Museum of Contemporary Canadian Art (2008) and *Becoming: Photographs from the Wedge Collection* at the Museum of Contemporary Art Detroit (2008), for which she also wrote the in-exhibition text. Sarah honed her organizational and leadership skills during the almost seven years she has spent working with the Royal Canadian Air Cadets, an organization that focuses on developing attributes of leadership and citizenship in youth ages 12-18.

Sarah holds a Bachelor of Fine Arts from York University with Honours in Visual Arts, a minor in Environmental Studies, and a certificate in Community Arts Practice. Sarah has also achieved the Proficiency in French certificate from George Brown College.

