



## FEDERATION OF DEFENSE & CORPORATE COUNSEL LEADERSHIP SUMMARY

**NAME:** Heather A. Sanderson

**DATE:** February 26, 2024

**\*Activity Codes:**

CMT - Committee Chair/Vice-Chair

SEC - Section Chair/Vice-Chair

AH - Ad Hoc or Special Committee/Project Chair or Vice-Chair

CONY- Convention Chair or Convention Program Chair

M - Meeting Chair/Vice-Chair or Program Chair (Other Than Conv.)

EO- FDCC Executive Officer (Board of Directors)

AWD - Recipient of Appleman, Hecker, CMF or Special FDCC Award

S -Speaker on FDCC Program

WP- Written Paper Submitted for FDCC Program

Q - Quarterly Article Published

VP- Vice President (FDCC Board of Directors)

DIR -Director (FDCC Board of Directors)

LMC - Litigation Management College

O -Other

### SUMMARY

DATE or YEAR	ACTIVITY*	NAME OF ACTIVITY - POSITION HELD AND/OR WORK DONE
December 7, 2015	O	Admitted to the membership of the FDCC
2015 to the Present	O	Actively involved in the FDCC Insurance Coverage Section
2015 to the Present	O	Attended each Winter and Annual Meetings since 2016 (except Winter 2019, Annual 2021)
November 2017, 2019	O	Attended the FDCC I-3
January 2020	O	Attended the Virtual I-3
January 2021	O	Attended the Virtual I-3
November 2022	O	Attended the FDCC 1-3
July 2020	DIR	Nominated to the FDCC Board of Directors
July 2021	DIR	Nominated to the FDCC Board of Directors
July 2022	DIR	Nominated to the FDCC Board of Directors
July 2023	DIR	Nominated to the FDCC Board of Directors as a Senior Director
October 2017	DIR	Began a 3 Year Term as the Canadian National Director to DRI
June 2017	DIR	Renewed a three year term as a Director of Canadian Defence Lawyers (CDL)
June 2020	EO-CDL	Elected Sect-Treasurer of CDL
June 2021	EO-CDL	Elected Second Vice President of CDL
June 2022	EO-CDL	Elected First Vice President of CDL
June 2023	EO-CDL	Elected President of CDL
June 2024	EO-CDL	Immediate Past Chair of CDL
April 2025	EO-CDL	Selected to Act as Immediate Past Chair of CDL for a Second Term

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August 22, 2019	O	Tasked by the Chair of the MDL Committee with assessing the value proposition of an FDCC membership for international FDCC members
February 24, 2020	O	Reported on the value proposition of an FDCC membership for international FDCC members to the Chair of the MDL
July 31, 2020	DIR	Nominated to the FDCC Board of Directors July 2020-21
July 31, 2020	CMT	Vice-chair Programming Int'l Defence Counsel I-3 Committee
July 31, 2020	CMT	Member, Meeting Sites Committee
July 31, 2020	CMT	Membership Development C'tee Vice Chair International
July 31, 2020	CMT	Insurance Coverage C'tee - Vice Chair
July 31, 2020	O	International Country Representative - Canada
July, 2021	DIR	Appointed to year 2 of the FDCC Board of Directors ( July 2021-July 2022)
July 22, 2021	CMT	2021 I-3 Vice-Chair Programming, International (began role April, 2021)
July 24, 2021	O	Committee member, Sites Committee
July 25, 2021	CMT	Chair, International Practice
Sept. 2, 2021	O	International C'tee Liason to the Membership Development & Retention C'tee
October, 2021	WP	Authored a Paper on Change Management for the 2021/2 Virtual I-3
January 10, 2022	S	2021/2 Virtual I-3 Organizer and Moderator of a panel on Creating Resilience to Disruptive Change in the Insurance Industry
January 2022	O	Joined the program organizing committee for 2022 Annual Meeting
January 2022	O	Joined the program organizing committee for 2022 I-3
January 2022	O	Joined the program organizing committee for 2023 Annual Meeting
January 2022	O	Organizing a panel on international issues for the 2022 CCS

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July 2022	CMT	International Practice, Committee Chair
July 2022	S	Panelist, A Virtual Quagmire Weighing the Risks and Benefits of Remote Work in a Post-Covid World, 2022 Annual Meeting, Seattle, WA
July 2022	DIR	Appointed to year 3 of a FDCC directorship (a one year term, July 2022-July 2023)
February 2023	S	Organizer and Panelist, Guardians of the Policy: Coverage Issues in Multi-Party and Policy Civil Rights Claims, 2023 Winter Meeting, Nashville, TN
February 2023	WP	Author, paper on the Operations of a Law Enforcement Liability Tower, a GL Tower and Anti-Suit Injunction in the UK, 2023 Winter Meeting, Nashville TN
March 2023	S	Launched the FDCC Speaks series, FedGlobal interviewing international members and speaking about international issues; was interviewed on 'Monday with Mills' and 'How FDCC People Get Things Done'
March-April 2023	CMT	Called, held zoom meetings & emailed multiple international FDCC members who are outside the United States and Canada re-engaging their interest in the FDCC; called multiple Canadian members who have not been to meetings to tell them about the Toronto 2024 Annual Meeting
April 2023	S	Speaker, Coverage Issues Arising from Climate Change Litigation, Insurance Coverage Symposium, Canadian Defence Lawyers, Toronto
June 2023	M	Co-Chair, Canadian Defence Lawyers Annual Meeting
June 2023	EO	Became President of Canadian Defence Lawyers (a one-year term)

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June 2023	WP	Researched the Canadian content for the paper supporting Civil Claims Arising from the Imposition of International Economic Sanctions and Economic Warfare; developed the powerpoint for the presentation
July 2023	S	Organizer and moderator, Civil Claims Arising from the Imposition of International Economic Sanctions and Economic Warfare, 2023 Annual Meeting, Colorado Springs, CO
July 2023	CMT	Formed a group of Toronto FDCC members to consult on excursions/activities for the FDCC 2024 Annual Meeting
July 2023	DIR	Appointed to year 1 as a Senior Director of the FDCC

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September 2, 2023	S	Represented CDL (and indirectly the FDCC) at the AIDA (Association Internationale de Droit des Assurances / International Insurance Law Association) XVI World Congress, Melbourne, Australia, spoke in plenary session on the ESG Landscape in Canada and the United States, the first Canadian to ever address that organization
October 5, 2023		Moderated a panel with Prof. Richard Susskind and Dr. Maura Grossman, the Impact of AI on the Legal Profession, hosted by Canadian Defence Lawyers & the UK group, Forum of Insurance Lawyers
November 28, 2023	CMT	Organized a FedMeets Event in downtown Toronto (the first FedMeets outside the United States)
November 2023	WP	Authored "International ESG Reporting: Why Americans Should Care", re: 2024 FDCC Winter Meeting panel, ESG Lands in America
December 2023	WP	Authored a Friday 5 Article, Interview with new member, Joris Lensink, Amsterdam, Netherlands
December 2023	S	Speaker, "Sheltering from Nat Cats: Coverage for Climate Change Risk", Insurance Law Conference 2023, Continuing Legal Education British Columbia, Vancouver
February 2024	S	Organized and moderated a panel entitled, ESG Lands in America, FDCC 2024 Winter Meeting, St. Petersburg, FL.
March 2024		Appointed by the Lieutenant Governor in Council for the Province of Alberta to hold the title of King's Counsel at the pleasure of His Majesty
April 2024	S	Speaker, Coverage Issues Arising from Climate Change Litigation, Insurance Coverage Symposium, Canadian Defence Lawyers, Toronto
May 2024	S	Organized and moderated a panel entitled, Shelter from the Storm: Finding Insurance for Climate Risks, American College of Coverage Counsel Annual Meeting, Chicago

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June 2024	EO	Became the Immediate Past President of Canadian Defence Lawyers (a one year term)
July 2024	S	Organized and moderated a cross-Canada panel of FDCC members entitled "Litigation in the US vs. Canada: What's Different About Litigating in Canada?", FDCC 2024 Annual Meeting, Toronto
July 2024	DIR	Appointed to year 2 as a Senior Director of the FDCC
October 2024	AWD	Received DRI's Fred H. Sievert Award as an individual who has made a significant contribution towards achieving the goals and objectives of the organized defense bar and who has initiated innovative projects for the betterment of the organization and exercised strong leadership in her capacity as the past president of Canadian Defence Lawyers.
November 2024	CMT	Member of the Membership Engagement Committee, FDCC Board of Directors Strategic Planning Session
December 2024	CMT	Appointed by FDCC President Heidi Goebel to be the International Liason to the FDCC P&O Committee
April 2025	EO	Appointed to the position of Immediate Past President of Canadian Defence Lawyers (term extended due to a vacancy)
June 2025	S	Speaker, "The Canadian P&C Industry Faces Climate Change Litigation", private insurance industry group, Vancouver