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### Bar Admission

Québec 2002

### Law School

Université Laval

### Practices

Projects  
Environmental, Regulatory & Aboriginal  
(ERA)

Cindy Vaillancourt is a partner in McCarthy Tétrault's Business Law group. Her practice focuses on the environment, energy and natural resources.

She represents clients from a variety of industries and provides advice in particular on government relations, contaminated land remediation, environmental and regulatory compliance and permitting processes. In the context of company or property sales or acquisitions, she coordinates environmental due diligence and negotiates the contractual aspects of environmental issues.

She also has considerable expertise on climate change, including with regard to issues related to the Quebec greenhouse gas cap-and-trade system.

Ms. Vaillancourt earned her master's degree in international and transnational law (LL. M.) and was called to the Quebec Bar in December 2002. Prior to joining McCarthy Tétrault's Montréal office in 2006, she was a legal and political advisor on Parliament Hill in Ottawa, notably on climate change issues.

## Awards & Rankings

### Chambers Canada

Leading Lawyer: Environment

### Chambers Global

Leading Lawyer: Environment- Canada

### Lexpert Special Edition: Energy

Leading Lawyer

### The Legal 500 - Canada

Leading Lawyer: Environment

### The Canadian Legal Lexpert Directory

Leading Lawyer: Environmental Law

### Best Lawyers in Canada

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## Recent Experience

- **Lineage Logistics acquires Marc Villeneuve Inc. and 9335-2870 Québec Inc.**  
April 01, 2021

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- **Eddyfi/NDT acquires Dynamic Risk Assessment Systems**  
March 31, 2021
- **L Catterton sells Naya Waters Inc. to Champlain Financial Corporation and GefCo.**  
March 15, 2021
- **Innergex and Pituvik announce C\$92.8M financial closing of Innavik Hydro Project**  
November 04, 2020

## Recent Insights

- **Climate Action Toolbox: Federal Government Publishes Final GHG Offset System Regulations**  
July 25, 2022
- **The Federal Carbon Pricing Regime is Constitutional – What the Supreme Court’s Decision Means for Business**  
March 26, 2021
- **Climate Change Requirements a Feature of new COVID-19 Federal Loan Program**  
May 14, 2020
- **L'accès à l'information en temps de pandémie**  
May 07, 2020