



### Mira Gauvin

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Mira is a partner in Dentons' Corporate Group, with a focus on Environmental law. She is a member of the Environment and Natural Resources and Climate Change Strategies groups. Based in the Firm's Montréal office, she advises clients in all industrial sectors, including mining, manufacturing, chemical, oil and gas, renewable energies, pulp and paper, agro-food, marine terminal, transportation and waste management.

Her practice comprises analyzing the impacts of jurisprudential and legislative developments on her clients' activities, advising on compliance with environmental laws, cap-and-trade regulations, environmental assessment and permitting issues, land rehabilitation and remediation projects, the implementation and closure of industrial sites. She also negotiates and drafts environmental contractual clauses of commercial transactions and land rehabilitation agreements, and supervises environmental due diligence of business transactions. Her practice also involves working on environmental questions in territories governed by land claims agreements.

### Recognition

- Recognized in *The Canadian Legal Lexpert Directory* as one of Canada's leading lawyers in the areas of Environmental Law (2014-2018) and Aboriginal Law (2017, 2018)
- Recognized by *Best Lawyers in Canada* as one of Canada's leading lawyers in the Environmental Law (2013–2018)
- Recognized by the *Lexpert Special Edition – Canada's Leading Global Mining Lawyers* (2016, 2017)
- Recognized by the *Lexpert Special Edition – Canada's Leading Energy Lawyers* (2016)
- Recognized by *The Legal 500 Canada* in the area of Environment as a Leading Lawyer (2017)
- Recognized in the area of Environment by Expert Guides *Women in Business Law* (2017)

### Activities and Affiliations

- Secretary, vice-president and chair of the Québec Branch of the EENRLS of the CBA
- Past-Chair of the Executive Committee of the CBA's National Environment, Energy and Resources Law Section (NEERLS)

- Member of CPEQ

## Areas of Focus

### Practices

- Corporate
- Environment and Natural Resources
- Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA)
- Environmental Regulation
- Environmental Transactional
- Clean Up of Contaminated Land (North America)
- Aboriginal Law (Canada)
- Mergers and Acquisitions
- Project Development
- Public Policy and Regulation

### Industry Sectors

- Climate Change Strategies
- Mining
- Mining Operations
- Mine Reclamation and Closure
- Manufacturing
- Waste
- Water: Water Waste, Water Management, Desalination

## Education

McGill University, 1999, LLB, BCL

UQÀM, 1992, Environmental Science

McGill University, 1989,

## Admissions and Qualifications

Québec, 2001

## Languages

- English
- French