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RESEARCH INTERESTS:

While attending Dalhousie University Kaitlin's master's work focused on marine aspects of environmental studies, such as international marine law, the Fisheries Act, the Ocean's Act, marine species at risk, marine protected areas and reserves, and community cooperation and collaboration in coastal planning.

Her thesis work focused on the Critically Endangered Leatherback Sea Turtle, and Canada's role in the international protection of this migratory species. Research for this paper addressed various aspects of international marine law, migratory species management, international environmental and fisheries agreements/organizations, and Canadian endangered species policy (*SARA*).

BIOGRAPHY:

Kaitlin attended Mount Allison University (Sackville, NB) from 2000 to 2004, earning a B.A. in International Relations with minors in Geography and Environmental Studies. Her senior project focused on stream restoration in New Brunswick and Nova Scotia and its effects on spawning Inner Bay of Fundy Atlantic Salmon populations. In 2008 Kaitlin graduated from The School for Resources and Environmental Studies, Dalhousie University, with a Masters Degree in Environmental Studies.

Her work experience includes positions with the Nova Scotia Nature Trust, a small non-profit located in Halifax, NS and the Ocean Management Research Network in Ottawa, ON. Kaitlin currently lives in Ottawa.