Julia Schindeler

"Committed to Community - Dedicated to Service"

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I care about people. I'm an encouraging and effective communicator with experience in broadcast media and non-profit sector leadership. As a big-picture thinker with an eye for detail, I bring strategic analysis and a conscientious attitude to all I do. I enjoy supporting a team or working independently.

Professional Certification

Canadian Public Relations Society; PRK Certificate Global Learning Partners; Foundations in Dialogue Education Certificate

Education

Public Relations Foundations; Ryerson University, Ontario (2020) The Art of Facilitation and Workshop Design; Wycliffe College, Ontario (2020) MA (Journalism); Western University, Ontario (1999) Graduate Diploma in Christian Studies; Regent College, British Columbia (1988) Honours B.Sc. (Geography/Economics); Trent University, Ontario (1986) International School Certificate (Cambridge "O" Levels); St. Joseph's College, Botswana (1981)

Work Experience

Producer, CBC Radio 2016 - 2018 Produced the weekly program *Cross Country Checkup* on CBC Radio as a casual backfill producer.

Episode Producer, Context Beyond The Headlines (Global, CTV) 2013 - 2016 Produced this weekly half-hour television current affairs show working with a team of broadcast professionals.

Executive Director, Working Group on Refugee Resettlement (AURA) 1994 - 1997 Recruited and supervised volunteer refugee sponsorship groups; created public education resources and organized workshops for volunteers engaged in welcoming newcomers.

National Refugee Coordinator, World Relief Canada (Tearfund) 1990 - 1994 Managed the refugee resettlement program that was implemented through church partners and administered community development projects in refugee camps overseas.

Volunteer Experience

Leader, Midtown Community Group, Little Trinity Church

Organized opportunities for volunteers to serve their community by partnering with neighbourhood agencies. Organized a community forum on parenting for neighbourhood families.

Community Volunteer

Served on the executive committee for a neighbourhood organization for young families; chaired the refugee committee; helped organize Leaside's 100th anniversary celebration; active member of school council.

Area Director/Class Partner, Community Bible Study International

Mentored and assisted team leaders of various Bible study classes in the Greater Toronto Area.