

IDS Alumni panel 2010
Tuesday, February 9, 2010 @ 5:30 in MacKinnon 229

Panelists:

Blair Audet

Graduated in 2007 with BA Honours ID, Political Economy and Administrative Change
Blair is currently working as a full time Program Associate at the [Peter A. Silverman Centre for International Health](#) at Mount Sinai Hospital in Toronto, and plans to start a Masters in Social Work in Fall 2010.

Naomi Brown

Graduated in 2007 with BA Honours ID, Rural and Agricultural Development
Naomi completed an internship in Burkina Faso through CIDA's [International Youth Internship Program](#) and is currently working at [SIM Canada](#), as an HIV/AIDS project manager.

Sarah Beth Grasby

Graduated in 2006 with BA Honours ID, Gender and Development
Sarah completed a Masters in Social Work focusing on Community Planning, Policy, and Organizations. She is currently working at the [John Howard Society of Waterloo-Wellington](#) as a Community Justice Worker.

Jesse McCormick

Graduated in 2004, BA General in ID
Jesse completed an LLB (Ottawa), an LLM (Harvard) and a clerkship with the Federal Court of Canada. He is now litigating aboriginal and human rights claims with [Olthuis, Kleer, Townshend](#) in downtown Toronto (see Jesse's professional [profile](#)).

John Millar

Graduated in 2002, BA Honours ID, Biophysical Environment and Development (and minor in Philosophy).
John completed a Masters in Political Science (UVic), studying international NGO policy influence. He worked for 5 years with Elephant Thoughts Global Development Initiatives, and has since co-founded [Tin Roof Global Action](#), an organization with a focus on international development outreach in Canada.

Sarah Miller

Graduated in 2004, BA General in ID and Spanish
Sarah completed a CIDA youth internship in Zambia and an MA in Communication and Media (Liberty University). She has worked on a national awareness campaign on homelessness and has been involved in communication and media work in diverse settings including TIFF, Critical Care Canada Forum and Senator McCain's presidential campaign. Sarah is now working as a Marketing Manager for (RIM) in Waterloo, Ontario and manages marketing for BlackBerry with Verizon Wireless.

Valerie Pascale

Graduated in 2005, BA Honours ID, Latin American Studies
Valerie is currently working with the mining industry to improve the environmental and social sustainability of international mining projects, as Manager of Corporate Social Responsibility at Goldcorp. In the past, she has worked and volunteered with various NGOs and has travelled extensively throughout Asia.