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## Shauna Crothers Counsel

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Shauna's practice focuses on corporate finance. She advises financial institutions and corporate clients on a wide range of financing transactions, including:

- syndicated bank financings
- acquisition financings
- cross-border financings
- asset and reserve-based lending

In 2011, she completed an in-house secondment with the syndications group of one of the world's largest banking and financial services organizations.

### Experience

- Acting for HSBC as the Agent in representing the syndicate of banks in the Calfrac CBCA Filing. Also
  acting for HSBC in numerous Court applications in Alberta and Texas. And acting for HSBC in closing
  the refinancing.
- Advising a syndicate of lenders in connection with senior secured credit facilities in an aggregate amount of \$525 million established in favour of a multi-national corporation with operations throughout North America, Europe, China and South Africa.
- Advising a syndicate of lenders in connection with senior unsecured credit facilities in an aggregate amount of \$925 million established in favour of a multi-national corporation with operations throughout North America, Australia, Middle East, Latin America, Europe and Asia.

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- Advising a syndicate of lenders in connection with senior secured credit facilities in the aggregate amount of \$410 million established in favour of a private Alberta based agriculture company.
- Advising a syndicate of lenders in connection with senior secured credit facilities in the aggregate amount of \$300 million established in favour of a private home builder with operations throughout North America.
- Advising a syndicate of lenders in connection with credit facilities in an aggregate amount of \$320 million and US\$30 million established in favour of Parkland Fuel Corporation.
- Advising a syndicate of lenders in connection with reserve-based credit facilities in an aggregate amount of \$175 million established in favour of a private Calgary based oil and gas company.
- Advising **Birchcliff Energy Ltd**. in connection with its senior secured reserve-based credit facilities in the aggregate amount of \$800 million.
- Advising a private company offering musical education programs, performances and exhibitions in connection with its syndicated credit facilities in the aggregate amount of \$190 million.
- Advising **Enbridge Income Fund** in connection with its syndicated credit facilities in the aggregate amount of \$500 million.
- Advising PetroBakken Energy Ltd. in connection with its \$1 billion syndicated credit facility.

### **Insights & Events**

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- Author, "2024 Federal Budget: Money Talks", BLG Article, April 2024
- Author, "New hope: Federal government announces Federal Indigenous Loan Guarantee Program", BLG Article, April 2024

#### **Beyond Our Walls**

#### **Professional Involvement**

- Member, Canadian Bar Association
- Member, Law Society of Alberta
- Member, Calgary Bar Association

#### Bar Admission & Education

- Alberta, 2010
- JD, University of Saskatchewan, 2009
- B.Sc., University of Saskatchewan, 2003

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