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**Charting an innovative career path
through CS: Experiences from the
frontlines of social and technological
impact**

By:

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Have you ever dreamed of using your technical knowledge and skills to solve some of the world's most pressing problems? I have spent my career trying to do just this and it has taken me to some interesting places, including right here in NB! Join me in discussing how to chart a career path that connects your knowledge of technology and innovation with unique opportunities to have impact.

Sara is the newest Executive Director of 21inc, an Atlantic Canadian 'action tank' dedicated to fostering the next generation of leaders in the region. She is passionate about using her skills to address complex economic and environmental challenges. Formerly holding positions with Engineers Without Borders, the Council of Canadians, the Government of Alberta and Finance Canada, Sara has alternated her career between the non-profit and public sectors. This work has brought her to many places including Guyana, Ghana, New Orleans and Fort McMurray. She has degrees in systems design engineering from the University of Waterloo and public policy from Harvard's Kennedy School.



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