



## PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION

### LOCAL GOVERNMENT PROGRAM

**President: Melissa Bauman, MPA'15**

**Biography:**

Melissa is an active young professional who is currently working as a Senior Policy Advisor in the CAO's Office at the City of Guelph. Her major files include intergovernmental relations and strategic partnership development.

Melissa began her career working in culture and heritage for the Region of Waterloo and has since held positions with the City of Vaughan, the City of London, Region of Peel and the Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing. She is a self-described municipal nerd who takes a keen interest in all things municipal government and holds a particular interest in open government, intergovernmental relations and strategic and financial planning.

Melissa holds an undergraduate degree in Political Science and Business Administration from the University of Guelph (2013), is an AMCTO Municipal Management Intern Alumni (2013-2014) and holds a Masters of Public Administration from Western University (2015).

