



Métis Women  
British Columbia



## REGION 1 REPRESENTATIVE

### MIA YULE

Mia Yule (she/her) is the Métis Women's Representative for Region One and lives with gratitude on the territories of the Quw'utsun peoples. Her family comes from Pigeon Lake, Alberta and Jasper, Alberta and their names include Fraser, Brazeau, Beadry, Brabant, Lucier, and Chatelain. She is connected to the chartered communities of Metis Nation of Greater Victoria and the Cowichan Valley Métis Association.

She is passionate about the collective reclamation of cultural practices including material arts, and about nurturing connection, identity, and belonging within Metis community. She has been privileged to learn numerous traditional practices and her teachers include Lisa Shepherd, Jo-Ina Young, Kaija Heitland, Mara Kersey, Theresa Lewis, and Mara Cur.

Mia holds an Associate Degree of Arts in Psychology from Camosun College, a Bachelors of Social Work with an Indigenous Specialization from the University of Victoria, and is currently in the Master of Arts Social Dimensions of Health with the University of Victoria. She has worked in different helper roles in community and in roles addressing systemic issues.

Programming interests:

Cultural learning and access, community connection, advocacy, rights of children and youth, 2SLGBTQIA+ rights, women's rights, Elders, land-based cultural practice, governance, MMIWG2S, harm reduction, mental health, community planning