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Jana's career started in consulting with Stantec, where she completed waste management assessments and planning for for the IC&I, Provincial and Regional sector clients. This experience informed Jana's decision to work directly with those same clients to help them implement those recommendations and shift decision making to align with circular economy principles specifically in the food service sector, which is one the most visible contributors to landfills.

Since 2010, Jana has been active in sustainability at Compass Group Canada, in various capacities. Currently, she is in the role of Sustainability Manager is supporting the development of CGC's sustainability strategy prioritizing the reduction of food waste, and the reduction and elimination of disposable packaging waste.

Jana has developed programs and solutions addressing packaging waste primarily for food services in educational institutions through close collaboration with student groups, client's and their waste management plans, food service suppliers, and Chefs and managers. Introducing reusable container programs, identifying reduction opportunities leading to higher rates of packaging diversion, and waste reduction.