

EMMA BROHOLM

PROFILE

With a background in public international law, I've gained valuable experience across a range of organizations. Starting as a researcher within human rights and climate rights, I have established myself as a freelancer working for organizations ranging from NGOs to film production companies. Throughout, my focus lies on the enhancement and more inclusive representation of peoples and planet.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Founder & Operator

The Biggest Picture | Jan 2020 - Present

Because the work done by The Biggest Picture is varied, it's sometimes difficult to put into words what its essence is. Impact, creativity and collaboration is what The Biggest Picture strives for. This varies from (interim) project management, (event) production and programming to research, copy editing and translating to grant writing and fundraising for companies such as *People's Planet Project*, *Periscoop Film*, *Flinck Film*, *Off the Fence*, and *Waterbear*.

Festival Coordinator & Programmer

Vers Film Festival | Jan 2022 - Present

- Managing a team of film professionals, organizing a festival dedicated entirely to new filmmakers, bridging the gap between new and established generations.
- Overseeing all aspects regarding financing, budget management, programming, marketing & communication, and financial settlement.

Project Manager

Nationaal Rampenfonds (NRF) | August 2021 - Present

- Set up and implemented the application procedure for the individuals, organizations and municipalities, for the Dutch disaster fund, active when a national disaster occurs.
- Manage the internal organization.

Program Manager and Research Associate

Climate Governance Commission | Jan 2020 - Present

- Overseeing efforts at the Climate Governance Commission to develop, propose, and foster partnerships for impactful global climate governance solutions.
- Leading research and editing efforts for policy documents regarding developments in international climate law.

Project Manager

Smarthouse Creative Impact Studio | October 2023 - February 2024

- Spearheaded the restructure of the organizational management.
- Led grant writing proposals and creative development for impactful film production.

CONTACT

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Amsterdam, the Netherlands

SKILLS

Project Management
Program Coordination
Production
Research
Fundraising & Grant Writing
Writing & Copy-editing
Event Management
Stakeholder Management
Activism

Experienced in Squarespace, Wix, Wordpress, Canva, MS Office, Google Suit, Trello, Monday (and comparable work management programs), Mailchimp, and Social Media

LANGUAGES

- Dutch (Native Speaker)
- English (Native Speaker)
- French (A2)

Production Lead

N279 Entertainment & Isabella Films | October 2021 - June 2023

- Played a pivotal role in the development of a documentary and various feature films, including the creative development.
- Led international financing and grant writing proposals.

Project Coordinator

Room for All | November 2022 - March 2023

- Contributed to the development of interactive lesson modules utilizing Visual Thinking Strategies and inclusive children's books to promote cultural diversity awareness among elementary school students.
- Led structural reorganization efforts for operational efficiency.

Research Consultant Climate-Health

Amref Health Africa | March - September 2022

- Conducted in-depth research on the intersection of climate and health.
- Equipped Amref with strategies to integrate climate considerations across their organizational framework, spanning education, program implementation, monitoring & evaluation, and advocacy initiatives.

Coordinator

Alert Fund for Youth | Jan 2020 - March 2022

- Managed internal operations for Alert, a fund dedicated to providing grants to progressive grassroots youth organizations.
- Facilitated communication between the board and applicants.
- Oversaw financial administration.

Researcher Children's Rights and Climate

Defence for Children - ECPAT | July - December 2020

- Guided a comprehensive research and authored a report on children's rights and climate.
- Incorporated legal and stakeholder analyses alongside lobby proposals to integrate climate initiatives into Defence for Children's organizational framework.

Legal Researcher

European Legal Support Center | Oct 2019 - Jan 2020

- Conducted legal research regarding international, European and national human rights law legislation and jurisprudence, for the protection of pro-Palestine activists in Europe.
- Wrote and edited legal memoranda.

Programme Coordinator

Child & Youth Finance International | Feb 2018 - Dec 2019

- Specialized in report writing, editing, and data monitoring and evaluation.
- Acted as primary liaison for diverse stakeholders, including governmental bodies.
- Led a team of interns.

EDUCATION

Migration and Integration: Refugees, Rights & Realities - UvA Summer School
University of Amsterdam

Master International and European Law: Public International Law
University of Amsterdam

- Master thesis: "Particularism and the African Charter on the Rights and Welfare of the Child: How the Creation of the African Charter on the Rights and Welfare of the Child Reflects Particularism in Human Rights Law" (Cum Laude)

Bachelor Law, L.L.M.

Leiden University

- Bachelor thesis: "The North Dakota Access Pipeline: the Relevance of International Law to the Rights of Indigenous Peoples" (Cum Laude)

BOARD EXPERIENCE

Chair of the Board

- Alert Fund for Youth | Feb 2021 - Sep 2022

Board Member

- Alert Fund for Youth | May 2020 - Sep 2022