



Katarina Bjorkman has prospected with her family since her teens. A growing interest in geosciences led to her degree in geology at Lakehead University followed by a PhD at the Centre for Exploration Targeting within The University of Western Australia. During her doctorate, she integrated multiple isotopic measurements in igneous zircons with field and geochemical investigations to unravel the crust-mantle evolution of the Western Superior Craton and links to mineral systems distribution. Since completing her PhD, she continues to work in industry as an exploration geologist, combining field expertise with a conceptual understanding of ore formation to target a variety of commodities.