

Carol Geddes

Carol Geddes (Tlingit) born in Teslin, Yukon, graduated from Carleton University with a Bachelor of Arts degree and obtained a graduate degree in Communications from Concordia University. After being Executive Assistant for the Council for Yukon First Nations, her first major film set her on an award-winning career in the industry. Whether writing or producing, her prolific output has highlighted the stories and struggles of Aboriginal life in both the Yukon and other parts of Canada, while garnering her national and international awards for documentaries. Animation, drama, magazine writing and education series are other methods she has used successfully to tell her stories and the stories of her people.

Geddes maintains strong ties in the larger community through serving on the Women's Television Network Foundation Board, the National Film Board Aboriginal Selection Committee, Yukon Heritage Resources Board and the Yukon Arts Centre Board.

To maintain close contact with her roots, she sits on the Teslin Tlingit Council as a representative for her First Nation and is the representative for the Dakl'weidi clan for her government.