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Lynn Schmidt is a senior legal executive and integral member of Syngenta's senior management team. She provides strategic leadership and direction in delivering best-in-class legal and risk management services, with a strong focus on client satisfaction, responsiveness, and practical, business-driven solutions.

With deep expertise in employment law, litigation, anti-trust matters, licensing, intellectual property, data privacy, corporate governance, and risk management, Lynn is a trusted advisor, known for translating complex legal issues into clear, actionable, and risk-appropriate recommendations that keep the business moving forward.

Her career includes extensive international experience across the EU and Asia in highly regulated industries, spanning both public (finance) and private (medical devices, agriculture) sectors. She is passionate about developing people, fostering strong, collaborative relationships, and leveraging emerging technologies to enhance legal service delivery, reduce risk, and improve efficiency.

Lynn holds an Honours Bachelor of Science from McMaster University and a Bachelor of Laws from Western University. She was admitted to the Bar of Ontario in 1999.

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