

## CURRICULUM VITAE OF JO-ANNE THOMAS

<b>Profession:</b>	Environmental Management and Compliance Consultant; Environmental Assessment Practitioner
<b>Specialisation:</b>	Environmental Management; Strategic environmental advice; Environmental compliance advice & monitoring; Environmental Impact Assessments; Policy, strategy & guideline formulation; Project Management; General Ecology
<b>Work experience:</b>	Twenty one (21) years in the environmental field

### VOCATIONAL EXPERIENCE

Provide technical input for projects in the environmental management field, specialising in Strategic Environmental Advice, Environmental Impact Assessment studies, environmental auditing and monitoring, environmental permitting, public participation, Environmental Management Plans and Programmes, environmental policy, strategy and guideline formulation, and integrated environmental management. Key focus on integration of the specialist environmental studies and findings into larger engineering-based projects, strategic assessment, and providing practical and achievable environmental management solutions and mitigation measures. Responsibilities for environmental studies include project management (including client and authority liaison and management of specialist teams); review and manipulation of data; identification and assessment of potential negative environmental impacts and benefits; review of specialist studies; and the identification of mitigation measures. Compilation of the reports for environmental studies is in accordance with all relevant environmental legislation.

Undertaking of numerous environmental management studies has resulted in a good working knowledge of environmental legislation and policy requirements. Recent projects have been undertaken for both the public- and private-sector, including compliance advice and monitoring, electricity generation and transmission projects, various types of linear developments (such as National Road, local roads and power lines), waste management projects (landfills), mining rights and permits, policy, strategy and guideline development, as well as general environmental planning, development and management.

### SKILLS BASE AND CORE COMPETENCIES

- Project management for a range of projects
- Identification and assessment of potential negative environmental impacts and benefits through the review and manipulation of data and specialist studies
- Identification of practical and achievable mitigation and management measures and the development of appropriate management plans
- Compilation of environmental reports in accordance with relevant environmental legislative requirements
- External and peer review of environmental reports & compliance advice and monitoring
- Formulation of environmental policies, strategies and guidelines
- Strategic and regional assessments; pre-feasibility & site selection
- Public participation processes for a variety of projects
- Strategic environmental advice to a wide variety of clients both in the public and private sectors
- Working knowledge of environmental planning processes, policies, regulatory frameworks and legislation

## EDUCATION AND PROFESSIONAL STATUS

### Degrees:

- B.Sc Earth Sciences, University of the Witwatersrand, Johannesburg (1993)
- B.Sc Honours in Botany, University of the Witwatersrand, Johannesburg (1994)
- M.Sc in Botany, University of the Witwatersrand, Johannesburg (1996)

### Short Courses:

- Environmental Impact Assessment, Potchefstroom University (1998)
- Environmental Law, Morgan University (2001)
- Environmental Legislation, IMBEWU (2017)
- Mining Legislation, Cameron Cross & Associates (2013)
- Environmental and Social Risk Management (ESRM), International Finance Corporation (2018)

### Professional Society Affiliations:

- Registered with the South African Council for Natural Scientific Professions as a Professional Natural Scientist: Environmental Scientist (400024/00)
- Registered with the International Association for Impact Assessment South Africa (IAIASa): 5601
- Member of the South African Wind Energy Association (SAWEA)

## EMPLOYMENT

Date	Company	Roles and Responsibilities
January 2006 - Current:	Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd	Director Project manager Independent specialist environmental consultant, Environmental Assessment Practitioner (EAP) and advisor.
1997 – 2005:	Bohlweki Environmental (Pty) Ltd	Senior Environmental Scientist at. Environmental Management and Project Management
January – July 1997:	Sutherland High School, Pretoria	Junior Science Teacher

## PROJECT EXPERIENCE

Project experience includes large infrastructure projects, including electricity generation and transmission, wastewater treatment facilities, mining and prospecting activities, property development, and national roads, as well as strategy and guidelines development.

## RENEWABLE POWER GENERATION PROJECTS: PHOTOVOLTAIC SOLAR ENERGY FACILITIES

### Environmental Impact Assessments and Environmental Management Programmes

Project Name & Location	Client Name	Role
Christiana PV 2 SEF, North West	Solar Reserve South Africa	Project Manager & EAP
De Aar PV facility, Northern Cape	iNca Energy	Project Manager & EAP
Everest SEF near Hennenman, Free State	FRV Energy South Africa	Project Manager & EAP
Graafwater PV SEF, Western Cape	iNca Energy	Project Manager & EAP
Grootkop SEF near Allanridge, Free State	FRV Energy South Africa	Project Manager & EAP
Hertzogville PV 2 SEF with 2 phases, Free State	SunCorp / Solar Reserve	Project Manager & EAP
Karoshhoek CPV facility on site 2 as part of the larger Karoshhoek Solar Valley Development East of Upington, Northern Cape	FG Emvelo	Project Manager & EAP

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Kgabalatsane SEF North-East for Brits, North West	Built Environment African Energy Services	Project Manager & EAP
Kleinbegin PV SEF West of Groblershoop, Northern Cape	MedEnergy Global	Project Manager & EAP
Lethabo Power Station PV Installation, Free State	Eskom Holdings SoC Limited	Project Manager & EAP
Majuba Power Station PV Installation, Mpumalanga	Eskom Holdings SoC Limited	Project Manager & EAP
Merapi PV SEF Phase 1 – 4 South-East of Excelsior, Free State	SolaireDirect Southern Africa	Project Manager & EAP
Sannaspos Solar Park, Free State Province	SolaireDirect Southern Africa	Project Manager & EAP
Ofir-Zx PV Plant near Keimoes, Northern Cape	S28 Degrees Energy	Project Manager & EAP
Oryx SEF near Virginia, Free State	FRV Energy South Africa	Project Manager & EAP
Project Blue SEF North of Kleinsee, Northern Cape	WWK Development	Project Manager & EAP
S-Kol PV Plant near Keimoes, Northern Cape	S28 Degrees Energy	Project Manager & EAP
Sonnenberg PV Plant near Keimoes, Northern Cape	S28 Degrees Energy	Project Manager & EAP
Tutuka Power Station PV Installation, Mpumalanga	Eskom Transmission	Project Manager & EAP
Two PV sites within the Northern Cape	MedEnergy Global	Project Manager & EAP
Two PV sites within the Western & Northern Cape	iNca Energy	Project Manager & EAP
Upington PV SEF, Northern Cape	MedEnergy Global	Project Manager & EAP
Vredendal PV facility, Western Cape	iNca Energy	Project Manager & EAP
Waterberg PV plant, Limpopo	Thupela Energy	Project Manager & EAP
Watershed Phase I & II SEF near Litchtenburg, North West	FRV Energy South Africa	Project Manager & EAP
Alldays PV & CPV SEF Phase 1, Limpopo	BioTherm Energy	Project Manager & EAP
Hyperion PV Solar Development 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 & 6	Building Energy	Project Manager & EAP

### **Basic Assessments**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Aberdeen PV SEF, Eastern Cape	BioTherm Energy	Project Manager & EAP
Christiana PV 1 SEF on Hartebeestpan Farm, North-West Province	Solar Reserve South Africa	Project Manager & EAP
Heuningspruit PV1 & PV 2 facilities near Koppies, Free State	Sun Mechanics	Project Manager & EAP
Kakamas PV Facility, Northern Cape	iNca Energy	Project Manager & EAP
Kakamas II PV Facility, Northern Cape	iNca Energy	Project Manager & EAP
Machadodorp 1 PV SEF, Mpumalanga	Solar To Benefit Africa	Project Manager & EAP
PV site within the Northern Cape	iNca Energy	Project Manager & EAP
PV sites within 4 ACSA airports within South Africa, National	Airports Company South Africa (ACSA)	Project Manager & EAP
RustMo1 PV Plant near Buffelspoort, North West	Momentous Energy	Project Manager & EAP
RustMo2 PV Plant near Buffelspoort, North West	Momentous Energy	Project Manager & EAP
RustMo3 PV Plant near Buffelspoort, North West	Momentous Energy	Project Manager & EAP
RustMo4 PV Plant near Buffelspoort, North West	Momentous Energy	Project Manager & EAP
Sannaspos PV SEF Phase 2 near Bloemfontein, Free State	SolaireDirect Southern Africa	Project Manager & EAP
Solar Park Expansion within the Rooiwal Power Station, Gauteng	AFRKO Energy	Project Manager & EAP
Steynsrus SEF, Free State	SunCorp	Project Manager & EAP
Thaba Eco Lodge PV Facility, Gauteng	Camco Clean Energy	Project Manager & EAP

### Screening Studies

Project Name & Location	Client Name	Role
Allemans Fontein SEF near Noupoot, Northern Cape	Fusion Energy	Project Manager & EAP
Amandel SEF near Thabazimbi, Limpopo	iNca Energy	Project Manager & EAP
Arola/Doornplaat SEF near Ventersdorp, North West	FRV & iNca Energy	Project Manager & EAP
Bloemfontein Airport PV Installation, Free State	The Power Company	Project Manager & EAP
Brakspruit SEF near Klerksorp, North West	FRV & iNca Energy	Project Manager & EAP
Carolus Poort SEF near Noupoot, Northern Cape	Fusion Energy	Project Manager & EAP
Damfontein SEF near Noupoot, Northern Cape	Fusion Energy	Project Manager & EAP
Everest SEF near Welkom, Free State	FRV & iNca Energy	Project Manager & EAP
Gillmer SEF near Noupoot, Northern Cape	Fusion Energy	Project Manager & EAP
Grootkop SEF near Allansridge, Free State	FRV & iNca Energy	Project Manager & EAP
Heuningspruit PV1 & PV 2 near Koppies, Free State	Cronimat	Project Manager & EAP
Kimberley Airport PV Installation, Northern Cape	The Power Company	Project Manager & EAP
Kolonnade Mall Rooftop PV Installation in Tshwane, Gauteng	Momentous Energy	Project Manager & EAP
Loskop SEF near Groblersdal, Limpopo	S&P Power Unit	Project Manager & EAP
Marble SEF near Marble Hall, Limpopo	S&P Power Unit	Project Manager & EAP
Morgenson PV1 SEF South-West of Windsorton, Northern Cape	Solar Reserve South Africa	Project Manager & EAP
OR Tambo Airport PV Installation, Gauteng	The Power Company	Project Manager & EAP
Oryx SEF near Virginia, Free State	FRV & iNca Energy	Project Manager & EAP
Rhino SEF near Vaalwater, Limpopo	S&P Power Unit	Project Manager & EAP
Rustmo2 PV Plant near Buffelspoort, North West	Momentous Energy	Project Manager & EAP
Spitskop SEF near Northam, Limpopo	FRV & iNca Energy	Project Manager & EAP
Steynsrus PV, Free State	Suncorp	Project Manager & EAP
Tabor SEF near Polokwane, Limpopo	FRV & iNca Energy	Project Manager & EAP
Uppington Airport PV Installation, Northern Cape	The Power Company	Project Manager & EAP
Valeria SEF near Hartebeestpoort Dam, North West	Solar to Benefit Africa	Project Manager & EAP
Watershed SEF near Lichtenburg, North West	FRV & iNca Energy	Project Manager & EAP
Witkop SEF near Polokwane, Limpopo	FRV & iNca Energy	Project Manager & EAP
Woodmead Retail Park Rooftop PV Installation, Gauteng	Momentous Energy	Project Manager & EAP

### Environmental Compliance, Auditing and ECO

Project Name & Location	Client Name	Role
ECO and bi-monthly auditing for the construction of the Adams Solar PV Project Two South of Hotazel, Northern Cape	Enel Green Power	Project Manager
ECO for the construction of the Kathu PV Facility, Northern Cape	REISA	Project Manager
ECO and bi-monthly auditing for the construction of the Pulida PV Facility, Free State	Enel Green Power	Project Manager
ECO for the construction of the RustMo1 SEF, North West	Momentous Energy	Project Manager
ECO for the construction of the Sishen SEF, Northern Cape	Windfall 59 Properties	Project Manager
ECO for the construction of the Uppington Airport PV Facility, Northern Cape	Sublanary Trading	Project Manager
Quarterly compliance monitoring of compliance with all environmental licenses for the operation	REISA	Project Manager

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
activities at the Kathu PV facility, Northern Cape		
ECO for the construction of the Konkoonsies II PV SEF and associated infrastructure, Northern Cape province	BioTherm Energy	Project Manager
ECO for the construction of the Aggeneys PV SEF and associated infrastructure, Northern Cape province	BioTherm Energy	Project Manager

#### **Compliance Advice and ESAP Reporting**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Aggeneys Solar Farm, Northern Cape	BioTherm Energy	Environmental Advisor
Airies II PV Facility SW of Kenhardt, Northern Cape	BioTherm Energy	Environmental Advisor
Kalahari SEF Phase II in Kathu, Northern Cape	Engie	Environmental Advisor
Kathu PV Facility, Northern Cape	Building Energy	Environmental Advisor
Kenhardt PV Facility, Northern Cape	BioTherm Energy	Environmental Advisor
Kleinbegin PV SEF West of Groblershoop, Northern Cape	MedEnergy	Environmental Advisor
Konkoonises II SEF near Pofadder, Northern Cape	BioTherm Energy	Environmental Advisor
Konkoonsies Solar Farm, Northern Cape	BioTherm Energy	Environmental Advisor
Lephalale SEF, Limpopo	Exxaro	Environmental Advisor
Pixley ka Seme PV Park, South-East of De Aar, Northern Cape	African Clean Energy Developments (ACED)	Environmental Advisor
RustMo1 PV Plant near Buffelspoort, North West	Momentous Energy	Environmental Advisor
Scuitdrift 1 SEF & Scuitdrift 2 SEF, Limpopo	Building Energy	Environmental Advisor
Sirius PV Plants, Northern Cape	Aurora Power Solutions	Environmental Advisor
Upington Airport PV Power Project, Northern Cape	Sublunary Trading	Environmental Advisor
Upington SEF, Northern Cape	Abengoa Solar	Environmental Advisor
Ofir-ZX PV SEF near Keimoes, Northern Cape	Networx S28 Energy	Environmental Advisor

#### **Due Diligence Reporting**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
5 PV SEF projects in Lephalale, Limpopo	iNca Energy	Environmental Advisor
Prieska PV Plant, Northern Cape	SunEdison Energy India	Environmental Advisor
Sirius Phase One PV Facility near Upington, Northern Cape	Aurora Power Solutions	Environmental Advisor

#### **Environmental Permitting, S53, Water Use Licence (WUL), Waste Management Licence (WML) & Other Applications**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Biodiversity Permit & WULA for the Aggeneys SEF near Aggeneys, Northern Cape	BioTherm Energy	Project Manager & EAP
Biodiversity Permit for the Konkoonises II SEF near Pofadder, Northern Cape	BioTherm Energy	Project Manager & EAP
Biodiversity Permitting for the Lephalale SEF, Limpopo	Exxaro Resources	Project Manager & EAP
Environmental Permitting for the Kleinbegin PV SEF West of Groblershoop, Northern Cape	MedEnergy	Project Manager & EAP
Environmental Permitting for the Upington SEF, Northern Cape	Abengoa Solar	Project Manager & EAP
Environmental Permitting for the Kathu PV Facility, Northern Cape	Building Energy	Project Manager & EAP

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Environmental Permitting for the Konkoonsies Solar Farm, Northern Cape	BioTherm Energy	Project Manager & EAP
Environmental Permitting for the Lephalale SEF, Limpopo	Exxaro Resources	Project Manager & EAP
Environmental Permitting for the Scuitdrift 1 SEF & Scuitdrift 2 SEF, Limpopo	Building Energy	Project Manager & EAP
Environmental Permitting for the Sirius PV Plant, Northern Cape	Aurora Power Solutions	Project Manager & EAP
Permits for the Kleinbegin and UAP PV Plants, Northern Cape	MedEnergy Global	Project Manager & EAP
S53 Application for Arriesfontein Solar Park Phase 1 – 3 near Danielskuil, Northern Cape	Solar Reserve / SunCorp	Project Manager & EAP
S53 Application for Hertzogville PV1 & PV 2 SEFs, Free State	Solar Reserve / SunCorp	Project Manager & EAP
S53 Application for the Bloemfontein Airport PV Facility, Free State	Sublunary Trading	Project Manager & EAP
S53 Application for the Kimberley Airport PV Facility, Northern Cape	Sublunary Trading	Project Manager & EAP
S53 Application for the Project Blue SEF, Northern Cape	WWK Developments	Project Manager & EAP
S53 Application for the Upington Airport PV Facility, Free State	Sublunary Trading	Project Manager & EAP
WULA for the Kalahari SEF Phase II in Kathu, Northern Cape	Engie	Project Manager & EAP

## **RENEWABLE POWER GENERATION PROJECTS: CONCENTRATED SOLAR FACILITIES (CSP)**

### ***Environmental Impact Assessments and Environmental Management Programmes***

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Ilanga CSP 2, 3, 4, 5, 7 & 9 Facilities near Upington, Northern Cape	Emvelo Holdings	Project Manager & EAP
Ilanga CSP near Upington, Northern Cape	Ilangethu Energy	Project Manager & EAP
Ilanga Tower 1 Facility near Upington, Northern Cape	Emvelo Holdings	Project Manager & EAP
Karoshhoek CPVPD 1-4 facilities on site 2 as part of the larger Karoshhoek Solar Valley Development East of Upington, Northern Cape	FG Emvelo	Project Manager & EAP
Karoshhoek CSP facilities on sites 1.4; 4 & 5 as part of the larger Karoshhoek Solar Valley Development East of Upington, Northern Cape	FG Emvelo	Project Manager & EAP
Karoshhoek Linear Fresnel 1 Facility on site 1.1 as part of the larger Karoshhoek Solar Valley Development East of Upington, Northern Cape	FG Emvelo	Project Manager & EAP

### ***Environmental Compliance, Auditing and ECO***

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
ECO for the construction of the !Khi CSP Facility, Northern Cape	Abengoa Solar	Project Manager
ECO for the construction of the Ilanga CSP 1 Facility near Upington, Northern Cape	Karoshhoek Solar One	Project Manager



<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
ECO for the construction of the solar Park, Northern Cape	Kathu Solar	Project Manager
ECO for the construction of the KaXu! CSP Facility, Northern Cape	Abengoa Solar	Project Manager
Internal audit of compliance with the conditions of the IWUL issued to the Karoshoek Solar One CSP Facility, Northern Cape	Karoshoek Solar One	Project Manager

#### **Screening Studies**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Upington CSP (Tower) Plant near Kanoneiland, Northern Cape	iNca Energy and FRV	Project Manager & EAP

#### **Compliance Advice and ESAP reporting**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Ilanga CSP Facility near Upington, Northern Cape	Ilangethu Energy	Environmental Advisor
Ilangaletu CSP 2, Northern Cape	FG Emvelo	Environmental Advisor
Kathu CSP Facility, Northern Cape	GDF Suez	Environmental Advisor
Lephalale SEF, Limpopo	Cennergi	Environmental Advisor
Solis I CSP Facility, Northern Cape	Brightsource	Environmental Advisor

#### **Environmental Permitting, S53, Water Use Licence (WUL), Waste Management Licence (WML) & Other Applications**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Environmental Permitting for the Ilanga CSP Facility near Upington, Northern Cape	Ilangethu Energy	Project Manager & EAP
Environmental Permitting for the Kathu CSP, Northern Cape	GDF Suez	Project Manager & EAP
WULA for the Solis I CSP Facility, Northern Cape	Brightsource	Project Manager & EAP

#### **RENEWABLE POWER GENERATION PROJECTS: WIND ENERGY FACILITIES**

##### **Environmental Impact Assessments and Environmental Management Programmes**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Sere WEF, Western Cape	Eskom Holdings SoC Limited	EAP
Aberdeen WEF, Eastern Cape	Eskom Holdings SoC Limited	Project Manager & EAP
Amakhala Emoyeni WEF, Eastern Cape	Windlab Developments	Project Manager & EAP
EXXARO West Coast WEF, Western Cape	EXXARO Resources	Project Manager & EAP
Goereesoe Wind Farm near Swellendam, Western Cape	iNca Energy	Project Manager & EAP
Hartneest WEF, Western Cape	Juwi Renewable Energies	Project Manager & EAP
Hopefield WEF, Western Cape	Umoya Energy	EAP
Kleinsee WEF, Northern Cape	Eskom Holdings SoC Limited	Project Manager & EAP
Klipheuwel/Dassiesfontein WEF within the Overberg area, Western Cape	BioTherm Energy	Project Manager & EAP
Moorreesburg WEF, Western Cape	iNca Energy	Project Manager & EAP
Oyster Bay WEF, Eastern Cape	Renewable Energy Resources Southern Africa	Project Manager & EAP
Project Blue WEF, Northern Cape	Windy World	Project Manager & EAP
Rhebokfontein WEF, Western Cape	Moyeng Energy	Project Manager & EAP

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Spitskop East WEF near Riebeeck East, Eastern Cape	Renewable Energy Resources Southern Africa	Project Manager & EAP
Suurplaat WEF, Western Cape	Moyeng Energy	Project Manager & EAP
Swellendam WEF, Western Cape	IE Swellendam	Project Manager & EAP
Tsitsikamma WEF, Eastern Cape	Exxarro	Project Manager & EAP
West Coast One WEF, Western Cape	Moyeng Energy	Project Manager & EAP

#### **Basic Assessments**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Amakhala Emoyeni Wind Monitoring Masts, Eastern Cape	Windlab Developments	Project Manager & EAP
Beaufort West Wind Monitoring Masts, Western Cape	Umoya Energy	Project Manager & EAP
Hopefield Community Wind Farm near Hopefield, Western Cape	Umoya Energy	Project Manager & EAP
Koekenaap Wind Monitoring Masts, Western Cape	EXXARO Resources	Project Manager & EAP
Koingnaas WEF, Northern Cape	Just Palm Tree Power	Project Manager & EAP
Laingsburg Area Wind Monitoring Masts, Western Cape	Umoya Energy	Project Manager & EAP
Overberg Area Wind Monitoring Masts, Western Cape	BioTherm Energy	Project Manager & EAP
Oyster Bay Wind Monitoring Masts, Eastern Cape	Renewable Energy Systems Southern Africa (RES)	Project Manager & EAP

#### **Screening Studies**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Albertinia WEF, Western Cape	BioTherm Energy	Project Manager & EAP
Koingnaas WEF, Northern Cape	Just Pal Tree Power	Project Manager & EAP
Napier Region WEF Developments, Western Cape	BioTherm Energy	Project Manager & EAP
Tsitsikamma WEF, Eastern Cape	Exxarro Resources	Project Manager & EAP
Various WEFs within an identified area in the Overberg area, Western Cape	BioTherm Energy	Project Manager & EAP
Various WEFs within an identified area on the West Coast, Western Cape	Investec Bank Limited	Project Manager & EAP
Various WEFs within an identified area on the West Coast, Western Cape	Eskom Holdings Limited	Project Manager & EAP
Various WEFs within the Western Cape	Western Cape Department of Environmental Affairs and Development Planning	Project Manager & EAP
Velddrift WEF, Western Cape	VentuSA Energy	Project Manager & EAP
Wind 1000 Project	Thabo Consulting on behalf of Eskom Holdings	Project Manager & EAP
Wittekleibosch, Snylip & Doriskraal WEFs, Eastern Cape	Exxarro Resources	Project Manager & EAP

#### **Environmental Compliance, Auditing and ECO**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
ECO for the construction of the West Coast One WEF, Western Cape	Aurora Wind Power	Project Manager
ECO for the construction of the Gouda WEF, Western Cape	Blue Falcon	Project Manager



EO for the Dassiesklip Wind Energy Facility, Western Cape	Group 5	Project Manager
Quarterly compliance monitoring of compliance with all environmental licenses for the operation activities at the Gouda Wind Energy facility near Gouda, Western Cape Province	Blue Falcon	Project Manager
Annual auditing of compliance with all environmental licenses for the operation activities at the West Coast One Wind Energy facility near Vredenburg, Western Cape Province	Aurora Wind Power	Project Manager
External environmental and social audit for the Amakhala Wind farm	Cennergi	Project Manager
External environmental and social audit for the Tsitsikamma Wind farm	Cennergi	Project Manager
ECO for the construction of the Excelsior Wind Farm and associated infrastructure, Northern Cape province	BioTherm Energy	Project Manager

#### **Compliance Advice**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Amakhala Phase 1 WEF, Eastern Cape	Cennergi	Environmental Advisor
Dassiesfontein WEF within the Overberg area, Western Cape	BioTherm Energy	Environmental Advisor
Excelsior Wind Farm, Western Cape	BioTherm Energy	Environmental Advisor
Great Karoo Wind Farm, Northern Cape	African Clean Energy Developments (ACED)	Environmental Advisor
Hopefield Community WEF, Western Cape	African Clean Energy Developments (ACED)	Environmental Advisor
Rheboksfontein WEF, Western Cape	Moyeng Energy	Environmental Advisor
Tiqua WEF, Western Cape	Cennergi	Environmental Advisor
Tsitsikamma WEF, Eastern Cape	Cennergi	Environmental Advisor
West Coast One WEF, Western Cape	Moyeng Energy	Environmental Advisor

#### **Due Diligence Reporting**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Witteberg WEF, Western Cape	EDPR Renewables	Environmental Advisor
IPD Vredenburg WEF within the Saldanha Bay area, Western Cape	IL&FS Energy Development Company	Environmental Advisor

#### **Environmental Permitting, S53, Water Use Licence (WUL), Waste Management Licence (WML) & Other Applications**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Biodiversity Permitting for the Power Line between the Tsitikamma Community WEF & the Diep River Substation, Eastern Cape	Cennergi	Project Manager & EAP
Biodiversity Permitting for the West Coast One WEF, Western Cape	Aurora Wind Power	Project Manager & EAP
Environmental Permitting for the Excelsior WEF, Western Cape	BioTherm Energy	Project Manager & EAP
Plant Permits & WULA for the Tsitsikamma Community WEF, Eastern Cape	Cennergi	Project Manager & EAP

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
S24G and WULA for the Rectification for the commencement of unlawful activities on Ruimsig AH in Honeydew, Gauteng	Hossam Soror	Project Manager & EAP
S24G Application for the Rheboksfontein WEF, Western Cape	Ormonde - Theo Basson	Project Manager & EAP
S53 Application & WULA for Suurplaat and Gemini WEFs, Northern Cape	Engie	Project Manager & EAP
S53 Application for the Hopefield Community Wind Farm near Hopefield, Western Cape	Umoya Energy	Project Manager & EAP
S53 Application for the Project Blue WEF, Northern Cape	WWK Developments	Project Manager & EAP
S53 for the Oyster Bay WEF, Eastern Cape	RES	Project Manager & EAP
WULA for the Great Karoo Wind Farm, Northern Cape	African Clean Energy Developments (ACED)	Project Manager & EAP

## **CONVENTIONAL POWER GENERATION PROJECTS (COAL)**

### ***Environmental Impact Assessments and Environmental Management Programmes***

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Mutsho Power Station near Makhado, Limpopo Province	Mutsho Consortium	Project Manager & EAP
Coal-fired Power Station near Ogies, Mpumalanga	Ruukki SA	Project Manager & EAP
Thabametsi IPP Coal-fired Power Station, near Lephallale, Limpopo	Axia	Project Manager & EAP
Transalloys Coal-fired Power Station, Mpumalanga	Transalloys	Project Manager & EAP
Tshivasho IPP Coal-fired Power Station (with WML), near Lephallale, Limpopo	Cennergi	Project Manager & EAP
Umbani Coal-fired Power Station, near Kriel, Mpumalanga	ISS Global Mining	Project Manager & EAP
Waterberg IPP Coal-Fired Power Station near Lephallale, Limpopo	Exxaro Resources	Project Manager & EAP

### ***Basic Assessments***

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Coal Stockyard on Medupi Ash Dump Site, Limpopo Province	Eskom Holdings	Project Manager & EAP
Biomass Co-Firing Demonstration Facility at Arnot Power Station East of Middleburg, Mpumalanga	Eskom Holdings	Project Manager & EAP

### ***Screening Studies***

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Baseload Power Station near Lephallale, Limpopo	Cennergi	Project Manager & EAP
Coal-Fired Power Plant near Delmas, Mpumalanga	Exxaro Resources	Project Manager & EAP
Makhado Power Station, Limpopo	Mutsho Consortium, Limpopo	Project Manager & EAP

### ***Environmental Compliance, Auditing and ECO***

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
ECO for the Camden Power Station, Mpumalanga	Eskom Holdings	Project Manager

### **Compliance Advice**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Thabametsi IPP Coal-fired Power Station, near Lephallale, Limpopo	Axia	Environmental Advisor

### **Environmental Permitting, S53, Water Use Licence (WUL), Waste Management Licence (WML) & Other Applications**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Permit application for the Thabametsi Bulk Water Pipeline, near Lephallale, Limpopo	Axia	Project Manager & EAP
S53 & WULA for the Waterberg IPP Coal-Fired Power Station near Lephallale, Limpopo	Exxaro Resources	Project Manager & EAP
S53 Application for the Tshivasho Coal-fired Power Station near Lephallale, Limpopo	Cennergi	Project Manager & EAP

### **CONVENTIONAL POWER GENERATION PROJECTS (GAS)**

#### **Environmental Impact Assessments and Environmental Management Programmes**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Ankerlig OCGT to CCGT Conversion project & 400 kV transmission power line between Ankerlig and the Omega Substation, Western Cape	Eskom Holdings SoC Limited	Project Manager & EAP
Gourikwa OCGT to CCGT Conversion project & 400 kV transmission power line between Gourikwa & Proteus Substation, Western Cape	Eskom Holdings SoC Limited	Project Manager & EAP
Richards Bay Gas to Power Combined Cycle Power Station, KwaZulu-Natal	Eskom Holdings SoC Limited	Project Manager & EAP
Richards Bay Gas to Power Plant, KwaZulu-Natal	Richards Bay Gas	Project Manager & EAP
Decommissioning & Recommissioning of 3 Gas Turbine Units at Acacia Power Station & 1 Gas Turbine Unit at Port Rex Power Station to the existing Ankerlig Power Station in Atlantis Industria, Western Cape	Eskom Holdings	Project Manager & EAP
Two 132kV Chickadee Lines to the new Zonnebloem Switching Station, Mpumalanga	Eskom Holdings	Project Manager & EAP

#### **Screening Studies**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Fatal Flaw Analysis for 3 area identified for the establishment of a 500MW CCGT Power Station	Globeleq Advisors Limited	Project Manager & EAP
Richards Bay Gas to Power Combined Cycle Power Station, KwaZulu-Natal	Eskom Holdings SoC Limited	Project Manager & EAP

### **GRID INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS**

#### **Environmental Impact Assessments and Environmental Management Programmes**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Aggeneis-Oranjemond Transmission Line & Substation Upgrade, Northern Cape	Eskom Transmission	Project Manager & EAP

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Ankerlig-Omega Transmission Power Lines, Western Cape	Eskom Transmission	Project Manager & EAP
Karoshhoek Grid Integration project as part of the Karoshhoek Solar Valley Development East of Upington, Northern Cape	FG Emvelo	Project Manager & EAP
Koeberg-Omega Transmission Power Lines,, Western Cape	Eskom Transmission	Project Manager & EAP
Koeberg-Stikland Transmission Power Lines, Western Cape	Eskom Transmission	Project Manager & EAP
Kyalami Strengthening Project, Gauteng	Eskom Transmission	Project Manager & EAP
Mokopane Integration Project, Limpopo	Eskom Transmission	Project Manager & EAP
Saldanha Bay Strengthening Project, Western Cape	Eskom Transmission	Project Manager & EAP
Steelpoort Integration Project, Limpopo	Eskom Transmission	Project Manager & EAP
Transmission Lines from the Koeberg-2 Nuclear Power Station site, Western Cape	Eskom Transmission	Project Manager & EAP
Tshwane Strengthening Project, Phase 1, Gauteng	Eskom Transmission	Project Manager & EAP

### **Basic Assessments**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Dassenberg-Koeberg Power Line Deviation from the Koeberg to the Ankerlig Power Station, Western Cape	Eskom Holdings	Project Manager & EAP
Golden Valley II WEF Power Line & Substation near Cookhouse, Eastern Cape	BioTherm Energy	Project Manager & EAP
Golden Valley WEF Power Line near Cookhouse, Eastern Cape	BioTherm Energy	Project Manager & EAP
Karoshhoek Grid Integration project as part of the Karoshhoek Solar Valley Development East of Upington, Northern Cape	FG Emvelo	Project Manager & EAP
Konkoonies II PV SEF Power Line to the Paulputs Substation near Pofadder, Northern Cape	BioTherm Energy	Project Manager & EAP
Perdekraal West WEF Powerline to the Eskom Kappa Substation, Western Cape	BioTherm Energy	Project Manager & EAP
Rhebokfontein WEF Powerline to the Aurora Substation, Western Cape	Moyeng Energy	Project Manager & EAP
Soetwater Switching Station near Sutherland, Northern Cape	African Clean Energy Developments (ACED)	Project Manager & EAP
Solis Power I Power Line & Switchyard Station near Upington, Northern Cape	Brightsource	Project Manager & EAP
Stormwater Canal System for the Ilanga CSP near Upington, Northern Cape	Karoshhoek Solar One	Project Manager & EAP
Tsitsikamma Community WEF Powerline to the Diep River Substation, Eastern Cape	Eskom Holdings	Project Manager & EAP

### **Environmental Compliance, Auditing and ECO**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
ECO for the construction of the Ferrum-Mookodi Transmission Line, Northern Cape and North West	Trans-Africa Projects on behalf of Eskom	Project Manager
EO for the construction of the Gamma-Kappa Section A Transmission Line, Western Cape	Trans-Africa Projects on behalf of Eskom	Project Manager

EO for the construction of the Gamma-Kappa Section B Transmission Line, Western Cape	Trans-Africa Projects on behalf of Eskom	Project Manager
EO for the construction of the Hydra IPP Integration project, Northern Cape	Trans-Africa Projects on behalf of Eskom	Project Manager
EO for the construction of the Kappa-Sterrekus Section C Transmission Line, Western Cape	Trans-Africa Projects on behalf of Eskom	Project Manager
EO for the construction of the Namaqualand Strengthening project in Port Nolloth, Western Cape	Trans-Africa Projects on behalf of Eskom	Project Manager
ECO for the construction of the Neptune Substation Soil Erosion Mitigation Project, Eastern Cape	Eskom	Project Manager
ECO for the construction of the Ilanga-Gordonia 132kV power line, Northern Cape	Karoshhoek Solar One	Project Manager

**Environmental Permitting, S53, Water Use Licence (WUL), Waste Management Licence (WML) & Other Applications**

Project Name & Location	Client Name	Role
Environmental Permitting and WULA for the Rockdale B Substation & Loop in Power Lines,	Eskom Holdings	Project Manager & EAP
Environmental Permitting and WULA for the Steelpoort Integration project, Limpopo	Eskom Holdings	Project Manager & EAP
Environmental Permitting for Solis CSP near Upington, Northern Cape	Brightsource	Project Manager & EAP

**MINING SECTOR PROJECTS**

**Environmental Impact Assessments and Environmental Management Programmes**

Project Name & Location	Client Name	Role
Elitheni Coal Mine near Indwe, Eastern Cape	Elitheni Coal	Project Manager & EAP
Groot Letaba River Development Project Borrow Pits	liso	Project Manager & EAP
Grootegeluk Coal Mine for coal transportation infrastructure between the mine and Medupi Power Station (EMPr amendment) , Limpopo	Eskom Holdings	Project Manager & EAP
Waterberg Coal Mine (EMPr amendment), Limpopo	Seskoko Resources	Project Manager & EAP
Aluminium Plant WML & AEL, Gauteng	GfE-MIR Alloys & Minerals	Project Manager & EAP

**Basic Assessments**

Project Name & Location	Client Name	Role
Rare Earth Separation Plant in Vredendal, Western Cape	Rareco	Project Manager & EAP

**Environmental Compliance, Auditing and ECO**

Project Name & Location	Client Name	Role
ECO for the construction of the Duhva Mine Water Recovery Project, Mpumalanga	Eskom Holdings SoC Limited	Project Manager
External compliance audit of Palesa Coal Mine's Integrated Water Use License (IWUL), near KwaMhlanga, Mpumalanga	HCI Coal	Project Manager
External compliance audit of Palesa Coal Mine's Waste Management License (WML) and EMP, near KwaMhlanga, Mpumalanga	HCI Coal	Project Manager

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
External compliance audit of Mbali Coal Mine's Integrated Water Use License (IWUL), near Ogies, Mpumalanga	HCI Coal	Project Manager
Independent External Compliance Audit of Water Use License (WUL) for the Tronox Namakwa Sands (TNS) Mining Operations (Brand se Baai), Western Cape	Tronox Namakwa Sands	Project Manager
Independent External Compliance Audit of Water Use License (WUL) for the Tronox Namakwa Sands (TNS) Mineral Separation Plant (MSP), Western Cape	Tronox Namakwa Sands	Project Manager
Independent External Compliance Audit of Water Use License (WUL) for the Tronox Namakwa Sands (TNS) Smelter Operations (Saldanha), Western Cape	Tronox Namakwa Sands	Project Manager
Compliance Auditing of the Waste Management Licence for the PetroSA Landfill Site at the GTL Refinery, Western Cape	PetroSA	Project Manager

***Environmental Permitting, S53, Water Use Licence (WUL), Waste Management Licence (WML) & Other Applications***

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Waste Licence Application for the Rare Earth Separation Plant in Vredendal, Western Cape	Rareco	Project Manager & EAP
WULA for the Expansion of the Landfill site at Exxaro's Namakwa Sands Mineral Separation Plant, Western Cape	Exxaro Resources	Project Manager & EAP
S24G & WML for an Aluminium Plant, Gauteng	GfE-MIR Alloys & Minerals	Project Manager & EAP

**INFRASTRUCTURE DEVELOPMENT PROJECTS (BRIDGES, PIPELINES, ROADS, WATER RESOURCES, STORAGE, ETC)**

***Environmental Impact Assessments and Environmental Management Programmes***

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Bridge across the Ngotwane River, on the border of South Africa and Botswana	Eskom Holdings	Project Manager & EAP
Chemical Storage Tanks, Metallurgical Plant Upgrade & Backfill Plant upgrade at South Deep Gold Mine, near Westonaria, Gauteng	Goldfields	Project Manager & EAP
Expansion of the existing Welgedacht Water Care Works, Gauteng	ERWAT	Project Manager & EAP
Golden Valley WEF Access Road near Cookhouse, Eastern Cape	BioTherm Energy	Project Manager & EAP
Great Fish River Wind Farm Access Roads and Watercourse Crossings near Cookhouse, Eastern Cape	African Clean Energy Developments (ACED)	Project Manager & EAP
Ilanga CSP Facility Watercourse Crossings near Upington, Northern Cape	Karoshhoek Solar one	Project Manager & EAP
Modification of the existing Hartebeestfontein Water Care Works, Gauteng	ERWAT	Project Manager & EAP
N10 Road Realignment for the Ilanga CSP Facility, East of Upington, Northern Cape	SANRAL	Project Manager & EAP
Nxuba (Bedford) Wind Farm Watercourse Crossings near Cookhouse, Eastern Cape	African Clean Energy Developments (ACED)	Project Manager & EAP



<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Pollution Control Dams at the Medupi Power Station Ash Dump & Coal Stockyard, Limpopo	Eskom	Project Manager & EAP
Qoboshane borrow pits (EMPr only), Eastern Cape	Emalaheni Local Municipality	Project Manager & EAP
Tsitsikamma Community WEF Watercourse Crossings, Eastern Cape	Cennergi	Project Manager & EAP
Clayville Central Steam Plant, Gauteng	Bellmall Energy	Project Manager & EAP
Msenge Emoyeni Wind Farm Watercourse Crossings and Roads, Eastern Cape	Windlab	Project Manager & EAP

#### **Basic Assessments**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Harmony Gold WWTW at Doornkop Mine, Gauteng	Harmony Doornkop Plant	Project Manager & EAP
Ofir-ZX Watercourse Crossing for the Solar PV Facility, near Keimoes, Northern Cape	Networx S28 Energy	Project Manager & EAP
Qoboshane bridge & access roads, Eastern Cape	Emalaheni Local Municipality	Project Manager & EAP
Relocation of the Assay Laboratory near Carletonville, Gauteng	Sibanye Gold	Project Manager & EAP
Richards Bay Harbour Staging Area, KwaZulu-Natal	Eskom Holdings	Project Manager & EAP
S-Kol Watercourse Crossing for the Solar PV Facility, East of Keimoes, Northern Cape	Networx S28 Energy	Project Manager & EAP
Sonnenberg Watercourse Crossing for the Solar PV Facility, West Keimoes, Northern Cape	Networx S28 Energy	Project Manager & EAP
Kruisvallei Hydroelectric Power Generation Scheme, Free State Province	Building Energy	Project Manager & EAP

#### **Screening Studies**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Roodepoort Open Space Optimisation Programme (OSOP) Precinct, Gauteng	TIMAC Engineering Projects	Project Manager & EAP

#### **Environmental Compliance, Auditing and ECO**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
ECO and bi-monthly auditing for the construction of the Olifants River Water Resources Development Project (ORWRDP) Phase 2A: De Hoop Dam, R555 realignment and housing infrastructure	Department of Water and Sanitation	Project Manager Auditor
ECO for the Rehabilitation of the Blaaupan & Storm Water Channel, Gauteng	Airports Company of South Africa (ACSA)	Project Manager
Due Diligence reporting for the Better Fuel Pyrolysis Facility, Gauteng	Better Fuels	Project Manager
ECO for the Construction of the Water Pipeline from Kendal Power Station to Kendal Pump Station, Mpumalanga	Transnet	Project Manager

#### **Environmental Permitting, S53, Water Use Licence (WUL), Waste Management Licence (WML) & Other Applications**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
WULA for the Izubulo Private Nature Reserve, Limpopo	Kjell Bismeyer, Jann Bader, Laurence Saad	Project Manager & EAP
WULA for the Masodini Private Game Lode, Limpopo	Masodini Private Game Lodge	Environmental Advisor

WULA for the Ezulwini Private Nature Reserve, Limpopo	Ezulwini Investments	Project Manager & EAP
WULA for the Masodini Private Game Lode, Limpopo	Masodini Private Game Lodge	Project Manager & EAP
WULA for the N10 Realignment at the Ilanga SEF, Northern Cape	Karoshok Solar One	Project Manager & EAP
WULA for the Kruisvallei Hydroelectric Power Generation Scheme, Free State	Building Energy	Project Manager & EAP
S24G and WULA for the Illegal construction of structures within a watercourse on EFF 24 Ruimsig Agricultural Holdings, Gauteng	Sorror Language Services	Project Manager & EAP

## **HOUSING AND URBAN PROJECTS**

### **Basic Assessments**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Postmasburg Housing Development, Northern Cape	Transnet	Project Manager & EAP

### **Compliance Advice and reporting**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Kampi ya Thude at the Olifants West Game Reserve, Limpopo	Nick Elliot	Environmental Advisor
External Compliance Audit of WUL for the Johannesburg Country Club, Gauteng	Johannesburg Country Club	Project Manager

## **ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT TOOLS**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Development of the 3rd Edition Environmental Implementation Plan (EIP)	Gauteng Department of Agriculture and Rural Development (GDARD)	Project Manager & EAP
Development of Provincial Guidelines on 4x4 routes, Western Cape	Western Cape Department of Environmental Affairs and Development Planning	EAP
Compilation of Construction and Operation EMP for the Braamhoek Transmission Integration Project, Kwazulu-Natal	Eskom Holdings	Project Manager & EAP
Compilation of EMP for the Wholesale Trade of Petroleum Products, Gauteng	Munaca Technologies	Project Manager & EAP
Operational Environmental Management Programme (OEMP) for Medupi Power Station, Limpopo	Eskom Holdings	Project Manager & EAP
Operational Environmental Management Programme (OEMP) for the Dube TradePort Site Wide Precinct	Dube TradePort Corporation	Project Manager & EAP
Operational Environmental Management Programme (OEMP) for the Kusile Power Station, Mpumalanga	Eskom Holdings	Project Manager & EAP
Review of Basic Assessment Process for the Wittekleibosch Wind Monitoring Mast, Eastern Cape	Exxaro Resources	Project Manager & EAP
Revision of the EMP for the Sirius Solar PV	Aurora Power Solutions	Project Manager & EAP

State of the Environment (SoE) for Emalahleni Local Municipality, Mpumalanga	Simo Consulting on behalf of Emalahleni Local Municipality	Project Manager & EAP
Aspects and Impacts Register for Salberg Concrete Products operations	Salberg Concrete Products	EAP
First State of Waste Report for South Africa	Golder on behalf of the Department of Environmental Affairs	Project Manager & EAP

### **PROJECTS OUTSIDE OF SOUTH AFRICA**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Advisory Services for the Zizabona Transmission Project, Zambia, Zimbabwe, Botswana & Namibia	PHD Capital	Advisor
EIA for the Semonkong WEF, Lesotho	MOSCET	Project Manager & EAP
EMP for the Kuvaninga Energia Gas Fired Power Project, Mozambique	ADC (Pty) Ltd	Project Manager & EAP
Environmental Screening Report for the SEF near Thabana Morena, Lesotho	Building Energy	EAP
EPBs for the Kawambwa, Mansa, Mwense and Nchelenge SEFs in Luapula Province, Zambia	Building Energy	Project Manager & EAP
ESG Due Diligence for the Hilton Garden Inn Development in Windhoek, Namibia	Vatange Capital	Project Manager
Mandahill Mall Rooftop PV SEF EPB, Lusaka, Zambia	Building Energy	Project Manager & EAP
Monthly ECO for the PV Power Plant for the Mocuba Power Station	Scatec	Project Manager

## CURRICULUM VITAE OF THALITA BOTHA

<b>Profession:</b>	Environmental Assessment Practitioner (EAP)
<b>Specialisation:</b>	Environmental Assessments, Report writing, report reviewing, Geographical Information Systems (GIS), development of project proposals for procuring new projects, project administration
<b>Work Experience:</b>	3 years' experience in Environmental Assessments and GIS

### VOCATIONAL EXPERIENCE

Professional execution of consulting services for projects in the environmental management field, specialising in Environmental Impact Assessment studies, environmental permitting, public participation, compilation of Environmental Management Plans and Programmes, environmental policy, and integrated environmental management. Responsibilities include report writing, analysis and the manipulation of geographical and technical experience with the use of ArcGIS, project management, review of specialist studies and the identification and assessment of potential negative environmental impacts and benefits. Compilation of the reports for environmental studies is in accordance with all relevant environmental legislation.

Experience in conducting environmental impact assessments for Concentrated Solar Power (CSP) Projects, Wind Energy Projects and grid infrastructure projects as well as infrastructure projects. Recent projects have been undertaken for both the public- and private-sector, including electricity generation and transmission projects (wind and solar), linear developments (such local roads and power lines), as well as general environmental planning, development and management. The completion of a diverse set of environmental management studies has resulted in a good working knowledge of environmental legislation and policy requirements.

### SKILLS BASE AND CORE COMPETENCIES

- Compilation of environmental impact assessment reports and environmental management programmes in accordance with relevant environmental legislative requirements;
- Analysis and manipulation of geographical information and data and technical experience with the use of ArcGIS;
- Identification and assessment of potential negative environmental impacts and benefits through the review of specialist studies;
- Public participation/involvement and stakeholder consultation;
- Identification of practical and achievable mitigation measures and the compilation of appropriate management plans; and
- Key experience in the assessment of impacts associated with renewable energy and large infrastructure projects.

## EDUCATION AND PROFESSIONAL STATUS

### Degrees:

- B.Sc. (Hons.) Environmental Management (2014), North-West University, Potchefstroom
- B.Sc. Environmental- and Biological Science (2013), North-West University, Potchefstroom

### Courses:

- Integrated Water Resources Management, the National Water Act and Water Use Authorisations (2017), Carin Bosman Sustainable Solutions

## EMPLOYMENT

Date	Company	Roles and Responsibilities
September 2015 - Current	Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd	<p>Environmental Assessment Practitioner</p> <p><i>Tasks include: Compilation of Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) reports; Basic Assessment (BA) reports and Environmental Management Programmes; Environmental Screening reports; Co-ordination of the public participation process; Project management; project proposals and tenders; Client liaison and Marketing; Process EIA Applications.</i></p> <p>GIS (utilising ArcGIS),</p> <p><i>Tasks include: Analysis and manipulation of data, screening assessments; compilation of maps.</i></p>

## PROJECT EXPERIENCE

### Renewable Power Generation Projects: Solar Energy Facilities

#### Basic Assessments and Environmental Management Programmes

Project Name & Location	Client Name	Role
Thaba Eco Hotel SEF, Gauteng	Camco Clean Energy	EAP
Moeding Solar PV Facility, North West Province	Moeding Solar	EAP

#### Screening Studies

Project Name & Location	Client Name	Role
Pre-feasibility desktop screening and fatal flaw analysis for a solar PV project near Hotazel, Northern Cape Province	ABO Wind	EAP
Pre-feasibility desktop screening and fatal flaw analysis for a solar PV project near Vryburg, North West Province	ABO Wind	EAP

### Geographical Information Systems (GIS)

Project Name & Location	Client Name	Role
Sol Invictus PV 1, Aggeneys, Northern Cape	Cyraclox	GIS
Sol Invictus PV 2, Aggeneys, Northern Cape	Cyracraft	GIS
Sol Invictus PV 3, Aggeneys, Northern Cape	Cyrafusion	GIS
Sol Invictus PV 4, Aggeneys, Northern Cape	Cyralex	GIS
Pre-feasibility desktop screening and fatal flaw analysis for a solar PV project near Hotazel, Northern Cape Province	ABO Wind	GIS
Pre-feasibility desktop screening and fatal flaw analysis for a solar PV project near Aggeneys, North West Province	ABO Wind	GIS
Moeding Solar PV Facility, North West Province	Moeding Solar	GIS

### **Renewable power generation projects: Wind Energy Facilities**

#### **Environmental Impact Assessments and Environmental Management Programmes**

Project Name & Location	Client Name	Role
Hartebeest WEF, Moorreesburg, Western Cape	Hartebeest Wind Farm	EAP

#### **Environmental Permitting & WUL Applications**

Project Name & Location	Client Name	Role
Karusa WEF WUL Application, Northern Cape	ACED	EAP
Soetwater WEF WUL Application, Northern Cape	ACED	EAP

#### **Geographical Information Systems (GIS)**

Project Name & Location	Client Name	Role
Hartebeest WEF, Moorreesburg, Western Cape	Hartebeest Wind Farm	GIS
Karusa WEF WUL Application, Northern Cape	ACED	GIS
Soetwater WEF WUL Application, Northern Cape	ACED	GIS

### **Renewable Power Generation Projects: Concentrated Solar Facilities (CSP)**

#### **Environmental Impact Assessments and Environmental Management Programmes**

Project Name & Location	Client Name	Role
Ilanga CSP 9, Northern Cape	Emvelo Holdings	EAP
Noupoort CSP, Northern Cape	CRESCO Energy	EAP

#### **Geographical Information Systems (GIS)**

Project Name & Location	Client Name	Role
Noupoort CSP, Northern Cape	CRESCO Energy	GIS

### **Renewable Power Generation Projects: Hydroelectrical Power Generation Facilities**

#### **Environmental Impact Assessments and Environmental Management Programmes**

Project Name & Location	Client Name	Role
Kruisvallei Hydroelectric Power Generation Scheme	Zevobuzz	EAP

#### **Geographical Information Systems (GIS)**

Project Name & Location	Client Name	Role
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Kruisvallei Hydroelectric Power Generation Scheme	Zevobuzz	GIS
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#### **Environmental Permitting & WUL Applications**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
WULA for the Kruisvallei Hydroelectric Power Generation Scheme	Zevobuzz	EAP
GA for the power line associated with the Kruisvallei Hydroelectric Power Generation Scheme	Zevobuzz	EAP

#### **Steam Generation Projects:**

#### **Environmental Impact Assessments and Environmental Management Programmes**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Clayville Thermal Plant, Gauteng	Bellmall Energy	EAP

#### **Screening Studies**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Fatal flaw analysis for the Clayville Thermal Plant, Gauteng	Bellmall Energy	EAP

#### **Geographical Information Systems (GIS)**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Clayville Thermal Plant, Gauteng	Bellmall Energy	GIS

#### **Grid Infrastructure Projects**

#### **Basic Assessments**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Gunstfontein Switching Station and Power Line, Northern Cape	ACED	EAP
Zonnebloem Switching Station and Power Lines, Mpumalanga	Eskom SOC Ltd	EAP

#### **Geographical Information Systems (GIS)**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Zonnebloem Switching Station and Power Lines, Mpumalanga	Eskom SOC Ltd	GIS

#### **Mining Sector Projects**

#### **Environmental Permitting & WUL Applications**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
S53 for Steynsrus PV 1, Western Cape	Cronimet Power Solutions	EAP
S53 for Steynsrus PV 2, Western Cape	Cronimet Power Solutions	EAP
S53 for Heuningspruit PV 1, Western Cape	Cronimet Power Solutions	EAP

#### **Geographical Information Systems (GIS)**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
S53 for Steynsrus PV 1, Western Cape	Cronimet Power Solutions	GIS

<i>S53 for Steynsrus PV 2, Western Cape</i>	<i>Cronimet Power Solutions</i>	<i>GIS</i>
<i>S53 for Heuningspruit PV 1, Western Cape</i>	<i>Cronimet Power Solutions</i>	<i>GIS</i>

**Infrastructure Development Projects (bridges, pipelines, roads, waste etc)**

**Basic Assessments**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
<i>MN73 Road Realignment, Northern Cape</i>	<i>Northern Cape Department of Roads and Public Works</i>	<i>EAP</i>
<i>S24G for the unlawful commencement of activities within a watercourse, Honeydew, Gauteng</i>	<i>Soror Language Services cc</i>	<i>EAP</i>
<i>Access Roads and Watercourse Crossings for the Iziduli Emoyeni Wind Energy Facility</i>	<i>Emoyeni Wind Farm Renewable Energy</i>	<i>EAP</i>
<i>Access Roads and Watercourse Crossings for the Msenge Emoyeni Wind Energy Facility</i>	<i>Amakhala Emoyeni Renewable Energy</i>	<i>EAP</i>

**Environmental Impact Assessments and Environmental Management Programmes**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
<i>S24G for the operation of a Aluminium, Alumino-thermic, Briquetting, Separation and Manganese Plant, Gauteng Province</i>	<i>GfE-MIR Alloys and Minerals SA</i>	<i>EAP</i>

**Geographical Information Systems (GIS)**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
<i>MN73 Road Realignment, Northern Cape</i>	<i>Northern Cape Department of Roads and Public Works</i>	<i>GIS</i>
<i>S24G for the unlawful commencement of activities within a watercourse, Honeydew, Gauteng</i>	<i>Soror Language Services cc</i>	<i>GIS</i>
<i>Access Roads and Watercourse Crossings for the Iziduli Emoyeni Wind Energy Facility</i>	<i>Emoyeni Wind Farm Renewable Energy</i>	<i>GIS</i>
<i>Access Roads and Watercourse Crossings for the Msenge Emoyeni Wind Energy Facility</i>	<i>Amakhala Emoyeni Renewable Energy</i>	<i>GIS</i>
<i>S24G for the operation of a Aluminium, Alumino-thermic, Briquetting, Separation and Manganese Plant, Gauteng Province</i>	<i>GfE-MIR Alloys and Minerals SA</i>	<i>GIS</i>

## CURRICULUM VITAE OF SARAH WATSON

<b>Profession:</b>	Environmental Consultant
<b>Specialisation:</b>	Environmental Impact Assessment, Environmental Management, Environmental Compliance and Due Diligence, and Compilation of Reports for projects in the infrastructure sector.
<b>Work Experience:</b>	Seven (7) years in the environmental field

### VOCATIONAL EXPERIENCE

Sarah has a Bachelor of Social Science (B.Soc.Sci.) Honours Degree in Geography and Environmental Management from the University of KwaZulu-Natal (UKZN), and seven (7) years of experience as an Environmental Consultant in the field of Environmental Impact Assessment and Environmental Management. She has experience working on a range of projects, specifically within the telecommunications; residential; industrial; bulk infrastructure; rural development; and energy sectors.

### SKILLS BASE AND CORE COMPETENCIES

- Environmental Assessment
- Environmental Management
- Environmental Compliance Monitoring
- Geographic Information System (GIS)
- Stakeholder Engagement

### EDUCATION AND PROFESSIONAL STATUS

#### Degrees:

- B.Soc.Sci. Honours in Geography and Environmental Management, University of KwaZulu-Natal, 2007
- B.Soc.Sci. Geography and Environmental Management, University of KwaZulu-Natal, 2006

#### Short Courses:

- Environmental and Social Risk Management (ESRM), International Finance Corporation, 2018

#### Professional Society Affiliations:

- Member of the South African affiliate of the International Association for Impact Assessment (IAIAsa)
- Member of the Society of South African Geographers (SSAG).

**EMPLOYMENT**

<b>Date</b>	<b>Company</b>	<b>Roles and Responsibilities</b>
<b>October 2016 – Current</b>	Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd	Environmental Consultant <i>Tasks included: Executing Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) processes, GIS Work, Environmental Screening, Environmental Due Diligence, and Environmental Management and auditing</i>
<b>December 2013 – December 2014</b>	Golder Associates Africa (Pty) Ltd	Environmental Consultant <i>Tasks included: Executing Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) and Basic Assessment (BA) processes, GIS work, Environmental Due Diligence, and Environmental Management and auditing</i>
<b>January 2011 – November 2013</b>	Scientific and Industrial Research (CSIR)	Environmental Consultant <i>Tasks included: Executing Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) and Basic Assessment (BA) processes, GIS work, Public Participation, Environmental Screening, and Environmental Management</i>
<b>April 2008 – December 2010</b>	K2M Environmental (Pty) Ltd	Environmental Consultant <i>Tasks included: Assisting Senior Environmental Consultant with executing Basic Assessment (BA) processes, GIS work, Public Participation, Preliminary Environmental Screening, and Environmental Managements</i>

**PROJECT EXPERIENCE****Renewable Power Generation Projects: Solar Energy Facilities****Environmental Impact Assessments and Environmental Management Programmes**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
<i>Combined EIA for the Betelgeuse PV Solar Projects 1, 2, 3 and 4; between Murraysburg and Victoria West, Western Cape Province.</i>	<i>Aurora Power Solutions (Pty) Ltd</i>	<i>Environmental, GIS and Public Participation Consultant (Scoping Phase)</i>
<i>EIA for the 75 MW Glen Thorne PV Solar Facility, near Bloemfontein, Free State Province.</i>	<i>SolaireDirect</i>	<i>Author of the draft Scoping Report (SR)</i>

**Basic Assessments**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
<i>BA for the PV Power Project on Kennilworth Farm, Northern Cape.</i>	<i>Biotherm Energy</i>	<i>Author of the draft Basic Assessment Report (BAR)</i>

**Screening Studies**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
<i>Environmental Site Screening Assessment For Solar PV Energy Facilities proposed at Salima, Lilongwe and Golomoti, Central Region, Malawi.</i>	<i>H1 Holdings (Pty) Ltd</i>	<i>Environmental and GIS Consultant</i>

### **Environmental Compliance, Auditing and ECO**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
2017 Annual Environmental Compliance Evaluation with the Equator Principles and Environmental and Social Action Plan for the Mulilo Solar PV De Aar Photovoltaic Solar Energy Facility, Northern Cape Province	Mulilo Renewable Energy Solar PV De Aar (Pty) Ltd	Auditor
2017 Annual Environmental Compliance Evaluation with the Equator Principles and Environmental and Social Action Plan for the Mulilo Solar PV Prieska Photovoltaic Solar Energy Facility, Northern Cape Province	Mulilo Renewable Energy Solar PV Prieska (Pty) Ltd	Auditor
Biannual Environmental Compliance Audit of the Konkoonies 10MW Photovoltaic (PV) Solar Energy Facility near Pofadder, Northern Cape Province	Limarco 77(Pty) Ltd	Auditor
Biannual Environmental Compliance Audit of the Aries 10MW Photovoltaic (PV) Solar Energy Facility near Kenhardt, Northern Cape Province	Sevenstones 159 (Pty) Ltd	Auditor
Final Environmental Compliance Audit for the Xina Solar One Thermal Plant, near Pofadder, Northern Cape Province	Xina Solar One RF (Pty) Ltd	Auditor

### **Renewable Power Generation Projects: Wind Energy Facilities**

#### **Environmental Impact Assessments and Environmental Management Programmes**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Combined EIA for the Ishwati Emoyeni Wind Energy Facility and associated Eskom Grid Connection Infrastructure, near Murraysburg, Western Cape Province.	Windlab Developments South Africa (Pty) Ltd (WDSA)	Environmental, GIS, and Public Participation Consultant (Scoping Phase)
EIA for the proposed Universal Wind Energy Project in the Coega IDZ, Eastern Cape Province.	Universal Wind	Environmental Consultant

#### **Screening Studies**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Environmental Screening Study (ESS) of Sites being Investigated for Potential Wind Energy Projects, in the Northern Cape, Eastern Cape, Western Cape; and KwaZulu-Natal Provinces.	Confidential	Environmental and GIS Consultant

#### **Due Diligence Reporting**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Environmental and Social Due Diligence Report for the Roggeveld Wind Farm in the Northern and Western Cape Province.	Building Energy South Africa (Pty) Ltd	Environmental Consultant

### **Conventional Power Generation Projects (Coal)**

#### **Environmental Impact Assessments and Environmental Management Programmes**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
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H2 Energy Power Station and associated infrastructure near KwaMhlanga, Mpumalanga Province.	H2 Clean Energy (Pty) Ltd	Environmental and GIS Consultant
Mutsho Power Project and Associated Infrastructure on a site near Makhado (Louis Trichardt), Limpopo Province.	Mutsho Power (Pty) Ltd	Environmental and GIS Consultant

### Screening Studies

Project Name & Location	Client Name	Role
Environmental Site Screening Assessment for a new coal-fired power station near Makhado (Louis Trichardt), Limpopo Province.	Confidential	Environmental and GIS Consultant

### Mining Sector Projects

#### Environmental Impact Assessments and Environmental Management Programmes

Project Name & Location	Client Name	Role
ESIA for a proposed Iron Ore Mine near Melmoth, Northern KwaZulu-Natal.	Jindal Mining (Pty) Ltd	Environmental Consultant (Scoping Phase)
ESIA for a proposed Iron Ore Processing Site near Melmoth, KwaZulu-Natal Province.	Jindal Processing (Pty) Ltd	Environmental Consultant (Scoping Phase)

#### Environmental Compliance, Auditing and ECO

Project Name & Location	Client Name	Role
Independent External Compliance audit of Palesa Mine's Integrated Water Use License (IWUL), near KwaMhlanga, Mpumalanga Province	HCI Coal	Auditor
Independent External Compliance audit of Palesa Mine's Waste Management License (WML), near KwaMhlanga, Mpumalanga Province	HCI Coal	Auditor
Independent External Compliance audit of Mbali Mine's Integrated Water Use License (IWUL), near Ogies, Mpumalanga Province	HCI Coal	Auditor



## Infrastructure Development Projects (bridges, pipelines, roads, etc.)

### **Environmental Impact Assessments and Environmental Management Programmes**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
EIA for the proposed Vopak-Reatile Terminal Richards Bay Bulk Liquid Storage and Handling Facility, Richards Bay, KwaZulu-Natal Province.	Vopak South Africa Developments (Pty) Ltd.	Environmental Consultant (Scoping Phase)
EIA for a proposed Common User Marine Servitude and Pipelines	Coega Development Corporation (CDC)	Environmental Consultant (Scoping Phase)

### **Basic Assessments**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
BA for site clearing and site preparation activities on Lots 4 and 5 of Portion 3 of Erf 11478 in the South Dunes Precinct of the Port of Richards Bay, KwaZulu-Natal Province.	Vopak South Africa Developments (Pty) Ltd.	Environmental Consultant
BA for the proposed Hlabisa Bulk Water Supply Scheme, Hlabisa, KwaZulu-Natal Province.	Mhlathuze Water	Environmental, GIS and Public Participation Consultant
BA for the proposed construction of a Bulk Sewage Rising Main, City of uMhlathuze, KwaZulu-Natal Province.	City of uMhlathuze Local Municipality.	Environmental, GIS and Public Participation Consultant
BA for the proposed Rita Light Industrial Park Development, near Camperdown, KwaZulu-Natal Province.	Daisy Wheel Investments (Pty) Ltd	Environmental, GIS and Public Participation Consultant
BA for the development of a Light Industrial Park on Portion 10 of the Farm Balgowrie, Camperdown, KwaZulu-Natal.	Daisy Wheel Investments (Pty) Ltd	Environmental, GIS and Public Participation Consultant
BA for the construction of a MTN Telecommunication Mast and associated Base Station near Richards Bay, KwaZulu-Natal Province.	BSO International on behalf of MTN	Environmental, GIS and Public Participation Consultant
BA for the construction of a MTN Telecommunication Mast and associated Base Station at Felixton, near Empangeni, KwaZulu-Natal Province.	BSO International on behalf of MTN	Environmental, GIS and Public Participation Consultant
BA for the construction of a MTN Telecommunication Mast and associated Base Station near Ballito, KwaZulu-Natal Province.	BSO International on behalf of MTN	Environmental, GIS and Public Participation Consultant
BA for the construction of a MTN Telecommunication Mast and associated Base Station near Howick, KwaZulu-Natal Province.	BSO International on behalf of MTN	Environmental, GIS and Public Participation Consultant
BA for the construction of a MTN Telecommunication Mast and associated Base Station near Richmond, KwaZulu-Natal Province.	BSO International on behalf of MTN	Environmental, GIS and Public Participation Consultant
BA for the construction of a MTN Telecommunication Mast and associated Base Station in Durban, KwaZulu-Natal Province.	BSO International on behalf of MTN	Environmental, GIS and Public Participation Consultant
BA for the construction of a MTN Telecommunication Mast and associated Base Station near Kokstad, KwaZulu-Natal Province.	BSO International on behalf of MTN	Environmental, GIS and Public Participation Consultant

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
BA for the construction of a MTN Telecommunication Mast and associated Base Station near Richmond, KwaZulu-Natal Province.	BSO International on behalf of MTN	Environmental, GIS and Public Participation Consultant
BA for the construction of a MTN Telecommunication Mast and associated Base Station near Mkondeni, Pietermaritzburg, KwaZulu-Natal Province.	BSO International on behalf of MTN	Environmental, GIS and Public Participation Consultant
BA for the construction of a MTN Telecommunication Mast and associated Base Station in Pietermaritzburg, KwaZulu-Natal Province.	BSO International on behalf of MTN	Environmental, GIS and Public Participation Consultant
BA for the construction of a MTN Telecommunication Mast and associated Base Station in Bulwer, KwaZulu-Natal Province.	BSO International on behalf of MTN	Environmental, GIS and Public Participation Consultant
BA for the construction of a MTN Telecommunication Mast and associated Base Station near Camperdown, KwaZulu-Natal Province.	BSO International on behalf of MTN	Environmental, GIS and Public Participation Consultant
BA for the construction of a MTN Telecommunication Mast and associated Base Station near Underberg, KwaZulu-Natal Province.	BSO International on behalf of MTN	Environmental, GIS and Public Participation Consultant
BA for the construction of a MTN Telecommunication Mast and associated Base Station in Cowies Hill, KwaZulu-Natal Province.	BSO International on behalf of MTN	Environmental, GIS and Public Participation Consultant
BA for the construction of a MTN Telecommunication Mast and associated Base Station in Phoenix, KwaZulu-Natal Province.	BSO International on behalf of MTN	Environmental, GIS and Public Participation Consultant
BA for the construction of a MTN Telecommunication Mast and associated Base Station near Kokstad, Eastern Cape Province.	BSO International on behalf of MTN	Environmental, GIS and Public Participation Consultant
BA for the construction of a MTN Telecommunication Mast and associated Base Station near Vulindlela, KwaZulu-Natal Province.	BSO International on behalf of MTN	Environmental, GIS and Public Participation Consultant
BA for the construction of a MTN Telecommunication Mast and associated Base Station near Mpendle, KwaZulu-Natal Province.	BSO International on behalf of MTN	Environmental, GIS and Public Participation Consultant
BA for the construction of a MultiChoice Water Tower Transmission Installations and associated Base Stations in Isipingo, KwaZulu-Natal Province	BSO International on behalf of MultiChoice	Environmental, GIS and Public Participation Consultant
BA for the construction of a MultiChoice Water Tower Transmission Installations and associated Base Stations in Umlazi, KwaZulu-Natal Province	BSO International on behalf of MultiChoice	Environmental, GIS and Public Participation Consultant
BA for the construction of a MultiChoice Rooftop Transmission Installation and associated Base Station in Reservoir Hills, KwaZulu-Natal Province.	BSO International on behalf of MultiChoice	Environmental, GIS and Public Participation Consultant
BA for the construction of a MultiChoice Rooftop Transmission Installation and associated Base Station in Wentworth, KwaZulu-Natal Province.	BSO International on behalf of MultiChoice	Environmental, GIS and Public Participation Consultant
BA for the construction of a MultiChoice Rooftop Transmission Installation and associated Base Station in Queensburgh, KwaZulu-Natal Province.	BSO International on behalf of MultiChoice	Environmental, GIS and Public Participation Consultant

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
BA for the construction of a MultiChoice Rooftop Transmission Installation and associated Base Station at the University of KwaZulu-Natal (UKZN), KwaZulu-Natal Province.	BSO International on behalf of MultiChoice	Environmental, GIS and Public Participation Consultant
BA for the construction of a MultiChoice Rooftop Transmission Installation and associated Base Station in Amanzimtoti, KwaZulu-Natal Province.	BSO International on behalf of MultiChoice	Environmental, GIS and Public Participation Consultant
BA for the construction of an iBurst Telecommunication Mast and associated Base Station in Kloof, KwaZulu-Natal Province	BSO International on behalf of iBurst	Environmental, GIS and Public Participation Consultant

### **Screening Studies**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
ESS for the proposed Development of Pier 1 Phase 2 Container Terminal in the Port of Durban, KwaZulu-Natal Province.	Transnet Capital Projects (TCP).	Environmental Consultant and co-author

### **Environmental Compliance, Auditing and ECO**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Construction of a New Distribution Centre and Warehouse on Erf 5539 and 5540 (Chloorkop X74), Lords View Industrial Park, Gauteng Province	Olivier & Partners on behalf of ARB Holdings (Pty) Ltd	Environmental Control Officer (ECO)
Gap Analysis of Venture Diversified Product (VDP) Rosslyn Facility's EMS, in Rosslyn, Gauteng Province	Venture Diversified Product (VDP) Rosslyn	Auditor
Construction of the Hlabisa Bulk Water Supply Scheme, in Hlabisa, KwaZulu-Natal Province	Mhlathuze Water	Environmental Control Officer (ECO)

### **Training**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Capacity Building Workshop on Amended Environmental Impact Assessment Regulations and Associated Legislation, Durban, KwaZulu-Natal	Transnet	Assistant Environmental Consultant and Researcher

### **Housing and Urban Projects**

#### **Environmental Impact Assessments and Environmental Management Programmes**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
EMP for the Makhasaneni Rural Subsidised Housing Development, in Mthonjaneni (Ward 5), KwaZulu-Natal Province.	Stedone Developments and Bigen Africa on behalf of the Mthonjaneni Local Municipality, and the KwaZulu-Natal Department of Housing.	Environmental and GIS Consultant
EMP for the Ntembisweni Rural Subsidised Housing Development in the Ntembisweni Traditional Authority Area near Greytown, KwaZulu-Natal Province.	Stedone Developments and Bigen Africa on behalf of the Umvoti Local Municipality, and the KwaZulu-Natal Department of Housing.	Environmental and GIS Consultant

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
<i>EMP for the Sikhonyane Rural Subsidised Housing Development, in the Sikhonyane Traditional Authority area, KwaZulu-Natal Province.</i>	<i>Stedone Developments and Bigen Africa on behalf of the Mandeni Local Municipality, and the KwaZulu-Natal Department of Housing.</i>	<i>Environmental and GIS Consultant</i>
<i>EMP for the Umzumbe Cluster A Rural Subsidised Housing Development, near Umzumbe, KwaZulu-Natal Province.</i>	<i>Stedone Developments and Bigen Africa on behalf of the Umzumbe Local Municipality, and the KwaZulu-Natal Department of Housing.</i>	<i>Environmental and GIS Consultant</i>
<i>EMP for the Applebosch Rural Subsidised Housing Development near Ndwedwe, KwaZulu-Natal Province.</i>	<i>Stedone Developments and Bigen Africa on behalf of the Msunduzi Local Municipality, and the KwaZulu-Natal Department of Housing.</i>	<i>Environmental and GIS Consultant</i>

#### **Basic Assessments**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
<i>BA for the proposed Loch-Sloy Rural Subsidised Housing Development, near Estcourt, KwaZulu-Natal Province.</i>	<i>Imbabazane Local Municipality</i>	<i>Environmental, GIS and Public Participation Consultant</i>
<i>BA for the proposed "Living in THE PARK" Residential Development, near Albert Falls, KwaZulu-Natal Province.</i>	<i>J.H.K Developers</i>	<i>Environmental, GIS and Public Participation Consultant</i>
<i>BA for the proposed Residential Development on the Remainder of Erf 215, Prince's Grant, KwaZulu-Natal Province.</i>	<i>Princes Grant</i>	<i>Environmental, GIS and Public Participation Consultant</i>
<i>BA for the proposed Greenmeadow Lane Retirement Village, KwaZulu-Natal Province.</i>	<i>Rodney Blake Jolly on behalf of Georgies Avenue Investments (Pty) Ltd</i>	<i>Environmental, GIS and Public Participation Consultant</i>

#### **Screening Studies**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
<i>Preliminary Environmental Assessment for a Rural Subsidised Housing Development, in the Ntembisweni Traditional Authority area near Greytown, KwaZulu-Natal Province.</i>	<i>Stedone Developments and Bigen Africa on behalf of the Umvoti Local Municipality, and the KwaZulu-Natal Department of Housing.</i>	<i>Environmental and GIS Consultant</i>
<i>Preliminary Environmental Assessment for a Rural Subsidised Housing Development, in the Mkhwanazi Traditional Authority area, KwaZulu-Natal Province.</i>	<i>Stedone Developments and Bigen Africa on behalf of the City of uMhlathuze Local Municipality, and the KwaZulu-Natal Department of Housing.</i>	<i>Environmental and GIS Consultant</i>
<i>Preliminary Environmental Assessment for a Rural Subsidised Housing Development, at Makhasaneni in Ward 5 of the Mthonjaneni Local Municipality, KwaZulu-Natal Province.</i>	<i>Stedone Developments and Bigen Africa on behalf of the Mthonjaneni Local Municipality, and the KwaZulu-Natal Department of Housing.</i>	<i>Environmental and GIS Consultant</i>

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
<i>Preliminary Environmental Assessment for a Rural Subsidised Housing Development, at the Sikhonyane Traditional Authority area, KwaZulu-Natal Province.</i>	<i>Stedone Developments and Bigen Africa on behalf of the Mandeni Local Municipality, and the KwaZulu-Natal Department of Housing.</i>	<i>Environmental and GIS Consultant</i>
<i>Preliminary Environmental Assessment for a Rural Subsidised Housing Development, near Ndwedwe, KwaZulu-Natal Province.</i>	<i>Stedone Developments and Bigen Africa on behalf of the Msunduzi Local Municipality, and the KwaZulu-Natal Department of Housing.</i>	<i>Environmental and GIS Consultant</i>
<i>Preliminary Environmental Assessment for a Rural Subsidised Housing Development, at Nxamalala Traditional Authority area, KwaZulu-Natal Province.</i>	<i>Stedone Developments and Bigen Africa on behalf of the Impendle Local Municipality, and the KwaZulu-Natal Department of Housing.</i>	<i>Environmental and GIS Consultant</i>
<i>Preliminary Environmental Assessment for a Rural Subsidised Housing Development, KwaZulu-Natal Province.</i>	<i>Stedone Developments and Bigen Africa on behalf of the Local Municipality, and the KwaZulu-Natal Department of Housing.</i>	<i>Environmental and GIS Consultant</i>
<i>Preliminary Environmental Assessment for a Rural Subsidised Housing Development, at KwaDolo Traditional Authority area, KwaZulu-Natal Province.</i>	<i>Stedone Developments and Bigen Africa on behalf of the Msinga Local Municipality, and the KwaZulu-Natal Department of Housing.</i>	<i>Environmental and GIS Consultant</i>
<i>Preliminary Environmental Assessment for a Rural Subsidised Housing Development, at Ndlangubo Traditional Authority area, KwaZulu-Natal Province.</i>	<i>Stedone Developments and Bigen Africa on behalf of the uMlalazi Local Municipality, and the KwaZulu-Natal Department of Housing.</i>	<i>Environmental and GIS Consultant</i>
<i>Preliminary Environmental Assessment for a Rural Subsidised Housing Development, at the Embo Traditional Authority area, KwaZulu-Natal Province.</i>	<i>Stedone Developments and Bigen Africa on behalf of the Maphumulo Local Municipality, and the KwaZulu-Natal Department of Housing.</i>	<i>Environmental and GIS Consultant</i>
<i>Preliminary Environmental Assessment for a Rural Subsidised Housing Development, at Mthandeni Traditional Authority area, KwaZulu-Natal Province.</i>	<i>Stedone Developments and Bigen Africa on behalf of the Maphumulo Local Municipality, and the KwaZulu-Natal Department of Housing.</i>	<i>Environmental and GIS Consultant</i>
<i>Preliminary Environmental Assessment for the Highflats Slum Clearance Housing Project near Ixopo, KwaZulu-Natal Province.</i>	<i>Stedone Developments and Bigen Africa on behalf of the Ubuhlebezwe Local Municipality, and the KwaZulu-Natal Department of Housing.</i>	<i>Environmental and GIS Consultant</i>

### Environmental Permitting & WUL Applications

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Application for Planning Consent for the proposed Kwamavundla Rural Subsidised Housing Development in the Kwamavundla Traditional Authority area, KwaZulu-Natal Province.	Stedone Developments and Bigen Africa on behalf of the Hibiscus Coast Local Municipality, and the KwaZulu-Natal Department of Housing.	GIS Consultant and assistant Environmental Consultant
Application for Planning Consent for the proposed Ngolokodo Rural Subsidised Housing Development, near Nquthu KwaZulu-Natal Province.	Stedone Developments and Bigen Africa on behalf of the Ubuhlebezwe Local Municipality, and the KwaZulu-Natal Department of Housing.	GIS Consultant and assistant Environmental Consultant
Application for Planning Consent for the proposed Mdletshe Traditional Authority Rural Subsidised Housing Development, KwaZulu-Natal Province.	Stedone Developments and Bigen Africa on behalf of the Hlabisa Local Municipality, and the KwaZulu-Natal Department of Housing.	GIS Consultant and assistant Environmental Consultant
Application for Planning Consent for the proposed Makhasaneni Rural Subsidised Housing Development, KwaZulu-Natal Province.	Stedone Developments and Bigen Africa on behalf of the Mthonjaneni Local Municipality, and the KwaZulu-Natal Department of Housing.	GIS Consultant and assistant Environmental Consultant
Application for Planning Consent for the proposed Njomelwane Rural Subsidised Housing Development, KwaZulu-Natal Province.	Stedone Developments and Bigen Africa on behalf of the Ntambanana Local Municipality, and the KwaZulu-Natal Department of Housing.	GIS Consultant and assistant Environmental Consultant
Application for Planning Consent for the proposed Umzambe Cluster A Rural Subsidised Housing Development, KwaZulu-Natal Province.	Stedone Developments and Bigen Africa on behalf of the Umzambe Local Municipality, and the KwaZulu-Natal Department of Housing.	GIS Consultant and assistant Environmental Consultant
Application for Planning Consent for the proposed Ntanzi Rural Subsidised Housing Development, KwaZulu-Natal Province.	Stedone Developments and Bigen Africa on behalf of the Nongoma Local Municipality, and the KwaZulu-Natal Department of Housing.	GIS Consultant and assistant Environmental Consultant
Application for Planning Consent for the proposed Abakwahlabisa Rural Subsidised Housing Development, KwaZulu-Natal Province.	Stedone Developments and Bigen Africa on behalf of the Hlabisa Local Municipality, and the KwaZulu-Natal Department of Housing.	GIS Consultant and assistant Environmental Consultant



## **Environmental Management Tools**

### **Screening Studies**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
<i>Umzinyathi District Municipality's Strategic Environmental Assessment (July 2009).</i>	<i>Umzinyathi District Municipality</i>	<i>Assistant GIS Consultant</i>

### **Specialist Studies**

#### **Social Impact Assessments**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
<i>BA for the Kruisvallei Hydroelectric Power Generation Scheme, Free State Province</i>	<i>Zevobuzz (Pty) Ltd</i>	<i>Social Consultant</i>
<i>Lake Management Plan for Lake Mzingazi, Richards Bay, KwaZulu-Natal Province</i>	<i>City of uMhlathuze</i>	<i>Social Consultant (Review and update of Social Assessment)</i>



## CURRICULUM VITAE OF NICOLENE VENTER

<b>Profession :</b>	Public Participation and Social Consultant
<b>Specialisation:</b>	Public participation process; stakeholder engagement; facilitation (workshops, focus group and public meetings; public open days; steering committees); monitoring and evaluation of public participation and stakeholder engagement processes
<b>Work Experience:</b>	21 years' experience as a Public Participation Practitioner and Stakeholder Consultant

### VOCATIONAL EXPERIENCE

Over the past 21 years Nicolene established herself as an experienced and well recognised public participation practitioner, facilitator and strategic reviewer of public participation processes. She has experience in managing public participation projects and awareness creation programmes. Her experience includes designing and managing countrywide public participation and awareness creation projects, managing multi-project schedules, budgets and achieving project goals. She has successfully undertaken several public participation processes for EIA, BA and WULA projects. The EIA and BA process include linear projects such as the NMPP, Eskom Transmission and Distribution power lines as well as site specific developments such as renewable energy projects i.e. solar, photo voltaic and wind farms. She also successfully managed stakeholder engagement projects which were required to be in line with the Equator Principles.

### SKILLS BASE AND CORE COMPETENCIES

- Project Management
- Public Participation, Stakeholder Engagement and Awareness Creation
- Public Speaking and Presentation Skills
- Facilitation (workshops, focus group meetings, public meetings, public open days, working groups and committees)
- Social Assessments (Stakeholder Analysis / Stakeholder Mapping)
- Monitoring and Evaluation of Public Participation and Stakeholder Engagement Processes
- Community Liaison
- IFC Performance Standards
- Equator Principles
- Minute taking, issues mapping, report writing and quality control

### EDUCATION AND PROFESSIONAL STATUS

#### Degrees:

- Higher Secretarial Certificate, Pretoria Technicon (1970)

#### Short Courses:

- Techniques for Effective Public Participation, International Association for Public Participation, IAP2 (2008)
- Foundations of Public Participation (Planning and Communication for Effective Public Participation, IAP2 (2009)
- Certificate in Public Relations, Public Relation Institute of South Africa, Damelin Management School (1989)

**Professional Society Affiliations:**

- Board Member of International Association for Public Participation (IAP2): Southern Africa

**EMPLOYMENT**

Date	Company	Roles and Responsibilities
<p><b>November 2018 – current</b></p>	<p>Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd</p>	<p>Public Participation and Social Consultant</p> <p><u>Tasks include:</u></p> <p><i>Tasks include: Drafting of a Public Participation Plan with key deliverable dates and methodology to be followed, Background Information Document, Letters to Stakeholders and Interested and/or Affected Parties (I&amp;APs) inclusive of key project deliverables and responses to questions / concerns raised; Stakeholder identification; facilitating stakeholder workshops, focus group and public meetings; conduct one-on-one consultation with Community Leaders, Tribal Chiefs, affected landowners, etc.</i></p> <p><i>Managing interaction between Stakeholders and Team Members, liaising with National, Provincial and Local Authorities, managing community consultation and communications in project affected areas, attend to the level of technical information communicated to and consultation with all level of stakeholders involved.</i></p>
<p><b>2016 – October 2018</b></p>	<p>Imaginative Africa (Pty) Ltd (company owned by Nicolene Venter)</p>	<p>Independent Consultant</p> <p>Consulting to various Environmental Assessment Practitioners for Public Participation and Stakeholder Engagements:</p> <p><u>Tasks include:</u></p> <p><i>Tasks include: Drafting of a Public Participation Plan with key deliverable dates and methodology to be followed, Background Information Document, Letters to Stakeholders and Interested and/or Affected Parties (I&amp;APs) inclusive of key project deliverables and responses to questions / concerns raised; Stakeholder identification; facilitating stakeholder workshops, focus group and public meetings; conduct one-on-one consultation with Community Leaders, Tribal Chiefs, affected landowners, etc.</i></p> <p><i>Managing interaction between Stakeholders and Team Members, liaising with National, Provincial and Local Authorities, managing community consultation and communications in project</i></p>

		<p>affected areas, attend to the level of technical information communicated to and consultation with all level of stakeholders involved</p> <p><u>Clients:</u> SiVEST Environmental, Savannah Environmental, Baagi Environmental; Royal Haskoning DHV (previously SSI)</p>
<b>2013 - 2016</b>	<p>Zitholele Consulting</p> <p>Contact person: Dr Mathys Vosloo Contact number: 011 207 2060</p>	<p>Senior Public Participation Practitioner and Project Manager</p> <p><u>Tasks included:</u> Project managed public participation process for EIA/BA/WULA/EAL projects. Manages two Public Participation Administrators. Public Participation tasks as outlined as above and including financial management of public participation processes.</p>
<b>2011 - 2013</b>	<p>Imaginative Africa (Pty) Ltd (company owned by Nicolene Venter)</p>	<p>Independent Consultant Consulting to various Environmental Assessment Practitioners for Public Participation and Stakeholder Engagements</p> <p><u>Tasks included:</u> Drafting of a Public Participation Plan with key deliverable dates and methodology to be followed, Background Information Document, Letters to Stakeholders and Interested and/or Affected Parties (I&amp;APs) inclusive of key project deliverables and responses to questions / concerns raised; Stakeholder identification; facilitating stakeholder workshops, focus group and public meetings; conduct one-on-one consultation with Community Leaders, Tribal Chiefs, affected landowners, etc.</p> <p>Managing interaction between Stakeholders and Team Members, liaising with National, Provincial and Local Authorities, managing community consultation and communications in project affected areas, attend to the level of technical information communicated to and consultation with all level of stakeholders involved</p> <p><u>Clients:</u> Bohlweki Environmental, Bembani Sustainability (Pty) Ltd; Naledzi Environmental</p>
<b>2007 – 2011</b>	<p>SiVEST SA (Pty) Ltd</p> <p>Contact person: Andrea Gibb Contact number: 011 798 0600</p>	<p>Unit Manager: Public Participation Practitioner</p> <p><u>Tasks included:</u> Project managed public participation process for EIA/BA projects. Manages two Junior Public Participation Practitioners. Public Participation</p>

		tasks as outlined as above and including financial management of public participation processes.
<b>2005 – 2006</b>	Imaginative Africa (Pty) Ltd (company owned by Nicolene Venter)	<p>Independent Consultant Public Participation and Stakeholder Engagement Practitioner</p> <p><u>Tasks included:</u> Drafting of a Public Participation Plan with key deliverable dates and methodology to be followed, Background Information Document, Letters to Stakeholders and Interested and/or Affected Parties (I&amp;APs) inclusive of key project deliverables and responses to questions / concerns raised; Stakeholder identification; facilitating stakeholder workshops, focus group and public meetings; conduct one-on-one consultation with Community Leaders, Tribal Chiefs, affected landowners, etc.</p> <p>Managing interaction between Stakeholders and Team Members, liaising with National, Provincial and Local Authorities, managing community consultation and communications in project affected areas, attend to the level of technical information communicated to and consultation with all level of stakeholders involved.</p> <p><u>Clients:</u> Manyaka-Greyling-Meiring (previously Greyling Liaison and currently Golder Associates)</p>
<b>1997 - 2004</b>	Imaginative Africa (Pty) Ltd (company owned by Nicolene Venter)	<p>Independent Consultant: Public Participation Practitioner.</p> <p><u>Tasks included:</u> Drafting of a Public Participation Plan with key deliverable dates and methodology to be followed, Background Information Document, Letters to Stakeholders and Interested and/or Affected Parties (I&amp;APs) inclusive of key project deliverables and responses to questions / concerns raised; Stakeholder identification; facilitating stakeholder workshops, focus group and public meetings; conduct one-on-one consultation with Community Leaders, affected landowners, etc.</p> <p>Managing interaction between Stakeholders and Team Members, liaising with National, Provincial Local Authorities, managing community consultation and communications in project affected areas, attend to the level of technical</p>

		<p>information communicated to and consultation with all level of stakeholders involved.</p> <p><u>Clients:</u>  Greyling Liaison (currently Golder Associates);  Bembani Sustainability (Pty) Ltd; Lidwala Environmental; Naledzi Environmental</p>
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## PROJECT EXPERIENCE

### RENEWABLE POWER GENERATION PROJECTS: PHOTOVOLTAIC SOLAR ENERGY FACILITIES

#### **Environmental Impact Assessments and Environmental Management Programmes**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Lichtenburg PVs (3 PVs) & Power Lines (grid connection), Lichtenburg, North West Province	Atlantic Energy Partners EAP: Savannah Environmental	Project Manage the Public Participation Process Facilitate all meetings
Allepad PVs 4 PVs) & Power Lines (grid connection), Upington, Northern Cape Province	IL Energy EAP: Savannah Environmental	Consultation with Government Officials, Key Stakeholders, Landowners & Community Leaders
Hyperion Solar PV Developments (4 PVs) and Associated Infrastructures, Kathu, Northern Cape Province	Building Energy EAP: Savannah Environmental	
Aggeneys Solar PV Developments (2 PVs) and Associated Infrastructures, Aggeneys, Northern Cape Province	Atlantic Energy Partners and ABO Wind EAP: Savannah Environmental	

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
<p>Tlitseng PV, including Substations &amp; Power Lines, Lichtenburg, North West Province</p> <p>Sendawo PVs, including Substations &amp; Power Lines, Vryburg, North West Province</p> <p>Helena Solar 1, 2 and 3 PVs, Copperton, Northern Cape Province</p>	<p>BioTherm Energy EAP: SiVEST</p>	<p>Public Participation, Landowner and Community Consultation</p>
<p>Farm Spes Bona 23552 Solar PV Plants, Bloemfontein, Free State Province</p> <p>De Aar Solar Energy Facility, De Aar, Northern Cape Province</p> <p>Droogfontein Solar Energy Facility, Kimberley, Northern Cape Province</p> <p>Kaalspruit Solar Energy Facility, Loeriesfontein, Northern Cape Province</p> <p>Platsjambok East PV, Prieska, Northern Cape Province</p>	<p>Surya Power EAP: SiVEST</p> <p>South Africa Mainstream Renewable Power Developments EAP: SiVEST</p>	<p>Public Participation, Landowner and Community Consultation</p> <p>Public Participation, Landowner and Community Consultation</p>
Renosterburg PV, De Aar, Northern Cape Province	Renosterberg Wind Energy Company EAP: SiVEST	Public Participation, Landowner and Community Consultation

19MW Solar Power Plant on Farm 198 (Slypklip), Danielskuil, Northern Cape Province	Solar Reserve South Africa EAP: SiVEST	Public Participation, Landowner and Community Consultation
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**Basic Assessments and Environmental Management Programmes – Located within the Renewable Energy Development Zones (REDZ)**

Project Name & Location	Client Name	Role
Moeding Solar PV Solar Energy Facility, Vryburg, North West Province	Kabi Solar EAP: Savannah Environmental	Project Manage the Public Participation Process Facilitate all meetings Consultation with Government Officials, Key Stakeholders, Landowners & Community Leaders
Sirius Solar PV Solar Energy Facility, Upington, Northern Cape Province	SOLA Future Energy EAP: Savannah Environmental	

**RENEWABLE POWER GENERATION PROJECTS: WIND ENERGY FACILITIES**

**Environmental Impact Assessments and Environmental Management Programmes**

Project Name & Location	Client Name	Role
Aletta Wind Farm, Copperton, Northern Cape Province	BioTherm Energy EAP: SiVEST	Public Participation
Eureka Wind Farm, Copperton, Northern Cape Province		
Loeriesfontein Wind Farm, Loeriesfontein, Northern Cape Province	South Africa Mainstream Renewable Power Developments EAP: SiVEST	Public Participation
Droogfontein Wind Farm, Loeriesfontein, Northern Cape Province		
Four Leeuwberg Wind Farms, Loeriesfontein, Northern Cape Province		
Noupoort Wind Farm, Noupoort, Northern Cape Province		
Mierdam PV & Wind Farm, Prieska, Northern Cape Province		
Platsjambok West Wind Farm & PV, Prieska, Northern Cape Province		

**Basic Assessments and Environmental Management Programmes – Located within the Renewable Energy Development Zones (REDZ)**

Project Name & Location	Client Name	Role
Nama Wind Energy Facility, Northern Cape Province	Genesis ECO EAP: Savannah Environmental	Project Manage the Public Participation Process Facilitate all meetings Consultation with Government Officials, Key Stakeholders, Landowners & Community Leaders
Zonnequa Wind Energy Facility, Northern Cape Province		

**Environmental Authorisation Amendments**

Project Name & Location	Client Name	Role
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Beaufort West 280MW Wind Farm into two 140MW Trakas and Beaufort West Wind Farms, Western Cape	South Africa Mainstream Renewable Power Developments EAP: SiVEST	Public Participation
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### **RENEWABLE POWER GENERATION PROJECTS: CONCENTRATED SOLAR FACILITIES (CSP)**

#### **Environmental Impact Assessments and Environmental Management Programmes**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Upington Concentrating Solar Plant and associated Infrastructures, Northern Cape Province	Eskom Holdings EAP: Bohlweki Environmental	Public Participation

### **GRID INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS**

#### **Environmental Impact Assessments and Environmental Management Programmes**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Pluto-Mahikeng Main Transmission Substation and 400kV Power Line (Carletonville to Mahikeng), Gauteng and North West Provinces	Eskom Holdings EAP: Baagi Environmental	
Thyspunt Transmission Lines Integration Project, Eastern Cape Province	Eskom Holdings EAP: SiVEST	Public Participation, Landowner and Community Consultation
Westrand Strengthening Project, Gauteng Province		
Mookodi Integration Project, North-West Province		Public Participation,
Transnet Coallink, Mpumalanga and KwaZulu-Natal Provinces		
Delarey-Kopela-Phahameng Distribution power line and newly proposed Substations, North-West Province		Public Participation, Landowner and Community Consultation
Invubu-Theta 400kV Eskom Transmission Power Line, KwaZulu-Natal Province	Eskom Holding EAP: Bembani Environmental	

### **Facilitation**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Meeting Type</b>
Bloemfontein Strengthening Project, Free State Province	Eskom Holdings EAP: Baagi Environmental	Public Meetings
Moidraai-Smitkloof 132kV Power Line and Substation, Northern Cape Province	Eskom Holdings EAP: SSI	Focus Group Meetings
Aggeneis-Oranjemond 400kV Eskom Transmission Power Line, Northern Cape Province	Eskom Holdings EAP: Savannah Environmental	Focus Group Meetings & Public Meetings
Ariadne-Eros 400kV/132kV Multi-Circuit Transmission Power Line (Public Meetings)	Eskom Holdings EAP: ACER Africa	Public Meetings
Majuba-Venus 765kV Transmission Power Lines, Mpumlanaga Province		Public Meetings

### **Basic Assessments and Environmental Management Programmes**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
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Melkhout-Kudu-Grassridge 132kV Power Line Project (project not submitted to DEA), Eastern Cape Province	Eskom Holdings EAP: SiVEST	Public Participation, Landowner and Community Consultation
Tweespruit-Welroux-Driedorp-Wepener 132Kv Power Line, Free State Province		Public Participation, Landowner and Community Consultation
Kuruman 132Kv Power Line Upgrade, Northern Cape Province	Eskom Holdings EAP: Zitholele	Public Participation, Landowner and Community Consultation
Vaalbank 132Kv Power Line, Free State Province		Public Participation, Landowner and Community Consultation
Pongola-Candover-Golela 132kV Power Line (Impact Phase), KwaZulu-Natal Province		Public Participation, Landowner and Community Consultation
Ndumo-Geziza 132kV Power Line, KwaZulu-Natal Province		Public Participation, Landowner and Community Consultation
		Public Participation, Landowner and Community Consultation

#### Screening Studies

Project Name & Location	Client Name	Role
Potential Power Line Alternatives from Humansdorp to Port Elizabeth, Eastern Cape Province	Nelson Mandela Bay Municipality EAP: SiVEST	Social Assessment

#### CONVENTIONAL POWER GENERATION PROJECTS (COAL, GAS AND ASSOCIATED INFRASTRUCTURE)

##### Stakeholder Engagement

Project Name & Location	Client Name	Role
Determination, Review and Implementation of the Reserve in the Olifants/Letaba System	Department of Water and Sanitation	Secretarial Services
Orange River Bulk Water Supply System	Golder Associates	
Levuvu-Letaba Resources Quality Objectives		

##### Facilitation

Project Name & Location	Client Name	Meeting Type
Thabametsi IPP Power Station, Limpopo Province	Thabametsi Power Company EAP: Savannah Environmental	Focus Group Meeting & Public Meeting

##### Environmental Impact Assessments and Environmental Management Programmes

Project Name & Location	Client Name	Role
Richards Bay Combined Cycle Power Plant, Richards Bay, Kwa-Zulu Natal Province (Impact Phase)	Eskom Holdings EAP: Savannah Environmental	Public Participation
Medupi Flue Gas Desulphurisation Project (up to completion of Scoping Phase), Limpopo Province	Eskom Holdings SOC Ltd EAP: Zitholele Consulting	Public Participation, Landowner and Community Consultation
Kendal 30-year Ash Disposal Facility, Mpumalanga Province		
Kusile 60-year Ash Disposal Facility, Mpumalanga Province		

Camden Power Station Ash Disposal Facility, Mpumalanga Province		
Tutuka Fabric Filter Retrofit and Dust Handling Plant Projects, Mpumalanga Province	Eskom Holdings SOC Ltd EAP: Lidwala Environmental	Public Participation, Landowner and Community Consultation
Eskom's Majuba and Tutuka Ash Dump Expansion, Mpumalanga Province		Public Participation, Landowner and Community Consultation
Hendrina Ash Dam Expansion, Mpumalanga Province		Public Participation, Landowner and Community Consultation

### **INFRASTRUCTURE DEVELOPMENT PROJECTS (BRIDGES, PIPELINES, RAILWAY LINES, ROADS, WATER RESOURCES, STORAGE FACILITIES, ETC)**

#### **Facilitation**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Meeting Type</b>
Determination, Review and Implementation of the Reserve in the Olifants/Letaba System	Department of Water and Sanitation Golder Associates	Secretarial Services
Orange River Bulk Water Supply System	Department of Water and Sanitation Golder Associates	Secretarial Services
Levuvu-Letaba Resources Quality Objectives	Department of Water and Sanitation Golder Associates	Secretarial Services
SmancorCR Chemical Plant (Public Meeting), Gauteng Province	Samancor Chrome (Pty) Ltd EAP: Environmental Science Associates	Public Meeting
SANRAL N4 Toll Highway Project (2 <sup>nd</sup> Phase), Gauteng & North West Provinces	Department of Transport EAP:	Public Meetings

#### **Environmental Impact Assessments and Environmental Management Programmes**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Transnet's New Multi-Products Pipeline traversing Kwa-Zulu Natal, Free State and Gauteng Provinces	Transnet EAP: Bohlweki Environmental	Public Participation

#### **Basic Assessments**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Realignment of the Bulshoek Dam Weir near Klawer and the Doring River Weir near Clanwilliam, Western Cape Province	Dept of Water and Sanitation EAP: Zitholele	Public Participation

### **MINING SECTOR**

#### **Environmental Impact Assessment and Environmental Management Programme**

<b>Project Name &amp; Location</b>	<b>Client Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Zero Waste Recovery Plant at highveld Steel, Mpumalanga Province	Anglo African Metals EAP: Savannah Environmental	Public Participation
Koffiefontein Slimes Dam, Free State Province	Petra Diamond Mines EAP: Zitholele	Public Participation

<i>Baobab Project: Ethenol Plant, Chimbanje, Middle Sabie, Zimbabwe</i>	<i>Applicant: Green Fuel EAP: SiVEST</i>	<i>Public Participation &amp; Community Consultation</i>
<i>BHP Billiton Energy Coal SA's Middelburg Water Treatment Plant, Mpumalanga</i>	<i>BHP Billiton Group EAP: Jones &amp; Wagener</i>	<i>Public Participation</i>



# CURRICULUM VITAE:



## Gerhard Botha

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**Nationality:** : South African  
**Years Experience:** : 8  
**Bilingualism** : Very good – English and Afrikaans

### Professional Profile:

Gerhard is a Managing Director of Nkurenkuru Ecology and Biodiversity (Pty) Ltd. He has a BSc Honours degree in Botany from the University of the Free State Province and is currently completing a MSc Degree in Botany. He began working as an environmental specialist in 2010 and has since gained extensive experience in conducting ecological and biodiversity assessments in various development field, especially in the fields of conventional as well as renewable energy generation, mining and infrastructure development. Gerhard is a registered Professional Natural Scientist (Pr. Sci. Nat.)

## **Key Responsibilities:**

Specific responsibilities as an Ecological and Biodiversity Specialist include, inter alia, professional execution of specialist consulting services (including flora, wetland and fauna studies, where required), impact assessment reporting, walk through surveys/ground-truthing to inform final design, compilation of management plans, compliance monitoring and audit reporting, in-house ecological awareness training to on-site personnel, and the development of project proposals for procuring new work/projects.

## **Skills Base and Core Competencies**

- Research Project Management
- Botanical researcher in projects involving the description of terrestrial and coastal ecosystems.
- Broad expertise in the ecology and conservation of grasslands, savannahs, karroid wetland and aquatic ecosystems.
- Ecological and Biodiversity assessments for developmental purposes (BAR, EIA), with extensive knowledge and experience in the renewable energy field (Refer to Work Experiences and References)
- Over 3 years of avifaunal monitoring and assessment experience.
- Mapping and Infield delineation of wetlands, riparian zones and aquatic habitats (according to methods stipulated by DWA, 2008) within various South African provinces of KwaZulu-Natal, Mpumalanga, Free State, Gauteng and Northern Cape Province for inventory and management purposes.
- Wetland and aquatic buffer allocations according to industry best practice guidelines.
- Working knowledge of environmental planning policies, regulatory frameworks and legislation
- Identification and assessment of potential environmental impacts and benefits.
- Assessment of various wetland ecosystems to highlight potential impacts, within current and proposed landscape settings, and recommend appropriate mitigation and offsets based on assessing wetland ecosystem service delivery (functions) and ecological health/integrity.
- Development of practical and achievable mitigation measures and management plans and evaluation of risk to execution
- Qualitative and Quantitative Research

- Experienced in field research and monitoring
- Working knowledge of GIS applications and analysis of satellite imagery data
- Completed projects in several Provinces of South Africa and include a number of projects located in sensitive and ecological unique regions.

## **Education and Professional Status**

### ***Degrees:***

- *2015:* Currently completing a M.Sc. degree in Botany (Vegetation Ecology), University of the Free State, Bloemfontein, RSA.
- *2009:* B.Sc. Hons in Botany (Vegetation Ecology), University of the Free State, Bloemfontein, RSA.
- *2008:* B.Sc. in Zoology and Botany, University of the Free State, University of the Free State, Bloemfontein, RSA.

### ***Courses:***

- *2013:* Wetland Management (ecology, hydrology, biodiversity and delineation) – University of the Free State accredited course.
- *2014:* Introduction to GIS and GPS (Code: GISA 1500S) – University of the Free State accredited course.

### ***Professional Society Affiliations:***

- The South African Council of Natural Scientific Professions: Pr. Sci. Nat. Reg. No. 400502/14 (Botany and Ecology).

## **Employment History**

- December 2017 – Current: Nkurenkuru Ecology and Biodiversity (Pty) Ltd
- 2016 – November 2017: ECO-CARE Consultancy
- 2015 - 2016: Ecologist, Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd
- 2013 – 2014: Working as ecologist on a freelance basis, involved in part-time and contractual positions for the following companies
  - Enviroworks (Pty) Ltd
  - GreenMined (Pty) Ltd
  - Eco-Care Consultancy (Pty) Ltd

- Enviro-Niche Consulting (Pty) Ltd
- Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd
- Esicongweni Environmental Services (EES) cc
- 2010 - 2012: Enviroworks (Pty) Ltd

## Publications

### ***Publications:***

- Botha, G.A. & Du Preez, P.J. 2015. A description of the wetland and riparian vegetation of the Nxamasere palaeo-river's backflooded section, Okavango Delta, Botswana. *S. Afr. J. Bot.*, **98**: 172-173 .

### ***Congress papers/posters/presentations:***

- Botha, G.A. 2015. A description of the wetland and riparian vegetation of the Nxamasere palaeo-river's backflooded section, Okavango Delta, Botswana. 41<sup>st</sup> Annual Congress of South African Association of Botanists (SAAB). Tshipise, 11-15 Jan. 2015.
- Botha, G.A. 2014. A description of the vegetation of the Nxamasere floodplain, Okavango Delta, Botswana. 10<sup>st</sup> Annual University of Johannesburg (UJ) Postgraduate Botany Symposium. Johannesburg, 28 Oct. 2014.

## Other

- Guest speaker at IAIA Free State Branch Event (29 March 2017)
- Guest speaker at the University of the Free State Province: Department of Plant Sciences (3 March 2017):

## References:

- Christine Fouché  
Manager: GreenMined (Pty) LTD  
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# WORK EXPERIENCES



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## References

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### ECOLOGICAL RELATED STUDIES AND SURVEYS

- Barcelona 88/11kV substation and 88kV loop-in lines – Botanical Study (for Eskom Distribution).
- Farm development for academic purposes (Maluti FET College) on the Farm Rosedale 107, Harrismith – Ecological Study (for Agri Development Solutions).
- New boardwalk from Suiderstrand Gravel Road to Rasperpunt, Agulhas National Park – Botanical Survey (for SANPARKS).
- New boardwalk linking the southern most tip of Africa to the Cape Agulhas Lighthouse, Agulhas National Park – Botanical Survey (for SANPARKS)
- Construction of an icon at the southern most tip of Africa, Agulhas National Park – Botanical Survey (for SANPARKS).
- Optic Fibre Infrastructure Network, City of Cape Town Municipality – Assisted in botanical field work (for Dark Fibre Africa (Pty) Ltd).
- Optic Fibre Infrastructure Network, Swartland Municipality – Assisted in botanical field work (for Dark Fibre Africa).
- National long haul optic fibre infrastructure network project, Bloemfontein to Beaufort West – Protected and Endangered Species Walk-Through Survey & Invasive Plant Management Plan (for NEOTEL Ltd).
- National long haul optic fibre infrastructure network project, Bloemfontein to Beaufort West – Vegetation Rehabilitation Plan for illegally cleared areas (for NEOTEL Ltd).

- Proposed establishment of the Tugela Ridge Eco Estate on the farm Kruisfontein, Bergville – Ecological Study (for Enviroworks (Pty) Ltd).
- De Aar Freight Transport Hub – Ecological Scoping and Feasibility Study (for Enviroworks (Pty) Ltd).
- Construction of Botshabelo 132 kV line – Ecological Study (for Enviroworks (Pty) Ltd).
- Establishment of Rocks Farm chicken broiler houses – Botanical study (for Rocks Farm (Pty) Ltd).
- Illegally ploughed land on the Farm Wolwekop 2353 – Vegetation Rehabilitation Study (for Enviroworks (Pty) Ltd).
- Proposed Gihon Solar Farm - Ecological Impact Assessment (for Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd).
- Proposed expansion of the existing Afrimat quarry near Hluhluwe – Botanical Study (for GreenMined (Pty) Ltd).
- Audit of protected *Acacia erioloba* trees within the Assmang Wrenchville housing development footprint area – Botanical Audit (for Eco-Care Consultancy (Pty) Ltd).
- Rehabilitation of the N1 National Road between Sydenham and Glen Lyon – Peer Review of Ecological Report (for EKO Environmental (Pty) Ltd)
- Rehabilitation of the N6 National Road between Onze Rust and Bloemfontein – Peer Review of Ecological Report (for EKO Environmental (Pty) Ltd)
- Proposed expansion of the existing Scottburgh quarry near Amandawe – Botanical Study (for GreenMined (Pty) Ltd).
- Steelpoort Integration Project & Steelpoort to Wolwekraal 400kV Power Line – Botanical Walk Through Survey (for Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd).
- Proposed Transalloys circulating fluidised bed power station near Emalahleni – Ecological Impacts Assessment (for Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd).
- Proposed Umbani circulating fluidised bed power station near Kriel – Scoping Ecological Impact Assessment & Ecological Impact Assessment (for Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd).
- Proposed Tshepong 5MW PV, Nyala 5MW and Eland 5MW facilities within Harmony Gold's mining rights areas between Odendaalsrus and Welkom – Ecological Impact Assessment (for Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd).
- Proposed Noupoot CSP Facility near Noupoot, Northern Cape Province – Ecological Scoping Assessment & Ecological Impacts Assessment (for Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd.).
- Proposed Buffels Solar 1 PV Facility near Orkney, North West Province – Ecological



Impact Assessment (for Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd.).

- Proposed Buffels Solar 2 PV Facility near Orkney, North West Province – Ecological Impact Assessment (for Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd.).
- Kalahari CSP Facility: 132kV Ferrum–Kalahari–UNTU & 132kV Kathu IPP–Kathu 1 Overhead Power Lines, Kathu, Northern Cape Province – Fauna and Flora Pre-Construction Walk Through Survey & Report (for Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd.).
- Kalahari CSP Facility: Access Roads, Kathu, Northern Cape Province – Fauna and Flora Pre-Construction Walk-Through Assessment & Report (for Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd.).
- Karoshoek Solar Valley Development – Additional CSP Facility including tower infrastructure associated with authorised CSP Site 2 near Upington, Northern Cape Province – Ecological Scoping Report (for Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd.).
- Karoshoek Solar Valley Development – Proposed Ilanga CSP 7 and 8 Facilities near Upington, Northern Cape Province – Ecological Scoping Report (for Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd.).
- Karoshoek Solar Valley Development – Proposed Ilanga CSP 9 Facility near Upington, Northern Cape Province – Ecological Scoping Report (for Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd.).
- Karusa Wind Farm (Phase 1 of the Hidden Valley Wind Energy Facility near Sutherland, Northern Cape Province): Invasive Plant Management Plan (for Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd.).
- Proposed Karusa Facility Substation and Ancillaries near Sutherland, Northern Cape Province – Ecological Basic Impact Assessment (for Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd.).
- Proposed Eskom Karusa Switching Station and 132kV Double Circuit Overhead Power Line near Sutherland, Northern Cape Province - Ecological Basic Impact Assessment (for Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd.).
- Karusa Wind Farm (Phase 1 of the Hidden Valley Wind Energy Facility near Sutherland, Northern Cape Province): Plant Search and Rescue and Rehabilitation Management Plan (for Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd.).
- Authorised Karusa Wind Energy Facility near Sutherland, Northern Cape Province – Fauna and Flora Pre-Construction Walk-Through Assessment & Report (for Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd.).
- Proposed Soetwater Facility Substation, 132kV Overhead Power Line and Ancillaries, near Sutherland, Northern Cape Province - Ecological Basic Impact Assessment (for Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd.).
- Soetwater Wind Farm (Phase 2 of the Hidden Valley Wind Energy Facility near

Sutherland, Northern Cape Province): Invasive Plant Management Plan (for Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd.).

- Authorised Soetwater Wind Energy Facility near Sutherland, Northern Cape Province - Fauna and Flora Pre-Construction Walk-Through Assessment & Report (for Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd.).
- Soetwater Wind Farm (Phase 2 of the Hidden Valley Wind Energy Facility near Sutherland, Northern Cape Province): Plant Search and Rescue and Rehabilitation Management Plan (for Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd.).
- Sirius Phase 1 Solar PV Project near Upington, Northern Cape Province- Fauna and Flora Pre-Construction Walk-Through Assessment & Report (for Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd.).
- Sirius Phase 2 Solar PV Project near Upington, Northern Cape Province- Fauna and Flora Pre-Construction Walk-Through Assessment & Report (for Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd.).
- Sirius (Phase 1) Solar PV Facility near Upington, Northern Cape Province Invasive Plant Management Plan (for Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd.).
- Sirius (Phase 2) Solar PV Facility near Upington, Northern Cape Province - Invasive Plant Management Plan (for Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd.).
- Sirius (Phase 1) Solar PV Facility near Upington, Northern Cape Province – Rehabilitation and Revegetation Plan (for Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd.).
- Sirius (Phase 2) Solar PV Facility near Upington, Northern Cape Province – Rehabilitation and Revegetation Plan (for Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd.).
- Sirius (Phase 1) Solar PV Facility near Upington, Northern Cape Province - Plant Rescue and Protection Plan (for Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd.).
- Sirius (Phase 2) Solar PV Facility near Upington, Northern Cape Province - Plant Rescue and Protection Plan (for Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd.).
- Proposed Expansion of the existing Komsberg Main Transmission Substation near Sutherland, Northern Cape Province - Ecological Basic Impact Assessment (for Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd.).
- Proposed Semonkong Wind Energy Facility near Semonkong, Maseru District, Lesotho – Ecological Pre-Feasibility Study (for Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd.).
- Proposed Metal Industrial Cluster and Associated Infrastructure near Kuruman, Northern Cape Province – Ecological Scoping Report (for Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd.).
- Proposed Woodhouse 1 and Woodhouse 2 PV Facilities near Vryburg, North West Province – Ecological Scoping Report & Ecological Impact Assessment (for Savannah

Environmental (Pty) Ltd.).

- Proposed CAMCO Clean Energy 100kW PV Solar Facility, Thaba Eco Lodge near Johannesburg, Gauteng Province: Ecological and Ridge Basic Assessment Report (for Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd.).
- Proposed Orkney Solar PV Facility near Orkney, North West Province - Ecological Scoping Report & Ecological Impact Assessment (for Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd.).
- Proposed 132kV Power Line and On-Site Substation for the Authorised Golden Valley II Wind Energy Facility near Bedford, Eastern Cape Province - Ecological Basic Assessment Report (for Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd.).
- S24G for the unlawful commencement or continuation of activities within a watercourse, Honeydew, Gauteng Province – Ecological Assessment Report (for Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd.)
- Soetwater Wind Farm (Phase 2 of the Hidden Valley Wind Energy Facility near Sutherland, Northern Cape Province): Re-assessment of Impacts and Ecological Sensitivities Following a Proposed Amendment in Turbine Specifications and Facility Layout (for Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd.).
- Karusa Wind Farm (Phase 1 of the Hidden Valley Wind Energy Facility near Sutherland, Northern Cape Province): Re-assessment of Impacts and Ecological Sensitivities Following a Proposed Amendment in Turbine Specifications and Facility Layout (for Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd.).
- Msenge Wind Farm near Bedford, Eastern Cape Province): Re-assessment of Impacts and Ecological Sensitivities Following a Proposed Amendment in Turbine Specifications and Facility Layout (for Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd.).
- Iziduli Emoyeni Wind Farm near Bedford, Eastern Cape Province: Re-assessment of Impacts and Ecological Sensitivities Following a Proposed Amendment in Turbine Specifications and Facility Layout (for Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd.).
- Proposed H2 Energy Power Station near Kwamhlanga, Mpumalanga Province - Ecological Scoping Report & Ecological Impact Assessment (for Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd.).
- Proposed Clayville Thermal Plant within the Clayville Industrial Area, Gauteng Province: Ecological Comments Letter (for Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd.).
- Proposed 100MW Moeding Solar PV Facility near Vryburg, North West Province – Ecological Basic Assessment (for Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd.)
- Proposed Zonnebloem Switching Station (132/22kV) and 2X Loop-in Loop-out Power Lines (132kV), Mpumalanga Province – Ecological Basic Assessment (for Eskom

Distribution)

- Proposed Kruisvallei Hydroelectric Power Generation Scheme in the Ash River, Free State Province – Ecological Basic Assessment (for Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd.)
- Sirius Phase 1 Solar PV Project near Upington, Northern Cape Province - Fauna and Flora Pre-Construction Walk-Through Assessment & Report (for Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd.).
- Kruisvallei Hydroelectric 22kV Overhead Power Line, Clarens, Free State Province - Pre-Construction Fauna and Flora Walk-Through Investigation (for Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd.).
- Kruisvallei Hydroelectric 22kV Overhead Power Line, Clarens, Free State Province - Plant Rescue and Protection Plan (for Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd.).

## **WETLAND DELINEATION AND HYDROLOGICAL ASSESSMENTS**

- Proposed Nyala 5MW PV facility within Harmony Gold's mining rights areas between Odendaalsrus and Welkom – Wetland Assessment & Delineation (for Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd).
- Proposed Eland 5MW PV facility within Harmony Gold's mining rights areas between Odendaalsrus and Welkom – Wetland Assessment & Delineation (for Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd).
- Proposed BlueWave 75MW PV Plant near Welkom Free State Province – Wetland Delineation and compilation of Map (for BlueWave Capital)
- Proposed Wolmaransstad Municipality 75MW PV Solar Energy Facility in the North West Province – Wetland Delineation Assessment (for Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd.).
- Proposed expansion of the Elandspruit Quarry near Ladysmith, KwaZulu-Natal Province – Wetland Assessment & Delineation (for GreenMined Environmental (Pty) Ltd.).
- Proposed new Olifantshoek 10MVA 132/11kV Substation and 31km Power Line – Surface Water & Hydrological Assessment (for Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd.)
- S24G for the unlawful commencement or continuation of activities within a watercourse, Honeydew, Gauteng Province – Aquatic Assessment Report and Delineation of Floodplains and/or Flood Lines (for Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd.)
- Proposed 100MW Moeding Solar PV Facility near Vryburg, North West Province – Wetland Delineation Assessment (for Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd.)



- Kruisvallei Hydroelectric 22kV Overhead Power Line (Amended Sections), Clarens, Free State Province – Wetland Delineation Assessment (for Savannah Environmental (Pty).Ltd.)
- Harmony (Nyala, Eland & Tsepong) Solar Energy Facilities: Amendment of Pipeline and Overhead Power Line Route – Wetland Delineation Assessment (for Savannah Environmental (Pty).Ltd.)

## **AVIFAUNAL ASSESSMENTS**

- Proposed TEWA Solar 1 Facility, east of Upington, Northern Cape Province – Avifaunal Impact Assessment (for Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd).
- Proposed TEWA Solar 2 Facility, east of Upington, Northern Cape Province – Avifaunal Impact Assessment (for Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd).
- Proposed new Olifantshoek 10MVA 132/11kV Substation and 31km Power Line – Avifaunal Impact Assessment (for Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd.)
- Proposed 100MW Moeding Solar PV Facility near Vryburg, North West Province – Avifauna Impact Assessment (for Savannah Environmental (Pty) Ltd.)
- Proposed Zonnebloem Switching Station (132/22kV) and 2X Loop-in Loop-out Power Lines (132kV), Mpumalanga Province – Avifauna Impact Assessment (for Eskom Distribution)

## **ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT**

- Barcelona 88/11kV substation and 88kV loop-in lines – BA (for Eskom).
- Thabong Bulk 132kV sub-transmission inter-connector line – EIA (for Eskom).
- Groenwater 45 000 unit chicken broiler farm – BA (for Areemeng Mmogo Cooperative).
- Optic Fibre Infrastructure Network, City of Cape Town Municipality – BA (for Dark Fibre Africa (Pty) Ltd).
- Optic Fibre Infrastructure Network, Swartland Municipality – BA (for Dark Fibre Africa).
- Construction and refurbishment of the existing 66kV network between Ruigtevallei Substation and Reddersburg Substation – EMP (for Eskom).
- Lower Kruisvallei Hydroelectric Power Scheme (Ash river) – EIA (for Kruisvallei Hydro (Pty) Ltd).
- Construction of egg hatchery and associated infrastructure – BA (For Supreme Poultry).
- Construction of the Klipplaatdrif flow gauging (Vaal river) – EMP (DWAF).



## ENVIRONMENTAL COMPLIANCE AUDITING AND ECO

- National long haul optic fibre infrastructure network project, Bloemfontein to Laingsburg – ECO (for Enviroworks (Pty) Ltd.).
- National long haul optic fibre infrastructure network project, Wolmaransstad to Klerksdorp – ECO (for Enviroworks (Pty) Ltd.).
- Construction and refurbishment of the existing 66kV network between Ruigtevallei Substation and Reddersburg Substation – ECO (for Enviroworks (Pty) Ltd.).
- Construction and refurbishment of the Vredefort/Nooitgedacht 11kV power line – ECO (for Enviroworks (Pty) Ltd.).
- Mining of Dolerite (Stone Aggregate) by Raumix (Pty) Ltd. on a portion of Portion 0 of the farm Hillside 2830, Bloemfontein – ECO (for GreenMined Environmental (Pty) Ltd.).
- Construction of an Egg Production Facility by Bainsvlei Poultry (Pty) Ltd on Portions 9 & 10 of the farm, Mooivlakte, Bloemfontein – ECO (for Enviro-Niche Consulting (Pty) Ltd.).
- Environmental compliance audit and botanical account of Afrisam's premises in Bloemfontein – Environmental Compliance Auditing (for Enviroworks (Pty) Ltd.).

## OTHER PROJECTS:

- Keeping and breeding of lions (*Panthera leo*) on the farm Maxico 135, Ficksburg – Management and Business Plan (for Enviroworks (Pty) Ltd.)
- Keeping and breeding of lions (*Panthera leo*) on the farm Mooihoek 292, Theunissen – Management and Business Plan (for Enviroworks (Pty) Ltd.)
- Keeping and breeding of wild dogs (*Lycaon pictus*) on the farm Mooihoek 292, Theunissen – Management and Business Plan (for Enviroworks (Pty) Ltd.)
- Existing underground and aboveground fuel storage tanks, TWK AGRI: Pongola – Environmental Management Plan (for TWK Agricultural Ltd).
- Existing underground fuel storage tanks on Erf 171, TWK AGRI: Amsterdam – Environmental Management Plan (for TWK Agricultural Ltd).
- Proposed storage of 14 000 L of fuel (diesel) aboveground on Erf 32, TWK AGRI: Carolina – Environmental Management Plan (for TWK Agricultural Ltd).
- Proposed storage of 23 000 L of fuel (diesel) above ground on Portion 10 of the Farm Oude Bosch, Humansdorp – Environmental Management Plan (for TWK Agricultural Ltd).

- Proposed storage of 16 000 L of fuel (diesel) aboveground at Panbult Depot – Environmental Management Plan (for TWK Agricultural Ltd).
- Existing underground fuel storage tanks, TWK AGRI: Mechanisation and Engineering, Piet Retief – Environmental Management Plan (for TWK Agricultural Ltd).
- Existing underground fuel storage tanks on Portion 38 of the Farm Lothair, TWK AGRI: Lothair – Environmental Management Plan (for TWK Agricultural Ltd).



# CURRICULUM VITAE

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## C. Concise biography

Mariné Pienaar is a professionally registered soil- and agricultural scientist (SACNASP) who has consulted extensively for the past eleven years in the fields of soil, land use and agriculture in several African countries. These countries include South Africa, Liberia, Ghana, DRC, Mozambique, Botswana, Angola, Swaziland and Malawi. She has worked with mining houses, environmental consulting companies, Eskom, government departments as well as legal and engineering firms. She conducted more than three hundred specialist studies that included baseline soil assessment and rehabilitation planning for new projects or expansion of existing projects, soil quality monitoring, land rehabilitation assessment and monitoring, natural resource assessment as part of agricultural project planning, evaluation and development of sustainable agriculture practices, land use assessment and livelihood restoration planning as part of resettlement projects and land contamination risk assessments. She holds a BSc. Agriculture degree with specialisation in Plant Production and Soil Science from the University of Pretoria and a MSc in Environmental Science from the University of the Witwatersrand. In addition to this, she has attended a number of

courses in Europe, the USA and Israel in addition to those attended in South Africa. Mariné is a contributing author of a report on the balance of natural resources between the mining industry and agriculture in South Africa (published by the Bureau for Food and Agricultural Policy, 2015).

## D. Qualifications

### Academic Qualifications:

- ♦ **MSc Environmental Science**; University of Witwatersrand, South Africa, 2018
- ♦ **BSc (Agric) Plant Production and Soil Science**; University of Pretoria, South Africa, 2004
- ♦ **Senior Certificate / Matric**; Wolmaransstad High School, South Africa, 2000

### Courses Completed:

- ♦ **World Soils and their Assessment**; ISRIC – World Soil Information, Wageningen, 2015
- ♦ **Intensive Agriculture in Arid- and Semi-Arid Environments** – Gilat Research Centre, Israel, 2015
- ♦ **Hydrus Modelling of Soil-Water-Leachate Movement**; University of KwaZulu-Natal, South Africa, 2010
- ♦ **Global Sustainability Summer School 2012**; Institute for Advanced Sustainability Studies, Potsdam, Germany, 2012
- ♦ **Wetland Rehabilitation**; University of Pretoria, South Africa, 2008
- ♦ **Enviropreneurship Institute**; Property and Environment Research Centre [PERC], Montana, U.S.A., 2011
- ♦ **Youth Encounter on Sustainability**; ACTIS Education [official spin-off of ETH Zürich], Switzerland, 2011
- ♦ **Environmental Impact Assessment | Environmental Management Systems – ISO 14001:2004 | Environmental Law**; University of Potchefstroom, South Africa, 2008
- ♦ **Carbon Footprint Analyst Level 1**; Global Carbon Exchange Assessed, 2011
- ♦ **Negotiation of Financial Transactions**; United Nations Institute for Training and Research, 2011
- ♦ **Food Security: Can Trade and Investment Improve it?** United Nations Institute for Training and Research, 2011

## E. Language ability

Perfectly fluent in English and Afrikaans (native speaker of both) and conversant in French.

## F. Professional Experience

<b>Name of firm</b>	Terra Africa Environmental Consultants
<b>Designation</b>	Owner   Principal Consultant
<b>Period of work</b>	December 2008 to Date

## G. Prior Tenures

Integrated Development Expertise (Pty) Ltd; **Junior Land Use Consultant** [July 2006 to October 2008]

Omnia Fertilizer (Pty) Ltd; **Horticulturist and Extension Specialist** [January 2005 to June 2006]

## H. Professional Affiliations

- ♦ South African Council for Natural Scientific Professions [SACNASP]
- ♦ Soil Science Society of South Africa [SSSA]
- ♦ Soil Science Society of America
- ♦ South African Soil Surveyors' Organisation [SASSO]
- ♦ International Society for Sustainability Professionals [ISSP]

## Summary of a selected number of projects completed successfully:

*[Comprehensive project dossier available on request]*

- ♦ *Sekoko Railway Alignment and Siding Soil, Land Use and Capability Study* in close proximity to the Medupi Power Station in the Lephalale area, Limpopo Province.
- ♦ *ItalThai Rail and Port Projects, Mozambique* – The study included a thorough assessment of the current land use practices in the proposed development areas including subsistence crop production and fishing as well as livestock farming and forestry activities. All the land uses were mapped and intrinsically linked to the different soil

types and associated land capabilities. This study was used to develop Livelihood Restoration Planning from.

- ♦ *Bomi Hills Railway Alignment Project, Liberia*: soil, land use and agricultural scientist for field survey and reporting of soil potential, current land use activities and existing soil pollution levels, as well as associated infrastructure upgrades of the port, road and railway.
- ♦ *Kingston Vale Waste Facility, Mpumalanga Province, South Africa*: Soil and vegetation monitoring to determine the risk of manganese pollution resulting from activities at the waste facility.
- ♦ *Keaton Mining's Vanggatfontein Colliery, Mpumalanga*: Assessment of soil contamination levels in the mining area, stockpiles as well as surrounding areas as part of a long-term monitoring strategy and rehabilitation plan.
- ♦ *Richards Bay Minerals, KwaZulu-Natal*: Contaminated land assessment of community vegetable gardens outside Richards Bay as a result of spillages from pipelines of Rio Tinto's Richards Bay Minerals Mine.
- ♦ *Buffelsfontein Gold Mine, Northwest Province, South Africa*: Soil and land contamination risk assessment for as part of a mine closure application. Propose soil restoration strategies.
- ♦ *Glenover Phosphate Mining Project near Steenbokpan in the Lephalale area* – Soil, Land Use and Land Capability Study as part of the environmental authorisation process.
- ♦ *Waterberg Coal 3 and 4 Soil, Land Use and Land Capability Study* on 23 000 ha of land around Steenbokpan in the Lephalale area.
- ♦ *Lesotho Highlands Development Agency, development of Phase II (Polihali Dam and associated infrastructure)*: External review and editing of the initial Soil, Land Use and Land Capability Assessment as requested by ERM Southern Africa.
- ♦ *Tina Falls Hydropower Project, Eastern Cape, South Africa*: Soil, land use and land capability assessment as part of the ESIA for the construction of a hydropower plant at the Tina Falls.

- ♦ *Graveyard relocation as part of Exxaro Coal's Belfast Resettlement Action Plan: Soil assessment to determine pedohydrological properties of the relocation area in order to minimise soil pollution caused by graveyards.*
- ♦ *Rhino Oil Resources: Strategic high-level soil, land use and land capability assessment of five proposed regions to be explored for shale gas resources in the KwaZulu-Natal, Eastern Cape, North-West and Free State provinces of South Africa.*
- ♦ *Eskom Kimberley Strengthening Phase 4 Project, Northern Cape & Free State, South Africa: soil, agricultural potential and land capability assessment.*
- *Mocuba Solar Project, Mozambique – The study included a land use assessment together with that of the soil and land capabilities of the study area. All current land uses were documented and mapped and the land productivity was determined. This study advocated the resettlement and livelihood restoration planning.*
- ♦ *Botswana (Limpopo-Lipadi Game Reserve). Soil research study on 36 000 ha on the banks of the Limpopo River. This soil study forms part of an environmental management plan for the Limpopo-Lipadi Game Reserve situated here as well as the basis for the Environmental Impact Assessment for the development of lodges and Land Use Management in this area.*
- ♦ *TFM Mining Operations [proposed] Integrated Development Zone, Katanga, DRC [part of mining concession between Tenke and Fungurume]: soil and agricultural impact assessment study.*
- ♦ *Closure Strategy Development for Techmina Mining Company – Lucapa, Angola. Conducted an analysis of the natural resources (soil, water) to determine the existing environmental conditions on an opencast diamond mine in Angola. The mine currently experience severe problems with kimberlite sediment flowing into the river. A plan is currently being developed to change the mining area into a sustainable bamboo farming operation.*
- *Closure of sand mining operations, Zeerust District. Successfully conducted the closure application of the Roos Family Sand Mine in the Zeerust District. Land Use*



Management Plans for rehabilitated soil were developed. The mine has closed now and the financial provision has been paid out to the applicant.

- ♦ *ESIA for [proposed] Musonoi Mine, Kolwezi area, Katanga, DRC: soil, land use and land capability assessment.*
- ♦ *Bauba A Hlabirwa Moeijelik Platinum mine [proposed] project, Mpumalanga, South Africa: soil, land use and land capability assessment and impact on agricultural potential of soil.*
- ♦ *Commissiekraal Coal Mine [proposed] project, KwaZulu-Natal, South Africa: sustainable soil management plans, assessment of natural resource and agricultural potential and study of the possible impacts of the proposed project on current land use. Soil conservation strategies included in soil management plan.*
- ♦ *Cronimet Chrome Mine [proposed] project, Limpopo Province, South Africa: soil, land use and land capability of project area and assessment of the impacts of the proposed project.*
- ♦ *Moonlight Iron Ore Land Use Assessment, South Africa – Conducted a comprehensive land use assessment that included interviews with land users in the direct and indirect project zones of influence. The study considered all other anticipated social and environmental impacts such as water, air quality and noise and this was incorporated into a sensitivity analysis of all land users to the proposed project.*
- ♦ *Project Fairway Land Use Assessment, South Africa – The study included an analysis of all land users that will directly and indirectly be influenced by the project. It analysed the components of their land uses and how this components will be affected by the proposed project. Part of the study was to develop mitigation measures to reduce the impact on the land users.*
- ♦ *Bekkersdal Urban Renewal Project – Farmer Support Programme, Independent consultation on the farmer support programme that forms part of Bekkersdal Renewal Project. This entailed the production of short and long term business plans based on soil and water research conducted. Part of responsibilities were the evaluation of current irrigation systems and calculation of potential water needs, etc. as well as determining quantities and prices of all project items to facilitate the formalisation of tender documents.*

- ♦ *Area-based agricultural business plans for municipalities in Dr. Kenneth Kaunda Municipal District.* Evaluation of the agricultural and environmental status of the total district as well as for each municipality within the district. This included the critical evaluation of current agricultural projects in the area. The writing of sustainable, executable agricultural business plans for different agricultural enterprises to form part of the land reform plans of each Municipality within the district.
- ♦ *Batsamaya Mmogo, Hartswater.* Conducted a soil and water assessment for the farm and compiled management and farming plans for boergoats grazing on *Sericea lespedeza* with pecan nuts and lucerne under irrigation.
- ♦ *Anglo Platinum Twickenham Mine – Irrigated Cotton Project.* Project management of an irrigated cotton production project for Twickenham Platinum Mine. This project will ensure that the community benefit from the excess water that is available from the mine activities.
- ♦ *Grasvally Chrome (Pty) Ltd Sylvania Platinum [proposed] Project, Limpopo Province, South Africa:* Soil, land use and agricultural potential assessment.
- ♦ *Jeanette Gold mine project [reviving of historical mine], Free State, South Africa:* Soil, land use and agricultural potential assessment.
- ♦ *Kangra Coal Project, Mpumalanga, South Africa:* Soil conservation strategies proposed to mitigate the impact of the project on the soil and agricultural potential.
- ♦ *Richards Bay Integrated Development Zone Project, South Africa* [future development includes an additional 1500 ha of land into industrial areas on the fringes of Richards Bay]: natural resource and agricultural potential assessment, including soil, water and vegetation.
- ♦ *Exxaro Belfast Coal Mine [proposed] infrastructure development projects* [linear: road and railway upgrade | site-specific coal loading facilities]: soil, land capability and agricultural potential assessment.
- ♦ *Marikana In-Pit Rehabilitation Project of Aquarius Platinum, South Africa:* soil, land capability and land use assessment.

- ♦ *Eskom Bighorn Substation proposed upgrades, South Africa: soil, land capability and agricultural potential assessment.*
- ♦ *Exxaro Leeuwpan Coal Mining Right Area, South Africa: consolidation of all existing soil and agricultural potential data. Conducted new surveys and identified and updated gaps in historic data sets.*
- ♦ *Banro Namoya Mining Operation, DRC: soil, land use and agricultural scientist for field survey and reporting of soil potential, current land use activities and existing soil pollution levels, including proposed project extension areas and progressive soil and land use rehabilitation plan.*
- ♦ *Kumba Iron Ore's Sishen Mine, Northern Cape, South Africa: soil, land use and agricultural scientist | Western Waste Rock Dumps [proposed] Project: soil, land use and agricultural potential assessment, including recommendations regarding stripping/stockpiling and alternative uses for the large calcrete resources available.*
- ♦ *Vetlaagte Solar Development Project, De Aar, South Africa: soil, land use and agricultural scientist. Soil, land use and agricultural potential assessment for proposed new 1500 ha solar development project, including soil management plan.*

## CURRICULUM VITAE

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**EDUCATION:** B.Sc Botany and Zoology, 1988  
University of the Orange Free State

B.Sc (Hons) Zoology, 1991  
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Management Course, 1991  
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M. Sc. *Cum laude* (Zoology), 2009  
University of the Free State

**Dissertation title:** The postcranial skeleton of the Early Triassic non-mammalian Cynodont *Galesaurus planiceps*: implications for biology and lifestyle

Registered as a PhD fellow at the Zoology Department of the UFS

2013 to current

**Dissertation title:** A new gorgonopsian from the uppermost *Daptocephalus*  
*Assemblage Zone*, in the Karoo Basin of South Africa

### **MEMBERSHIP**

Palaeontological Society of South Africa (PSSA)

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### **EMPLOYMENT HISTORY**

Part time Laboratory assistant

Department of Zoology & Entomology  
University of the Free State Zoology  
1989-1992

Part time laboratory assistant

Department of Virology  
University of the Free State Zoology  
1992

Research Assistant

National Museum, Bloemfontein 1993  
– 1997

Principal Research Assistant  
Bloemfontein

National Museum,

and Collection Manager

1998 – currently

## TECHNICAL REPORTS

1. **PIA desktop:** Palaeontological Impact Assessment of the proposed development of private dwellings on portion 5 of farm 304 Matjesfontein Keurboomstrand, Knysna District, Western Cape Province. 2014.
2. **PAI site visit and report:** Palaeontological Impact Assessment for the proposed upgrade of existing water supply infrastructure at Noupoort, Northern Cape Province. 2014.
3. **PIA desktop:** Palaeontological impact assessment of the proposed consolidation, re-division and development of 250 serviced erven in Nieu-Bethesda, Camdeboo local municipality, Eastern Cape. 2015.
4. **PAI site visit and report:** Palaeontological impact assessment of the proposed mixed land developments at Rooikraal 454, Vrede, Free State. 2015.
5. **PIA exemption report:** Palaeontological exemption report of the proposed truck stop development at Palmiet 585, Vrede, Free State. 2015.
6. **PAI site visit and report:** Palaeontological impact assessment of the proposed Orange Grove 3500 residential development, Buffalo City Metropolitan Municipality East London, Eastern Cape. 2015
7. **PAI site visit and report:** Palaeontological Impact Assessment of the proposed Gonubie residential development, Buffalo City Metropolitan Municipality East London, Eastern Cape Province. 2015.
8. **PAI site visit and report:** Palaeontological Impact Assessment of the proposed Ficksburg raw water pipeline. 2015
9. **PAI site visit and report:** Palaeontological Heritage Impact Assessment report on the establishment of the 65 mw Majuba Solar Photovoltaic facility and associated infrastructure on portion 1, 2 and 6 of the farm Witkoppies 81 HS, Mpumalanga Province. 2015.
10. **PAI site visit and report:** Palaeontological Impact Assessment of the proposed township establishment on the remainder of portion 6 and 7 of the farm Sunnyside 2620, Bloemfontein, Mangaung metropolitan municipality, Free State, Bloemfontein. 2015.

11. **PIA desktop:** Palaeontological Impact Assessment of the proposed Woodhouse 1 photovoltaic solar energy facilities and associated infrastructure on the farm Woodhouse729, near Vryburg, North West Province. 2015.
12. **PIA desktop:** Palaeontological Impact Assessment of the proposed Woodhouse 2 photovoltaic solar energy facilities and associated infrastructure on the farm Woodhouse 729, near Vryburg, North West Province. 2015.
13. **PIA desktop:**Palaeontological Impact Assessment of the proposed Orkney solar energy farm and associated infrastructure on the remaining extent of Portions 7 and 21 of the farm Wolvehuis 114, near Orkney, North West Province. 2015.
14. **PIA desktop:** Palaeontological Impact Assessment of the proposed Spectra foods broiler houses and abattoir on the farm Maiden Manor 170 and Ashby Manor 171, Lukhanji Municipality, Queenstown, Eastern Cape Province. 2015.
15. **PIA desktop:** Palaeontological Impact Assessment of the proposed construction of the 150 MW Noupoot concentrated solar power facility and associated infrastructure on portion 1 and 4 of the farm Carolus Poort 167 and the remainder of Farm 207, near Noupoot, Northern Cape. Prepared for Savannah Environmental. 2016.
16. **PIA site visit and report:** Palaeontological Impact Assessment of the proposed Woodhouse 1 Photovoltaic Solar Energy facility and associated infrastructure on the farm Woodhouse 729, near Vryburg, North West Province. 2016.
17. **PIA site visit and report:** Palaeontological Impact Assessment of the proposed Woodhouse 2 Photovoltaic Solar Energy facility and associated infrastructure on the farm Woodhouse 729, near Vryburg, North West Province. 2016.
18. **PIA Desktop:** Proposed 132kV overhead power line and switchyard station for the authorised Solis Power 1 CSP project near Upington, Northern Cape. 2016.
19. **PIA site visit and report:** of The Proposed Senqu Pedestrian Bridges in Ward 5 of Senqu Local Municipality, Eastern Cape Province. 2016.
20. **Recommended Exemption** From Further Palaeontological Studies: Proposed Construction Of The Modderfontein Filling Station On Erf 28 Portion 30, Founders Hill, City Of Johannesburg, Gauteng Province. 2016.
21. **Recommended Exemption** From Further Palaeontological Studies: Proposed Construction Of The Modikwa Filling Station On A Portion Of Portion 2 Of Mooihoek 255 Kt, Greater Tubatse Local Municipality, Limpopo Province. 2016.



22. **Recommended Exemption** From Further Palaeontological Studies: Proposed Construction Of The Heidedal Filling Station On Erf 16603, Heidedal Extension 24, Mangaung Local Municipality, Bloemfontein, Free State Province. 2016.
23. **Recommended Exemption** from further Palaeontological studies: Proposed Construction of the Gunstfontein Switching Station, 132kv Overhead Power Line (Single Or Double Circuit) and ancillary infrastructure for the Gunstfontein Wind Farm Near Sutherland, Northern Cape Province. 2016.
24. **PIA site visit and report** of the proposed Galla Hills Quarry on the remainder of the farm Roode Krantz 203, in the Lukhanji Municipality, division of Queenstown, Eastern Cape Province. 2016.
25. **PIA monitoring**: Chris Hani District Municipality Cluster 9 water backlog project phases 3a and 3b: Palaeontology inspection at Tsomo WTW. 2016.
26. **PIA Site visit and Report**: Palaeontological Impact Assessment of the proposed construction of the 150 MW Noupoort concentrated solar power facility and associated infrastructure on portion 1 and 4 of the farm Carolus Poort 167 and the remainder of Farm 207, near Noupoort, Northern Cape. 2016.
27. **PIA site visit and report**: Palaeontological Impact Assessment of the proposed upgrading of the main road MR450 (R335) from the Motherwell to Addo within the Nelson Mandela Bay Municipality and Sunday's river valley Local Municipality, Eastern Cape Province. 2016.
28. **PIA site visit and report**: Palaeontological Impact Assessment construction of the proposed Metals Industrial Cluster and associated infrastructure near Kuruman, Northern Cape province. 2016.
29. **PIA site visit and report**: Palaeontological Impact Assessment for the proposed construction of up to a 132kv power line and associated infrastructure for the proposed Kalkaar Solar Thermal Power Plant near Kimberley, Free State and Northern Cape Provinces. 2016.
30. **PIA site visit and report**: Palaeontological Impact Assessment of the proposed development of two burrow pits (DR02625 and DR02614) in the Enoch Mgijima Municipality, Chris Hani District, Eastern Cape. 2016.
31. **PIA desktop**: Ezibeleni waste Buy-Back Centre (near Queenstown), Enoch Mgijima Local Municipality, Eastern Cape. 2016

32. **PIA desktop:** Palaeontological Impact Assessment for the proposed construction of two 5 Mw Solar Photovoltaic Power Plants on Farm Wildebeestkuil 59 and Farm Leeuwbosch 44, Leeudoringstad, North West Province. 2016.
33. **PIA desktop:** Palaeontological Impact Assessment for the proposed development of four Leeuwing Wind farms and basic assessments for the associated grid connection near Loeriesfontein, Northern Cape Province. 2016.
34. **PIA desktop:** Palaeontological impact assessment for the proposed Aggeneys south prospecting right project, Northern Cape Province. 2016.
35. **PIA desktop:** Palaeontological impact assessment of the proposed Motuoane Ladysmith Exploration right application, Kwazulu Natal. 2016.
36. **PIA desktop :** Palaeontological impact assessment for the proposed construction of two 5 MW solar photovoltaic power plants on farm Wildebeestkuil 59 and farm Leeuwbosch 44, Leeudoringstad, North West Province. 2016.
37. **PIA desktop:** Palaeontological desktop assessment of the establishment of the proposed residential and mixed use development on the remainder of portion 7 and portion 898 of the farm Knopjeslaagte 385 jr, located near Centurion within the Tshwane Metropolitan Municipality of Gauteng Province. 2016.
38. **PIA desktop:** Palaeontological impact assessment for the proposed development of a new cemetery, near Kathu, Gamagara local municipality and John Taolo Gaetsewe district municipality, Northern Cape. 2017.
39. **PIA desktop:** Palaeontological Impact Assessment Of The Proposed Development Of The New Open Cast Mining Operations On The Remaining Portions Of 6, 7, 8 And 10 Of The Farm Kwaggafontein 8 In The Carolina Magisterial District, Mpumalanga Province. 2017.
40. **PIA desktop:** Palaeontological Desktop Assessment for the Proposed Development of a Wastewater Treatment Works at Lanseria, Gauteng Province. 2017.
41. **PIA desktop:** Palaeontological Scoping Report for the Proposed Construction of a Warehouse and Associated Infrastructure at Perseverance in Port Elizabeth, Eastern Cape Province. 2017.
42. **PIA desktop:** Palaeontological Desktop Assessment for the Proposed Establishment of a Diesel Farm and a Haul Road for the Tshipi Borwa mine

- Near Hotazel, In the John Taolo Gaetsewe District Municipality in the Northern Cape Province. 2017.
43. **PIA desktop:** Palaeontological Desktop Assessment for the Proposed Changes to Operations at the UMK Mine near Hotazel, In the John Taolo Gaetsewe District Municipality in the Northern Cape Province. 2017.
  44. **PIA site visit and report:** Palaeontological Impact Assessment for the Development of the Proposed Ventersburg Project-An Underground Mining Operation near Ventersburg and Henneman, Free State Province. 2017.
  45. **PIA desktop:** Palaeontological desktop assessment of the proposed development of a 3000 mw combined cycle gas turbine (CCGT) in Richards Bay, Kwazulu-Natal. 2017.
  46. **PIA site visit and report:** Palaeontological Impact Assessment for the Development of the Proposed Revalidation of the lapsed General Plans for Elliotdale, Mbhashe Local Municipality. 2017.
  47. **PIA site visit and Report:** Palaeontological assessment of the proposed development of a 3000 MW Combined Cycle Gas Turbine (CCGT) in Richards Bay, Kwazulu-Natal. 2017.
  48. **PIA site visit and Report:** Palaeontological Impact Assessment of the proposed development of the new open cast mining operations on the remaining portions of 6, 7, 8 and 10 of the farm Kwaggafontein 8 10 in the Albert Luthuli Local Municipality, Gert Sibande District Municipality, Mpumalanga Province. 2017.
  49. **PIA site visit and Report::** Palaeontological Impact Assessment of the proposed mining of the farm Zandvoort 10 in the Albert Luthuli Local Municipality, Gert Sibande District Municipality, Mpumalanga Province. 2017.
  50. **PIA desktop:** Palaeontological Desktop Assessment for the proposed Lanseria outfall sewer pipeline in Johannesburg, Gauteng Province. 2017.
  51. **PIA desktop:** Palaeontological Desktop Assessment of the proposed development of open pit mining at Pit 36W (New Pit) and 62E (Dishaba) Amandelbult Mine Complex, Thabazimbi, Limpopo Province. 2017.
  52. **PIA site visit and Report:** Palaeontological impact assessment of the proposed development of the sport precinct and associated infrastructure at Merrifield Preparatory school and college, Amathole Municipality, East London. 2017.

**53. PIA site visit and Report:** Palaeontological impact assessment of the proposed construction of the Lehae training and fire station, Lenasia, Gauteng Province. 2017.

## **CONFERENCE CONTRIBUTIONS**

### **NATIONAL**

#### **PRESENTATION**

Butler, E., Botha-Brink, J., and F. Abdala. A new gorgonopsian from the uppermost *Dicynodon Assemblage Zone*, Karoo Basin of South Africa. 18th Biennial conference of the PSSA 2014. Wits, Johannesburg, South Africa.

### **INTERNATIONAL**

Attended the Society of Vertebrate Palaeontology 73<sup>th</sup> Conference in Los Angeles, America. October 2012.

## **CONFERENCES: POSTER PRESENTATION**

### **NATIONAL**

Butler, E., and J. Botha-Brink. Cranial skeleton of *Galesaurus planiceps*, implications for biology and lifestyle. University of the Free State Seminar Day, Bloemfontein. South Africa. November 2007.

Butler, E., and J. Botha-Brink. Cranial skeleton of *Galesaurus planiceps*, implications for biology and lifestyle. 14<sup>th</sup> Conference of the PSSA, Matjiesfontein, South Africa. September 2008:

Butler, E., and J. Botha-Brink. The biology of the South African non-mammaliaform cynodont *Galesaurus planiceps*. 15<sup>th</sup> Conference of the PSSA, Howick, South Africa. August 2008.

### **INTERNATIONAL VISITS**

Natural History Museum, London

July 2008

Paleontological Institute, Russian Academy of Science, Moscow

November 2014



**PROFESSIONAL CURRICULUM  
FOR WOUTER FOURIE**



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**Profession:** Archaeologist  
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**Parent Firm:** PGS Heritage (Pty) Ltd  
**Position at Firm:** Director  
**Years with firm:** 15  
**Years of experience:** 20  
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**EDUCATION:**

**Name of University or Institution** : University of Pretoria  
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**Year** : 1997

**Name of University or Institution** : National Nuclear Regulator  
**Certificate obtained** : Radiation Protection Officer Certificate  
**Year** : 1999

**Name of University or Institution** : University of Cape Town  
**Certificate obtained** : Project Management Foundations short course  
**Year** : 2015

**Name of University or Institution** : University of Cape Town  
**Certificate obtained** : MPhil – Conservation of Built Environment  
**Year** : 2016-Current

**Professional Qualifications:**

Professional Heritage Practitioner – Association of Professional Heritage Practitioners (APHP)  
Professional Archaeologist - Association of Southern African Professional Archaeologists -  
Professional Member – No 043

**CRM Accreditation**

Principal Investigator - Grave Relocations  
Field Director – Iron Age  
Field Supervisor – Colonial Period and Stone Age  
Accredited with Amafa KZN

**Languages:**

Afrikaans  
English – Speaking (Good) Reading (Good), Writing (Good)

## KEY QUALIFICATIONS

Archaeological Mitigation and excavations, Cultural Resource Management and Heritage Impact Assessment Management, Project management, Archaeology, Anthropology, Applicable survey methods, Fieldwork and project management, Geographic Information Systems

## CONFERENCE PAPERS AND PUBLICATIONS

- 2008 - Archaeological Impact Assessments within South African legislation. *South African Archaeological Bulletin 63 (187): 77–85, 2008*
- 2011 - Archaeology, Physical Anthropology and DNA analysis – The case of Queen Thomo Jezangani Ndwandwe. *Association of Southern African Professional Archaeologists – Conference, Swaziland*
- 2011 – POSTER – H.S. Steyn, W. Fourie and M. Hutten. Kappa Omega Transmission Line: Findings from an Archaeological Walk Down. Association of Southern African Professional Archaeologists – Conference, Swazi Land
- 2011 – POSTER – W. Fourie and J. van der Walt. Sterkspruit: Micro-layout of Late Iron Age stone walling, Lydenburg, Mpumalanga. . Association of Southern African Professional Archaeologists – Conference, Swazi Land
- 2011 – POSTER – P.D. Birkholtz, W. Fourie and W.C. Nienaber. Onverwacht: Archaeological and Historical Analysis of Swazi settlement layout. Association of Southern African Professional Archaeologists – Conference, Swazi Land
- 2012 - Heritage management: compliance or just a nuisance during the Environmental Management Programme implementation. 17th annual IAIAAsa conference, Somerset West, Western Cape.
- 2016 - Implementing Responsible Grave Relocation – The case for Comprehensive Grave Relocation Action Plan for Integrated Project Management. 21st annual IAIAAsa conference, Port Elizabeth, Eastern Cape.

## INTERNATIONAL PROJECTS

- 2016 – 2017 – **Position:** Heritage Specialist and Project Manager - Anadarko International – Grave Relocation Action Plan and implementation for the Afungi Liquid Natural Gas Project, Palma, Northern Mozambique – **Project Value:** R 2,5 mil
- 2013 – 2016 - **Position:** Heritage Specialist and Project Manager - SLR Consulting - Heritage Impact Assessment, Manica Gold Project, Manica Province, Mozambique - **Project Value:** R 80 000
- 2012 - **Position:** Heritage Specialist and Project Manager - SLR Consulting - Heritage Impact Assessment, Namoya SALR – Gold Mine, Maniema Province in the eastern Democratic Republic of Congo (DRC) - **Project Value:** R 120 000
- 2012 - **Position:** Heritage Specialist and Project Manager - Consolidated Contractors Group S.A.L. -Mitigation and Grave Relocation at Site 37-A3-16 on the Mahalpye to Kudumatse Road Construction Project Central District, Botswana - **Project Value:** R 90 000
- 2010 - **Position:** Heritage Specialist and Project Manager - Digby Wells & Associates - Grave Relocation Procedures and Consultation – RAP Process, Kibali Gold Mine, Watsa, Oriental Province, Democratic Republic of the Congo - **Project Value:** R 85 000
- 2010 - **Position:** Heritage Specialist and Project Manager - Digby Wells & Associates - Archaeological Study, Kibali Gold Mine, Watsa, Oriental Province, Democratic Republic of the Congo - **Project Value:** R 50 000
- 2008 - **Position:** Heritage Specialist and Project Manager - Digby Wells & Associates - Mmamabula Mining Project CIC, Botswana - **Project Value:** R 60 000

## HERITAGE IMPACT ASSESSMENTS

### *South African*

Below a selected list of over 400 heritage studies completed



## 2017

- Ilima Colliery, Heritage Impact Assessment. Carolina, Mpumalanga. – **Position:** Heritage Specialist. **Project Value:** R 110 000.
- Clanwilliam Dam Heritage Project (2014-2017). Clanwilliam, Western Cape. Department of Water and Sanitation – **Position:** Heritage Specialist. **Project Value:** R 7,5 mil
- Leeuwsberg Wind Energy Project. Loeriesfontein, Northern Cape. SiVEST. – **Position:** Heritage Specialist. **Project Value:** R 120 000.
- Leeudoringstad Solar Energy Project. North West Province. SiVEST. – **Position:** Heritage Specialist. **Project Value:** R 50 000.
- Lephalale Combined Power Project, Limpopo Province. Kongiwe Environmental. – **Position:** Heritage Specialist. **Project Value:** R 100 000.

## 2016

- Gautrain Management Agency (SiVEST Environmental) – Gautrain Rapid Rail Link – Feasibility Study – **Position:** Heritage Specialist
- Pilgrim's Rest Housing Development – Heritage Impact Assessment, Mpumalanga. Aurecon. – **Position:** Heritage Specialist. **Project Value:** R 60 000.
- Era Brickworks, Delmas, Mpumalanga. Heritage Impact Assessment. Jones and Wagerner. – **Position:** Heritage Specialist. **Project Value:** R 40 000.
- Daggaskaal Road Upgrade, Mpumalanga. Heritage Impact Assessment. NCC Environmental. – **Position:** Heritage Specialist. **Project Value:** R40 000.
- Eureka and Aletta Wind Energy Projects. Copperton, Northern Cape. – **Position:** Heritage Specialist. **Project Value:** R 95 000.
- Sendawo Solar Project, Vryburg, Northern Cape. Heritage Impact Assessment. SiVEST – **Position:** Heritage Specialist. **Project Value:** R 90 000.
- Tlitseng Solar Project, Lichtenburg, North West Province. Heritage Impact Assessment. – **Position:** Heritage Specialist. **Project Value:** R 80 000.
- Kuruman 66kV Project. Kuruman, Northern Cape. Zitholele. – **Position:** Heritage Specialist. **Project Value:** R 85 000.
- Goodwood Housing Scheme, WC – Heritage Scoping – **Position:** Heritage Specialist
- Vereeniging Gymnasium, Heritage assessment and Guidelines, Meyerton, Gauteng. – **Position:** Heritage Specialist
- Victoria West, Wind Energy Project. CSIR. – **Position:** Heritage Specialist. **Project Value:** R 120 000.
- Kloof and Driefontein Sibanye Gold. Heritage Management Plan. Carletonville, Gauteng. – **Position:** Heritage Specialist and Project Manager. **Project Value:** R 430 000.

## 2015

- AEL Detonator Campus, Heritage Impact Assessment. Modderfontein, Gauteng. – **Position:** Heritage Specialist and Project Manager. **Project Value:** R 240 000.
- Solar Reserve (Worley Parson RSA), Heritage Impact Assessment, Humansrus Solar Park, Daniëlskuil, Northern Cape – **Position:** Heritage Specialist
- Kappa-Sterrekus 765kV Project. ACER Africa. Heritage Walkdown. Western Cape. – **Position:** Heritage Specialist. **Project Value:** R 140 000.
- Solar Reserve (Worley Parson RSA), Heritage Impact Assessment, Rooipunt Solar Park, Upington, Northern Cape – **Position:** Heritage Specialist
- Solar Reserve (Worley Parson RSA), Heritage Impact Assessment, Arriesfontein Solar Park, Daniëlskuil, Northern Cape – **Position:** Heritage Specialist
- Solar Reserve (Worley Parson RSA), Heritage Impact Assessment, Slypklip Solar Park, Kimberley, Northern Cape – **Position:** Heritage Specialist
- Mainstream Renewable Power South Africa (SiVest), Heritage Impact Assessment,

Loeriesfontein Solar Park, Northern Cape – **Position:** Heritage Specialist

- Mainstream Renewable Power South Africa (SiVest), Heritage Impact Assessment, De Aar Solar Park, Northern Cape – **Position:** Heritage Specialist
- Mainstream Renewable Power South Africa (SiVest), Heritage Impact Assessment, Droogfontein
- GRAP103 – Heritage Register for the Ekurhuleni Metropolitan Municipality, Aurecon – **Position:** Heritage Specialist
- Fleurhof Hostel Redevelopment. Florida, Gauteng. Heritage Impact Assessment. **Position:** Heritage Specialist and Project Manager. **Project Value:** R 430 000.
- Mkuze Biomassa Incinerator. Mkuze, KZN. Heritage Impact Assessment. CSIR. **Position:** Heritage Specialist and Project Manager. **Project Value:** R 50 000.
- Transnet Overvaal Tunnel, Ermelo, Mpumalanga. EIMS. **Position:** Heritage Specialist and Project Manager. **Project Value:** R 60 000.
- De Aar 132kv Powerline. De Aar, Northern Cape. Heritage Impact Assessment. Holland and Associates. **Position:** Heritage Specialist and Project Manager. **Project Value:** R 60 000.

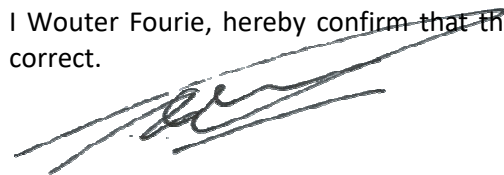
## 2014

- Solar Park, Kimberley, Northern Cape – **Position:** Heritage Specialist
- Kumba Iron Ore (Synergistics), Heritage Impact Assessment, Shishen Relocation Project, Northern Cape – **Position:** Heritage Specialist
- Kappa-Sterrekus 765kV Project. ACER Africa. Heritage Walkdown. Western Cape. – **Position:** Heritage Specialist. **Project Value:** R 140 000.
- Strategic Environmental Assessment for Independent Energy. CSIR. – **Position:** Heritage Specialist. **Project Value:** R 150 000.
- New Kathu Cemetery. Kathu, Northern Cape. Heritage Impact Assessment. SLR Consulting. – **Position:** Heritage Specialist. **Project Value:** R 50 000.

## POSITIONS HELD

- **2003 – 2017:** Director - PGS Heritage (Pty) Ltd
- **2006 – 2008:** Project Manager – Matakoma-ARM, Heritage Contracts Unit, University of the Witwatersrand
- **2005-2007:** Director – Matakoma Heritage Consultants (Pty) Ltd
- **2000-2004:** CEO– Matakoma Consultants
- **1998-2000:** Environmental Coordinator – Randfontein Estates Limited. Randfontein, Gauteng
- **1997-1998:** Environmental Officer – Department of Minerals and Energy. Johannesburg, Gauteng

I Wouter Fourie, hereby confirm that the above information contained in my CV is true and correct.



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## ENVIRONMENTAL PLANNING AND DESIGN

**Name** JONATHAN MARSHALL  
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**Specialisation** Landscape Architecture / Landscape & Visual Impact Assessment / Environmental Planning / Environmental Impact Assessment.

**Qualifications**

Education Diploma in Landscape Architecture,  
Gloucestershire College of Art and Design,  
UK (1979)  
Environmental Law, University of KZN  
(1997)

Professional Registered Professional Landscape Architect (South Africa)  
Chartered Member of the Landscape Institute (UK)  
Certified Environmental Assessment Practitioner of South Africa.  
Member of the International Association of Impact  
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### **Key Experience**

Jon qualified as a Landscape Architect at Cheltenham (UK) in 1979. He has been a Chartered Member of the Landscape Institute (UK) since 1986. He is also a registered Landscape Architect and Environmental Assessment Practitioner of South Africa.

During the early part of his career (1981 – 1990) he worked with Clouston (now RPS) in Hong Kong and Australia. During this period he was called on to undertake visual impact assessment input to numerous environmental assessment processes for major infrastructure projects. This work was generally based on photography with line drawing superimposed to illustrate the extent of development visible.

He worked in the United Kingdom (1990 – 1995) for major supermarket chains including Sainsbury's and prepared CAD based visual impact assessments for public enquiry for new store development. He also prepared the VIA input to the environmental statement for the Cardiff Bay Barrage for consideration by the UK Parliament in the passing of the Barrage Bill.

His more recent VIA work in Africa (1995 to present) includes a combination of CAD and GIS based work for a new international airport to the north of Durban, new heavy industrial operations, overhead electrical transmission lines, mining operations, a number of commercial and residential developments as well as numerous renewable energy projects.

VIA work undertaken during the last twelve months includes assessments for several proposed Eskom power lines / substations and numerous solar and wind energy projects.

## **Relevant Landscape & Visual Impact Assessment (LVIA) Projects**

1. **Paulputs CSP Power Tower project** – LVIA for a 200MW CSP power tower facility near Pofadder in the Northern Cape.
2. **Karoshok Solar Valley** – LVIA for nine CSP projects including power tower and parabolic trough projects in the Karoshok Solar Valley near Upington in the Northern Cape.
3. **Noupoort CSP** – LVIA for two CSP parabolic trough facilities close to Noupoort in the Northern Cape.
4. **Sol Invictus Solar** – LVIA for four 150MW photovoltaic solar arrays near Aggeneys in the Northern Cape for a private client
5. **Tshivhaso Power Station** – LVIA for a proposed new 600MW power station including associated infrastructure and dumps near Lephalale in the Limpopo Province for a private client.
6. **Woodhouse Solar** – LVIA for two 100MW photovoltaic solar arrays near Vryburg in the North West Province for a private client.
7. **Saldanha Eskom Network Strengthening Project** – LVIA for major improvements to Eskom's electrical infrastructure between Langebaan and Saldanha in the Western Cape for Eskom.
8. **Albany Solar Array** – LVIA for two 75MW photovoltaic solar arrays near Upington in the Northern Cape.
9. **Mpophomeni Shopping Centre** – LVIA for a proposed new shopping center to the south of Midmar Dam in KwaZulu Natal for a private client.
10. **Gunstfontein Wind Farm** – LVIA for a 200MWnd farm near Sutherland in the Northern Cape for a private client.
11. **Hennenman Solar Array** – LVIA for a proposed solar array in the Free State for a private client.
12. **Moorreesburg Wind Farm** – LVIA for a proposed wind energy project in the Western Cape for a private client.
13. **Lethabo Solar Array** – LVIA for a proposed solar array at the Lethabo Power Station in the Free State for Eskom.
14. **Tutuka Solar Array** – LVIA for a proposed solar array at the Tutuka Power Station in Mpumalanga for Eskom.
15. **Majuba Solar Array** – LVIA for a proposed solar array at the Majuba Power Station in Mpumalanga for Eskom.
16. **Isundu 765 / 400Kv Sub Station** - LVIA for a proposed major substation in KwaZulu Natal for Eskom.
17. **Bhangazi Lake Tourism Development** – Visual impact assessment for a proposed lodge development within the Isimangaliso Wetland Park World Heritage Site. This work is ongoing.
18. **Quarry Development for the Upgrade of Sani Pass** – Visual Impact Assessments for two proposed quarry developments on the edge of the uKhalamba-Drakensburg World Heritage Site.
19. **Mtubatuba to St Lucia Overhead Power Line** – Visual Impact Assessment for a proposed power line bordering on the Isimangaliso Wetland Park World Heritage Site for

Eskom.

20. **St Faiths 400/132 kV Sub-Station and Associated Power Lines** - Visual Impact Assessment for a proposed new major sub-station and approximately 15km of overhead power line for Eskom.
21. **Clocolan to Ficksburg Overhead Power Line** – Visual Impact Assessment for a proposed power line for Eskom.
22. **Solar Plant Projects including Photovoltaic and Concentrating Solar Power Plants** – Numerous projects for Eskom and private clients in the Northern Cape, Limpopo, Mpumalanga and the Free State.
23. **Moorreesburg Wind Farm.** Visual impact assessment for a proposed new wind farm in the Western Cape.
24. **AngloGold Ashanti, Dokyiwa (Ghana)** – Visual Impact Assessment for proposed new Tailings Storage Facility at a mine site working with SGS as part of their EIA team.
25. **Camperdown Industrial Development** - Visual Impact Assessment for proposed new light industrial area to the north of Camperdown for a private client.
26. **Wild Coast N2 Toll Highway** – Peer review of VIA undertaken by another consultant.
27. **Gamma to Grass Ridge 765kv transmission line** – Peer review of LVIA undertaken by another consultant.
28. **Gateway Shopping Centre Extension (Durban)** – Visual Impact Assessment for a proposed shopping centre extension in Umhlanga, Durban.
29. **Kouroussa Gold Mine (Guinea)** – Visual impact assessment for a proposed new mine in Guinea working with SGS as part of their EIA team.
30. **Mampon Gold Mine (Ghana)** - Visual impact assessment for a proposed new mine in Ghana working with SGS as part of their EIA team.
31. **Telkom Towers** – Visual impact assessments for numerous Telkom masts in KwaZulu Natal
32. **Dube Trade Port, Durban International Airport** – Visual Impact Assessment for a new international airport.
33. **Sibaya Precinct Plan** – Visual Impact Assessment as part of Environmental Impact Assessment for a major new development area to the north of Durban.
34. **Umdloti Housing** – Visual Impact Assessment as part of Environmental Impact Assessment for a residential development beside the Umdloti Lagoon to the north of Durban.
35. **Tata Steel Ferrochrome Smelter** - Visual impact assessment of proposed new Ferrochrome Smelter in Richards Bay as part of EIA undertaken by the CSIR.
36. **Diamond Mine at Rooipoort Nature Reserve near Kimberley** – Visual impact assessment for a proposed diamond mine within an existing nature reserve for De Beers.
37. **Durban Solid Waste Large Landfill Sites** – Visual Impact Assessment of proposed development sites to the North and South of the Durban Metropolitan Area. The project utilised 3d computer visualisation techniques.
38. **Hillside Aluminium Smelter, Richards Bay** - Visual Impact Assessment of proposed extension of the existing smelter. The project utilised 3d computer visualisation techniques.
39. **Estuaries of KwaZulu Natal Phase 1 and Phase 2** – Visual character assessment and GIS mapping as part of a review of the condition and development capacity of eight

- estuary landscapes for the Town and Regional Planning Commission. The project was extended to include all estuaries in KwaZulu Natal.
40. **Signage Assessments** – Numerous impact assessments for proposed signage developments for Blast Media.
  41. **Signage Strategy** – Preparation of an environmental strategy report for a national advertising campaign on National Roads for Visual Image Placements.
  42. **Zeekoegatt, Durban** - Computer aided visual impact assessment. Acted as advisor to the Province of KwaZulu Natal in an appeal brought about by a developer to extend a light industrial development within a 60 metre building line from the National N3 Highway.
  43. **La Lucia Mall Extension** - Visual impact assessment using three dimensional computer modelling / photo realistic rendering and montage techniques for proposed extension to shopping mall for public consultation exercise.
  44. **Redhill Industrial Development** - Visual impact assessment using three dimensional computer modelling / photo realistic rendering and montage techniques for proposed new industrial area for public consultation exercise.
  45. **Avondale Reservoir** - Visual impact assessment using three dimensional computer modelling / photo realistic rendering and montage techniques for proposed hilltop reservoir as part of Environmental Impact Assessment for Umgeni Water.
  46. **Hammersdale Reservoir** - Visual impact assessment using three dimensional computer modelling / photo realistic rendering and montage techniques for proposed hilltop reservoir as part of Environmental Impact Assessment for Umgeni Water.
  47. **Southgate Industrial Park, Durban** - Computer Aided Visual Impact Assessment and Landscape Design for AECI.
  48. **Sainsbury's Bryn Rhos (UK)** - Computer Aided Visual Impact Assessment/ Planning Application for the development of a new store within the Green Wedge North of Swansea.
  49. **Ynyston Farm Access (UK)** - Computer Aided Impact Assessment of visual intrusion of access road to proposed development in Cardiff for the Land Authority for Wales.
  50. **Cardiff Bay Barrage (UK)** - Concept Design, Detail Design, Documentation, and Visual Input to Environmental Statement for consideration by Parliament in the debate prior to the passing of the Cardiff Bay Barrage Bill. The work was undertaken for Cardiff Bay Development Corporation.
  51. **A470, Cefn Coed to Pentrebach (UK)** - Preparation of frameworks for the assessment of the impact of the proposed alignment on the landscape for The Welsh Office.
  52. **Sparkford to Ilchester Bye Pass (UK)** - The preparation of the landscape framework and the draft landscape plan for the Department of Transport.
  53. **Green Island Reclamation Study (Hong Kong)** - Visual Impact Assessment of building massing, Urban Design Guidelines and Masterplanning for a New Town extension to Hong Kong Island.
  54. **Route 3 (Hong Kong)** - Visual Impact Assessment for alternative road alignments between Hong Kong Island and the Chinese Border.
  55. **China Border Link (Hong Kong)** - Visual Impact Assessment and initial Landscape Design for a new border crossing at Lok Ma Chau.
  56. **Route 81, Aberdeen Tunnel to Stanley (Hong Kong)** - Visual Impact Assessment for alternative highway alignments on the South side of Hong Kong Island.