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INTERNATIONAL PROJECT ENGINEER / BUSINESS DIRECTOR

◆ Project Management - Site Leadership - Customer Satisfaction ◆

A multi-skilled, Electrical and Mechanical Coordinator with an proven record of Project Managing installations, maintenance and servicing of commercial and industrial equipment in third-world countries. All works carried out to total customer satisfaction, within budget, specifications and strict timescales. Also possesses a multi-cultural business approach throughout EMEA. Now looking to make a continued significant contribution for clients on short or long term projects (own team available if required) as an International Site Supervising Engineer / Coordinator.

AREAS OF EXPERTISE

- Operational Management
- Business Development
- Contract Management
- Trouble Shooting / Problem Solving
- Onsite Project Management
- Leadership / Supervision
- Budgeting / Reducing Costs
- Portfolio / Client Management
- Procurement Negotiations
- Resource Management
- Quotations and Tenders
- Quality Assurance

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE AND SIGNIFICANT ACHIEVEMENTS

TECHNICAL DIRECTOR

2007 - Present

Callison Management Services Ltd:

- Operating my own agency, with a difference. As clients do not want to hire staff on a permanent basis we hire out whatever staff clients need for their specific requirement on short to long term projects.
- Completed a diverse range of projects for clients, from the installation of a complex contact lens manufacturing machine (Johnson & Johnson) to Airport baggage handling systems, (Vanderlande industries) Automatic parcel system (Nike) supervising and installing a Bottling plant new line in South Africa and Mozambique.

AS AN INTERNATIONAL SITE SUPERVISING ENGINEER (Oct 09 - Present)

For Various Worldwide Clients: (Projects on-going for Vanderlande Industries – Veghel The Netherlands);

Current Ongoing Projects:

1. Supervising the installation of automated material handling systems in distribution centres, express parcel sorting facilities and baggage handling at airports in EMEA regions using local contractors.
 2. Installing a bottling line for mineral water, filling system and injection moulders. Also co-ordinating this project, giving advice and guidance to 2 onsite engineers. Negotiating with the client.
 3. Installing a crusher plant in South Africa, with all equipment imported from China. Project Managed from conception. This is a multi-disciplinary project (construction, electrical, plumbing, mechanical etc). Manpower includes 3 Engineers (1x Electrician, 1x Builder and 1 x Civil Engineer).
- Projects for Vanderlande in Bangladesh, Ethiopia, Schiphol Airport, Romania, and Belgium.
 - Coordinating all projects on-site and disciplines (i.e. Software, electrical, mechanical etc.).
 - Liaising with clients and signing off project as to clients' specifications and satisfaction (Quality Assured).

AS AN INSTALLATION, TESTING ENGINEER, SUPERVISOR & COORDINATOR (May 08 - Sep 08)

For Client: Johnson & Johnson Ireland:

- Installed 3 highly advanced production lines for a division of Johnson & Johnson in the Pharmaceutical industry, (the manufacturing process involves several integrated automated cells including injecting moulding, fill & assembly, hydration, automated vision inspection, sterilization, and packaging).
- Coordinated the clients' Software Technicians, Electrician and Mechanical Engineers, PMs and my own technicians.
- Assist with Installation/IO testing; Teach/Adjust/Setup; Installation Qualification; Engineering Runs; OQ/PQ.
- Rectified problems and wrote associated documentation.
- Carried out FAT & SAT tests and, corrected SAT machines to Physical Vapour Deposit (PVD) machines.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE AND SIGNIFICANT ACHIEVEMENTS

AS AN INTERNATIONAL INSTALLATION AND COMMISSIONING ENGINEER (Jan 08 - Apr 08)

for Clients: 2 Contracts: 1 x company in Food Industry and 1 x company dealing in PVD machines, The Netherlands;

- In Holland, planned and managed global Installations and commissioning of machines and production lines for the food and packaging industry. This involved electrical engineering, hydraulics, pneumatics, and warm and cold techniques.
- Carried out FAT tests on PVD machines. Executed disorder investigation and supervised acceptance tests.
- Trained machine operators.

Other Projects Completed:

- Cuba and Venezuela (Bagging machines - the erection and commissioning and teaching operators).
- Upgraded of sub-stations in South Africa and Mozambique (Supervising up to a crew of 25 local electricians). These were very hands-on projects as the electricians all had to be trained to do the work.
- Germany (The decommissioning of a TV manufacturing plant and shipping the equipment all over the world).

INTERNATIONAL FIELD SERVICE ENGINEER

Mar 07 - Dec 07

UK Based Company (Global Operations):

- Repaired, maintained, installed, and hired and trained operators and supervised operation of equipment. This was a 24 hour operation, offloading cargo vessels using cranes.
- Liaised with the captain, customs and all other parties involved.
- Countries included EMEA, Cuba, and Venezuela.

SUPERVISOR / TECHNICIAN

2006 - 07

Contracts in South Africa:

- Repaired, maintained and installed air conditioning and refrigeration units.

VARIOUS TECHNICAL POSITIONS

2002 - 06

Philips LG, Contracts in The Netherlands and Germany:

- Installed and repaired commercial refrigeration and industrial baking equipment.
- Disassembled Philips LG production lines in Germany and for re-assembled in various other counties including Brazil, Argentina, and Korea.. Managed a team of up to 34 technicians.

MANAGER TECHNICIAN

1993 - 02

Horeca Commercial Refrigeration cc, Johannesburg:

- Maintained and installed air conditioning, basement pumps, electrical, refrigeration, industrial cold storage systems catering equipment and general maintenance buildings for hotels, hospitals and restaurants.
- Planned and installed new building facilities, ventilation systems, air conditioning, etc.

EARLY CAREER SUMMARY

(Power Line / Electrical / Maintenance/HVAC/Mechanical & Electrical)

Manager / Technician	Prosped cc, JHB (Electrical / Plumbing Contractors)	1989-93
Electrician	Andy's Electric (Pty) Ltd, Krugersdorp 03	1988-89
Technician	Helios-Minolta, Highlands North, JHB	1987-88
Electrician	Eskom Rosherville	1982-87

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Project Management	2KO International	2010
EN 50110-1	Electrical Installations	2009
Electrician	Registrar of Manpower (Time Served Apprentice)	1989

Notable courses (1989-08):

Safety Pass, TIG Welding, Nederlands als tweede taal – programma 2, WIN (Wet Inburgering Nieuwkomers), CFK Refrigeration STEK (*this course covered new EU laws*), Basic PLC, Basic Refrigeration & Air Conditioning, Installation Rules, Power Plant Electrical, Line maintenance, circuitry and fault finding, Transformers, Circuit breakers, Motors and Starters, Basic Workshop Practice – Electrical, Safety for Supervisors and First Aid. National Technical Certificate Technical College (Krugersdorp)

PERSONAL

Languages: English and Afrikaans, Dutch *Born:* 1964. *Marital Status:* Married.