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Academic Qualifications:

- BScEng (Civil) - University of Cape Town 1989
- BCom (Management) – UNISA 2007
- Construction Management Program Stellenbosch University 2001
- Fellowship Course of the Association of Arbitrators SA 2010
- Certificate of Specialisation in Construction Law from Association of Arbitrators SA. 2013

Membership of Professional Institutions:

- Professional Engineer with ECSA 1994
- Full member of SAICE 1995
- Professional Construction Manager with SACPCMP 2004
- Fellow of Association of Arbitrators 2011
- Member of Construction Adjudication Association of SA 2022



Experience and fields of work:

Steve is a registered Professional Civil Engineer and qualified Arbitrator. He has more than 30 years post-graduate experience in delivering building and civil engineering projects in a safe and efficient manner. He has the rare advantage by having been a direct employee of Client bodies, Contractors and Professional Engineering companies. He has worked for three of South Africa's major construction companies, a large industrial company and a consulting firm.

He has been engaged on a wide range of projects in a variety of sectors including: hotels, mixeduse building developments, sports stadium, oil-sector works, water & wastewater infrastructure, bridges, railways, roads, power stations, aluminium smelters, shopping centres, hospitals, residential buildings, pulp and paper, automotive and food processing plants.

He has extensive working knowledge of the JBCC, GCC, NEC and FIDIC forms of contract. Steve is on the SAICE , KZN MBA and Association of Arbitrator's panel of arbitrators and adjudicators. Over the last 12 years he has frequently been appointed by these institutions as an arbitrator or adjudicator in construction disputes. He has extensive experience in both submitting and defending a variety of claims, many of which involved delays and disruption, changes in scope or late information. He is able to combine the understanding of the complexities of construction, contract programs and technical issues with the legal and contractual documentation, argument and processes required for settlement of claims and disputes.registered as a Senior Adjudicator in Namibia and a fellow of the Association of Arbitrators of Southern Africa. Riaan has been a mentor for many young engineers and contractors.



Emploment record:

- 2020 – 2022 Divisional Director Enza Construction
- 2016 – 2020 Project Executive GIBB Engineering
- 2012 - 2016 General Manager Grinaker-LTA KZN
- 2004 - 2012 Senior Contracts Manager then Contracts Director Grinaker-LTA
- 2002 – 2004 Mill Civil Engineer and Project Manager Sappi Tugela
- 1994 – 2002 Contracts Manager Concor Civils
- 1992 – 1994 Project Manager Eskom Majuba Power Station
- 1990 – 1992 Road and structures design engineer for Eskom Megawatt Park

Experience FIDIC Red Book and / or FIDIC 2005 MDB Harmonised Edition

- Previous / current projects where you have been a member of a 3 man DB – FIDIC,2019
Ezulwini Sustainable Water Supply System, R86m ,Eswatini Water
- Previous / current projects where you have been a sole member standing adjudicator:
National, Road P573 Section 2 Km24,7 to Km36,2 - R559m SANRAL 2021
N2, Izingolweni (Km101.1) to Murchison (Km 18.4) - R170m SANRAL 2021
N3 Reconstruction Sanctuary Road to Link Road - R268m SANRAL 2022
Provide Crushed Aggregate from RCL 9 Quarry – R417m SANRAL 2023
- Previous / current projects where you have been a sole member ad-hoc adjudicator:
Manufacture of Precast Concrete Barriers N3 R185m SANRAL 2022
Slope stabilization on National Routes 1 & 12 R37m SANRAL 2023

Experience with GCC 2010 and GCC 2015

- Previous / current projects where you have been a member of a 3 man DAB

Western Aqueduct Phase 2 – 25km pipeline R413m Ethekewini Municipality 2014

Northern Aqueduct Augmentation water pipeline R269m Ethekewini Municipality 2018

- Previous / current projects where you have been a sole member standing adjudicator

Greater Mpofana Water Supply - 13,2 km pipeline R98m Umgeni Water 2017

Umzinto Waterworks Upgrade R33m Umgeni Water 2018

Completion Bruntville Pipeline Contract R52m Umgeni Water 2020

Augmentation of Nsezi Water Treatment Works R319m Mhlathuze Water 2021

- Previous / current projects where you have been a sole member ad-hoc adjudicator

Re-opening of Draper Street R22m Newcastle Municipality 2014

Bulk water supply Goudetrou Dam – 5,8km pipeline R51m uThungulu Municipality 2014

SSA1 Phase 1B Pumpstation PS1 and Reservoir R34m uThungulu Municipality 2015

Woodmead transport node R45m KwaDukuza Municipality 2015

Widening Allen Street R37m Newcastle Municipality 2016

Xonxa Dam Scheme – 22,3km Pumping Main R93m Chris Hani Municipality 2017

Masinenge Slums Clearance Project R76m RayNokonyeni 2018

Lower Thukela 55 Ml/day Water Treatment Works R394m Umgeni Water 2018

10km pipeline Gaywood to Greytown Water Works R21m Umzinyathi Municipality 2019

Magabheni High Level Reservoir R28m Ethekewini Municipality

Sewer reticulation & 2no WWTP Njekane & Etsheni R38m Ilembe Municipality 2020

M13 Highway/Essex Terrace Interchange Upgrade R105m Ethekewini Municipality 2020

Site Drainage Upgrade Mechanical & Civils Works R50m BP Southern Africa 2021

Braamfischerville Ext.12 roads and stormwater R41m Jhb Development Agency 2021

Trunk Sewer and Sewer Pump Station R103m Tongaat Hulett's 2022



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Bulk and Internal Services for Salvokop Ext 5 R377m Gov Tech Advisory Centre 2022

Southern Regional Bulk Water & Sanitation R43m Ilembe Municipality 2023

Routine maintenance on roads Ixopo R56m KZN Dep of Transport 2023