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EDUCATION

Masters of Business Administration
University of Cape Town | Graduate School
of Business

2020-2021

**Senior Management Development
Program**

University of Stellenbosch Business School
2017

Bachelor of Science (Engineering)

University of Cape Town

2007 - 2010

High School Certificate (HIGCSE)

St. Joseph's RC High School

2005 - 2006

SKILLS

- Risk Management
- Technical proficiency and Analytical skills
- Managing Operations and Efficiency
- Team leadership
- Team work and collaboration
- Self-driven and motivated
- Project Management
- Budget Management
- Performance tracking and evaluation
- Problem Solving

Gabriel Gabriel

Manufacturing Director: Coca Cola Beverages Africa - Namibia

Accomplished engineering and operations executive with over 14 years' experience in power generation, manufacturing, and large-scale operations, including middle management and executive-level leadership. Currently serving as Manufacturing Director at Coca-Cola Beverages Africa (Namibia), providing strategic leadership across supply chain, production, safety, and quality. Holds an MBA and is a registered Professional Engineer with the Engineering Council of Namibia, with a strong track record in operational efficiency, stakeholder engagement, and team leadership. Also served as a Trustee of the NamPower Provident Fund (2019-2024) and Management Committee member on the Coca Cola Namibia provident fund (2024-2026), contributing to governance, compliance, and oversight in line with statutory and fiduciary responsibilities

WORK EXPERIENCE

Manufacturing Director 05/2024 - present

Coca Cola Beverages Africa - Namibia

Responsible for supply chain operations of Coca Cola Beverages Africa Namibia, from raw materials sourcing finished goods. Provides strategic leadership for safe operations and production of quality products to meet business objectives.

Manager: Ruacana Power Station 11/2016 - 04/2024

NamPower | Ruacana Power Station

Responsible for the safe operation and maintenance of the power plant, through planning, directing and coordinating operations, maintenance and project activities. Overseeing 100+ employees in various departments, including support section (health & safety, security, inventory management). Responsible for engaging various NamPower stakeholders in Northern Namibia as well as Southern Angola for coordinating and managing the Kunene River. Additionally responsible for overseeing the operations of Ruacana Eha Lodge.

Acting Manager: Technical Support Services 10/2015 - 10/2016

NamPower | Technical Support Services

Responsible for technical support of the various NamPower power stations through implementation of engineering projects and process improvements. Managed a multidisciplinary team of engineers, technicians and artisans for technical support.

Engineer 08/2015 - 09/2015

Responsible for mechanical engineering projects and support to the power stations. Applied technical knowledge to promote continuous improvement at the power stations and to help promote safe work environment at the operations.

Assistant Engineer 02/2011 - 07/2015

NamPower | Technical Support Services

Assisting on mechanical engineering projects and support to the power stations. Applied technical knowledge to promote continuous improvement at the power stations and to help promote a safe work environment at the operations.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- Member of the Board of Trustees for the NamPower Provident Fund since 2019. Responsible for directing, controlling and overseeing the operations of the fund in accordance with the applicable laws and the rules of the fund.
- ISO9001:2015 Certified Lead Auditor for Quality Management Systems

REFERENCES

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