## WENDY DA CRUZ

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# **CURRICULUM VITAE - Wendy da Cruz** (nee Armstrong)



DATE OF BIRTH: 15 April 1963
IDENTITY NUMBER: 6304150027084
NATIONALITY: South African

MARITAL STATUS: Married December 1995

LANGUAGE: English

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A Education

Primary, Secondary, Tertiary

**B** Employment History

**Current Positions** 

Wendy da Cruz Consultancy Services (1999 - to date )

ISO DEVCO - CASCO Toolbox training

Energy Management System Expert – Training and Consulting and Auditing UNIDO/NCPC

**Director Energy** 

**Previous Positions** 

University of Zululand (1985)

Medical Research Council (1986)

Cookson Chemicals (PTY) LTD (1987 - 1990)

GUD Filters (PTY) LTD (1990/91)

SABS Management System Auditor and Certification Manager (QMS, EMS) (1991 - 1998)

QMS Consulting (PTY) LTD (1998 - 1999) QMS Consultant, Trainer and Lead Auditor

Carbon Check Contracted Quality Reviewer: (ISO 17021, ISO 14065 & UNFCCC – CDM0 (2009-2012)

PRICEWATERHOUSE COOPERS (PWC), Contracted Review Manager: ISO 17021

SAATCA Technical Management Board

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### A EDUCATION

**Tertiary:** University of Natal (Pietermaritzburg)

1983: B Sc. Biochemistry and Chemistry.

1984: B Sc. Honours. Biotechnology (Biochemistry and Microbiology) Awarded Messina Development Company Bursary (1981 to 1984)

Awarded Science honours bursary by CSIR (1984)

University of Stellenbocsh

1995 Certificate M Sc. Industrial Engineering.

Secondary: Hillview High School (Pretoria)

1980: Matriculated, Head Prefect, academic half-colours, first team hockey captain and

hockey colours.

**Primary:** Victoria Primary (Port Elizabeth), Grade I and II

Capital Park Primary (Pretoria), Standard 1 Hercules Primary (Pretoria) Standard 2 to 5.

1975 - School prefect, 1971 to 1975 - Full attendance

#### B EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

### **CURRENT POSITIONS:**

Company: WENDY DA CRUZ CONSULTANCY SERVICES

May 1999 to date

**Co. Profile:** Management consultancy, training and auditing.

Quality, Environmental, Energy Management, Laboratory accreditation.

Certificated to SABS ISO 9001 and ISO 14001, since 1999.

Services SETA provisional accreditation (SAQA) - No. SETQAA No. 0323 till 2006

### Position: Sole Proprietor/Consultant

Management consultancy and training with respect to Quality Management Systems (ISO 9001), Energy Management (ISO 50001), Environmental Management Systems (ISO 14001), Laboratory Accreditation (ISO 17025), and OHSAS 18001 (as part of an integrated management system).

#### **Current consultancy work:**

Provision of consultancy, training and audit services ISO 9001, 14001, 50001 and OHSAS 18001 (as part of integrated management system only) – client reference list available on request.

ORGANISATION: UNIDO/NCPC-SA (2011 to date)

**Co. Profile:** United Nations Industrial Development Organization

Industrial energy efficiency improvement programme

Position/contracts held: Energy Management System Expert (National and International)

Training resource EnMS Expert programme training facilitator and implementation consultant for advanced

end user and and expert level

ISO 50001 Lead Auditor training facilitator

Management system consulting – ISO 50001 Energy management systems. Example Johnson Matthey, Aerosud,

Mogale Alloys, Umbilo Waste Water Treatment Works, Fry's Metals, G&W Minerals,

Zimalco, Karob Plastics, Coca-Cola canners.

ISO 50001 Auditing: Feltex Trim, Valpre, Johnson Matthey, Standard Bank GLC, Supreme Spring

ISO 50001: UNIDO Expert – EnMS and ISO 50001 Lead Auditor, Consultant and Training Facilitator

**Global Energy Management Leadership Awards Program** – In 2016 appointed to serve as a Judge on the Awards Selection Committee for the global Energy Management Leadership Awards Program.

Energy Professionals International, Inc (EPI) In 2016 – appointed to the Board of Directors

**SANEDI** Specialist review panel member to assess submissions in terms of the regulations relating to Section 12I of the Income Tax Act, 1962, on the allowance for energy efficiency savings, (energy efficiency tax incentives).

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ORGANISATION: SAATCA (Southern African Auditor and Training Certification Authority)

Co. Profile: Personnel certification, ISO 17024.

Position/s Held: EMS and Energy Scheme Committee

**Evaluation Committee member** 

#### **PREVIOUS POSITIONS:**

ORGANISATION: ISO DEVCO (Geneva) CASCO Toolbox.

Co. Profile: International Organisation for Standardization, DEVCO

Position/contracts held: Training resource - ISO CASCO Toolbox, including ISO//IEC 17020, 17021, 17024, 17025, etc.

Company: UNIVERSITY OF ZULULAND

**Period:** January 1985 to July 1986 (18 months) **Company Profile:** Teaching and research university.

Number of students: approximately 3 500.

**Position:** Biochemistry lecturer.

Job Outline:

Prepared lectures according to a set syllabus.

Lectured Biochemistry II and III.

Set and evaluated examination papers. Organised laboratory practical classes.

### How I feel I benefited from this position:

Lecturing at the University of Zululand increased my self-confidence in speaking publicly and dealing with people of all ranks and race groups.

Organising the practical lessons and preparing lectures consolidated my own university training and taught me to be methodical.

Company: MEDICAL RESEARCH COUNCIL OF SOUTH AFRICA (MRC)

**Period:** July 1986 to October 1987 (15 months)

**Company Profile** Research council for human diseases in a tropical environment.

Technologies - biochemical, microbiological and chemical.

Number of employees: approximately 50.

**Position:** Medical Researcher.

Job Outline:

Biochemical research of human parasitic diseases, predominantly immunology.

Specifically amoebiasis its transmittal in the environment and its detection using radioimmunoassays.

COMPANY: COOKSON CHEMICALS (PTY) LTD

Period: March 1987 to July 1990 (3 years 3 months)

Company Profile: Manufacture of PVC stabilizers, lead based chemicals, anti-corrosive and flame retardant pigments.

Annual production:  $\pm$ 10 000 tonnes with work force of  $\pm$ 160.

Registered quality supplier in accordance with SABS ISO 9002 and NOSA Four star Rating. Quality Co-ordinator. Promoted to Management Representative for quality system 1988.

Position: Job Outline:

Overall management responsibility for operation of QC Laboratory (comprising Supervisor, Instrument Technician, Senior analyst, three analysts and glassware cleaner) with activities including:

Product and raw material quality testing; Environmental monitoring of lead in accordance with UK legislation and the British holding company's requirements; Environmental monitoring of water and co-ordination of dust monitoring. Responsible for ensuring ongoing compliance of the quality system to SABS ISO 9002 and to Cookson Chemicals needs including internal audits and liaison with the SABS in the capacity of Management Representative.

Technical assistance to production and with ongoing project development.

Budget preparation and purchase approval for the Laboratory and Quality assurance departments.

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Company: GUD FILTERS (AUTOMOTIVE)
Period: August 1990 to July 1991 (12 months)

Company Profile: Manufacture of automotive filters, (oil, air and fuel), for the local and export market.

Technologies: engineering workshops, assembly plants and chemical processes. Annual production: 10 million filters with number of employees approximately 800.

Registered Quality Supplier to SABS ISO 9001.

**Position:** Process chemist.

Job Outline:

Management of Plastics Production department, comprising senior process operator, two process operators and process chemist assistant. Process efficiencies and control.

Process control of plastics in production of filters, trouble shooting and rubber component approval.

Control and issue of all specifications, manufacturing instructions and test methods related to chemicals, maintenance of SABS ISO 9001 standards within plastics production.

Assistance with product design and development as related to plastics and rubber and with trouble shooting in production.

Company: SABS (SOUTH AFRICAN BUREAU of STANDARDS)
Co. Profile: Management System Certification Body - ISO 17021.

**Period:** August 1991 to February 1998 (6.5 years) **Position:** 1991 Quality system auditor - chemical technology.

1992 Senior auditor - chemical technology.

1993 Promoted to Section Head: Laboratory Accreditation.

Responsible for SABS 0259 Laboratory Accreditation scheme within chemical technology,

including occupational hygiene and associated limited environmental monitoring.

1995 Promoted to Manager: Services Sector Certification,

Responsibilities: to manage SABS ISO 9001/2 certification within the services sector of

Southern African industry.

Management assessment division comprising auditors (up to six) and clerk, and associated marketing, administrative and financial functions.

Managing, co-ordinating and conducting of ISO 9001/2 and ISO 14001 assessments and audits.

Mentoring and/or evaluation of trainee auditors in respect of ISO 9001/2 and ISO 14001. Ensuring continued conformity to ISO Guide 62 (ISO 17021) for the Services certification division.

Company: QMS CONSULTING (PTY) LTD

March 1998 to May 1999 (14 months)

**Co. Profile:** Management consultancy and training.

Number of employees: approximately 20

Certificated to SABS ISO 9001.

**Position:** Managing Consultant.

Management consultancy with respect to Quality Management Systems (ISO 9001/2), Environmental Management Systems (ISO 14001), and Laboratory Accreditation (ISO Guide 25/ISO 17025).

ORGANISATION: PRICEWATERHOUSE COOPERS (PWC), ISO/IEC 17021 & UNFCCC.

Co. Profile: ISO 9001 and 14001 and OHSAS 18001 management system certification body.

DOE (to 2008 only)

Position/s Held: Review Manager and internal auditor - ISO 17021 (and DOE UNFCCC to 2008)

## C APPOINTMENTS HELD (OVER PAST YEARS)

Previous appointments encompassing the past few years include:

- ISO CASCO South African CASCO Mirror Technical Committee member (TC 18/003)
- ISO Energy Management Member of South African Mirror ISO Technical Committee (TC 242)
- ISO Quality Management Member of South African Mirror ISO Technical Committee (TC 176)
- ISO Environment Management Member of South African Mirror ISO Technical Committee (TC 207)
- Director of SAATCA (Southern African Auditor and Training Certification Association).
- SANAS (South African Accreditation System) Advisory Forum (AF) and Certification STC (Specialist Technical Committee) and previous Board member of SANAS (South African National Accreditation System).
- Representative on SAACB (South African Association of Certification Bodies).
- SABS (Certification Body) Approvals Board for the SABS Environmental Management System certification scheme.

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- PriceWaterhpuse Coopers (PWC) (Certification Body) Technical Review Manager and internal auditor Quality,
   Environmental and OHS Management System certification scheme.
- CARBON CHECK ISO 17021, ISO 14065 & UNFCCC CDM Review Manager and internal auditor ISO 17021, 14065 and DOE UNFCCC
- SAATCA Technical Management Board Chair and Vice Chair and Technical Director

### **D KEY COURSES AND QUALIFICATIONS** (Listed chronologically only)

**COURSE/QUALIFICATION DURATION** PRESENTER/PROVIDER YEAR 1988 Cookson Chemicals Interaction management 2 days SABS ISO 9000 Assessors Three weeks SABS 1989 Visual Ideas Lotus 123 literacy 2 days Plastics Technology Cookson Chemicals 2 days **Industrial Relations** Cookson Chemicals 2 days **NOSA MBO** 2 days **NOSA** 1990 Project planning by CPM 3 days PE Consultant Corporation City and Guilds Statistical Quality Control qualification 1990/1 Rubber Technology course Pretoria Technikon 6 months - Part time

**1991**Registered SABS Quality System Auditor (Number A0112)

1992

Registered SABS Quality System Senior Auditor (Number LA0112)

Registered SACCQA Lead Auditor to ISO 9001 (Number 0116)

Registered SABS 0259 (ISO Guide 25) Laboratory Accreditation Auditor (Number TLA0112)

Quality costing One week SABS

1995

Microsoft Access Beginners One week F Systems Technology

Auditor Mentors course 3 days SABS

1996

Louis Allen Management Two weeks SABS/Louis Allen

1997

ISO 14 000 Environmental One week Arthur D. Little/SABS

**Management Systems** 

1999

Registered SAACTA Verifying Auditor (Number 006)

HACCP Food Safety 2 days Camden & Chorleywood/CSIR

ISO 14001 Legal Requirements One week Africa Enviro. Solutions & SABS

ISO GUIDE 25 - Medical

Laboratory Accreditation ISO 17025 One week SANAS

2000

Registered SAATCA EMS lead auditor (Number EMS 001)

ISO 9001: 2000 Bridging 2 days SABS

Mass Calibration 2 days NML/CSIR

2001

Interpretation of ISO 17025 I day SANAS

2003

ISO 9001: 2000 and process mapping to

SANS 100555 2 days SABS/Alastair Walker

2005

Process mapping & auditing 1 day Rod Duarte, DCI

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YEAR COURSE/QUALIFICATION DURATION PRESENTER/PROVIDER

2006

OHSAS 18001- Understanding 1 day InVeritas Academy (IGH GROUP)

ISO 17021:2006 1 Day **SANAS** 

2007

Statistical Method Validation 3 days Prof de Beer

2008

OHSAS 18001- bridging to 2007 1 day SABS

DOE/UNFCCC requirements PWC (Combined with review) 2 Days

2009

ISO/IEC 17024 D.I. Muir ½ day

2010

UNIDO and CSIR (Gershwin McLuur) Introduction to Energy Management ½ day Carbon Check (UNFCCC DOE)

Cleaner Development CDM Basics and Methodologies 1day1

**Energy Management Expert** 

(including ISO 50001) 14 month programme UNIDO and NCPC (Wynand van der Merwe) Conduct Outcomes based assessment 4 days H.E.A.T Solutions (Services SETA arrangement)

**New Companies Act** SAATCA workshop **Governance for Directors** ⅓ day ABI (DuArte) Governance for Directors - Role of Chair ABI (DuArte) ⅓ day

2012

3 days ) UNIDO Energy / ISO 50001 Expert exam **Energy management** 

**OHS** Legislation update SAATCA workshop ⅓ day

ISO/IEC 17024:2012 3 days ISO

Introduction to steam optimization 1 day UNIDO/NCPC-SA ISO 50001 Lead Auditor 5 days UNIDO/NCPC (SAATCA)

2013

Compressor system optimization 2 day UNIDO/NCPC-SA

"Train the trainer" on Energy Management System 2 days UNIDO/NCPC-SA Introduction to fan system optimization UNIDO/NCPC-SA 1 day

2015

Life Cycle Management, Assessment & Water Foot printing

3 days CSIR NCPC-SA UNIDO/NCPC-SA Electric Motor system optimization 2 day

2016

ISO 9001:2015 and ISO 14001: 2015 **SAATCA Registration** 

ETDP-SETA Facilitate Learning Unit Standard 117871

2017

Certificate EnMS Improvement of energy performance 1 day **TUV SUD** 

2018

ETDP-SETA Conduct Outcomes based assessments and Facilitate Learning Unit Standard

ISO 45001 Occupational Health & Safety MS 1 day BSI ISO 223012012 Business Continuity Management 1 day BSI

2019

Certificate W da Cruz EnMS Revision ISO 50001 2018 1day **TUV SUD** Resource Efficiency RECP Expert Certificate NCPC 4-day

(Full CPD Log available upon request)

Language Proficiency: English and Afrikaans.

**Driver's License** Code 08 held, with no endorsements.

#### Ε SPORTS, HOBBIES AND INTERESTS

Road running, including several Comrades marathons.

Swimming, including many Midmar Mile swims.

Travel and adventure, including climbing mount Kilimanjaro, once-off parachuting and snow skiing.

Horse and motorbike riding

Reading.

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