

Auditor Credentials Form

Facility Audited: Golden Star Wassa Gold Mine, Ghana

Date: - 16th – 21st April 2023

Lead Auditor Credentials

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Minimum experience: 3 audits in past 7 years as Lead Auditor

Year	Type of Facility, Type of Audit Led	Country & State/Province
1991 to 2007 – 111 audits (Audit logs held by Exemplar Global & ICMI)	Chemicals, manufacturing, oil and gas, mining (gold, coal, chrome), foods, and heavy industry sectors. EMS, Compliance, Environmental Due Diligence, HSEC, SHE audits. Lead Auditor in 81 audits.	South Africa, Botswana, Mozambique, Mali, Namibia, Ghana
ICMI Lead Auditor, Production and Mining Technical Auditor		
2006	ICMI Cyanide Code Compliance Audits: Lead Auditor *Sasol Polymers Cyanide Plants 1 & 2 and Storage Areas (Production) *Sasol SiLog (Transportation)	South Africa South Africa
2007	ICMI Cyanide Code Compliance Audits: Lead Auditor *AngloGold Ashanti West Gold Plant *AngloGold Ashanti East Gold Acid Float Plant *AngloGold Ashanti Noligwa Gold Plant *AngloGold Ashanti Kopanang Gold Plant *AngloGold Ashanti Savuka Gold Plant *AngloGold Ashanti Mponeng Gold Plant	South Africa South Africa South Africa South Africa South Africa South Africa
2007	ICMI Cyanide Code Gap Analyses: Lead Auditor *Goldfields Tarkwa Gold Mine *Goldfields Abusso Damang Mine *Goldfields South Deep Gold Mine	Ghana Ghana South Africa

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Goldfields Beatrix 1 Gold Mine *Goldfields Beatrix 2 Gold Mine *Goldfields Driefontein No 1Gold Mine *Goldfields Kloof No 1 Gold Mine *Goldfields Kloof No 2 Gold Mine *Goldfields Driefontein No 2Gold Mine *Goldfields Driefontein No 3 Gold Mine *Goldfields St Ives Gold Mine *Goldfields Agnew Gold Mine * Harmony No 1 Gold Plant *AngloGold Ashanti Africa – Morila Gold Mine * AngloGold Ashanti Africa – Sadiola & Yatela Gold Mines 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> South Africa South Africa South Africa South Africa South Africa South Africa South Africa Australia Australia South Africa Mali Mali
2008	<p>ICMI Cyanide Code Compliance Audits: Lead Auditor</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Goldfields Tarkwa Gold Mine *Goldfields Abusso Damang Mine *Vehrad Transport & Haulage * Goldfields South Deep Gold Mine * Goldfields Beatrix Gold Mine *Goldfields Driefontein Gold Mine * Goldfields St Ives Gold Mine * Goldfields Agnew Gold Mine * Goldfields Kloof Gold Mine * AngloGold Ashanti Africa – Siguiri Gold Mine * AngloGold Ashanti Africa – Yatela Gold Mine 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ghana Ghana Ghana South Africa South Africa South Africa Australia Australia South Africa Guinea Mali
2008	<p>ICMI Cyanide Code Gap Analyses: Lead Auditor</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *AngloGold Ashanti Africa – Navachab Gold Mine *AngloGold Ashanti Africa – Gaita Gold Mine *Harmony Doornkop Gold Mine *AngloGold Ashanti Africa – Iduapriem Gold Mine *AngloGold Ashanti Africa – Siguiri Gold Mine *Harmony Central Gold Mine *Harmony Kalgold Gold Mine *Harmony Evander Gold Mine *Harmony Target Gold Mine *Harmony Saaiplaas Gold Mine 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Namibia Tanzania South Africa Ghana Guinea South Africa South Africa South Africa South Africa South Africa
2009	<p>ICMI Cyanide Code Compliance Audits: Lead Auditor</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Sasol Polymers Cyanide Plants 1 & 2 and Storage Areas (Production) *Sasol SiLog (Transportation) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> South Africa South Africa

2010	<p>ICMI Cyanide Code Compliance Audits: Lead Auditor</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Harmony Elandsrand Gold Plant *Harmony No 1 Gold Plant *Harmony Target Gold Plant *Harmony Central Gold Plant *Harmony Saaiplaas Gold Plant *Harmony Evander-Kinross Gold Plant *Harmony Doornkop Gold Plant *AngloGold Ashanti Kopanang Gold Plant *AngloGold Ashanti East Gold Acid and Float (EGAF) Gold Plant *AngloGold Ashanti Mponeng Gold Plant *AngloGold Ashanti Savuka Gold Plant *AngloGold Ashanti Noligwa Gold Plant 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> South Africa South Africa South Africa South Africa South Africa South Africa South Africa South Africa South Africa South Africa South Africa South Africa
2011	<p>ICMI Cyanide Code Compliance Audits: Lead Auditor</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Newmont Ghana Ahafo Gold Mine * Vehrad Transport & Haulage *Gold Fields Ghana Damang Gold Mine *Gold Fields Ghana Tarkwa Gold Mine *African Barrick Tulawaka Gold Mine * Tanker Services (Transportation) * Gold Fields South Deep Gold Mine * Gold Fields Beatrix Gold Mine 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ghana Ghana Ghana Ghana Tanzania South Africa South Africa South Africa
2012	<p>ICMI Cyanide Code Compliance Audits: Lead Auditor</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *African Barrick Gold Bulyanhulu Mine *Gold Fields Driefontein (KDC)Gold Mine *Gold Fields St Ives Gold Mine *Gold Fields Agnew Gold Mine *African Gold Barrick North Mara Gold Mine *AngloGold Ashanti Yatela Gold Mine *AngloGold Ashanti Sadiola Gold Mine 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Tanzania South Africa Australia Australia Tanzania Mali Mali
2013	<p>ICMI Cyanide Code Compliance Audits: Lead Auditor</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *AngloGold Ashanti Siguiri Gold Mine *African Barrick Gold Buzwagi Gold Mine *AngloGold Ashanti Navachab Gold Mine *Harmony Joel Gold Mine *Harmony Evander Gold Mine *Harmony Kusasaletu Gold Mine *Harmony One Plant *Harmony Target Gold Mine *Harmony Saaiplaas Gold Plant 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Guinea Tanzania Namibia South Africa South Africa South Africa South Africa South Africa South Africa

2014	<p>*Harmony Central Gold Plant *Harmony Doornkop Gold Mine *AngloGold Ashanti Obuasi Gold Mine</p> <p>ICMI Cyanide Code Compliance Audits: Lead Auditor *Newmont Ahafo Gold Mine *Vehrad Transport & Haulage (Production) *Ma'Aden Gold & Base Metals (Consignor/Transporter) *Ma'Aden Gold & Base Metals Al Amar Gold Mine *Newmont Akyem Gold Mine</p>	<p>South Africa South Africa</p> <p>Ghana Ghana Ghana Saudi Arabia Saudi Arabia Ghana</p>
2015	<p>ICMI Cyanide Code Compliance Audits: Lead Auditor (and/or Production Auditor) *Acacia Bulyanhulu Gold Mine *Sasol SA Cyanide 1 & 2 (Production) *AngloGold Ashanti Iduapriem Gold Mine</p>	<p>Tanzania South Africa Ghana</p>
2016	<p>ICMI Cyanide Code Compliance Audits: Lead Auditor *AngloGold Ashanti Geita Gold Mine *Acacia North Mara Gold Mine *Harmony Joel God Mine</p>	<p>Tanzania Tanzania South Africa</p>
2017	<p>ICMI Cyanide Code Compliance Audits: Lead Auditor *AngloGold Ashanti Noligwa Gold Plant *AngloGold Ashanti West Gold Plant *AngloGold Ashanti Kopanang Gold Plant *AngloGold Ashanti Mponeng Gold Plant *AngloGold Ashanti Savuka Gold Plant *Acacia Buzwagi Gold Plant *Vehrad Transport & Haulage Company (Transport) *Vehrad Transport & Haulage Company (Production) *Ma'aden Gold and Base Metals (Consignor/Transporter)</p>	<p>South Africa South Africa South Africa South Africa South Africa Tanzania Ghana Ghana Saudi Arabia</p>
2018	<p>ICMI Cyanide Code Compliance Audits: Lead Auditor *Newmont Akyem Gold Mine *MBH Bulk Haulers, (Pre-operational Transporter) *Sasol SA Cyanide 1 & 2 (Production)</p>	<p>Ghana South Africa South Africa</p>
2019	<p>ICMI Cyanide Code Compliance Audits: Lead Auditor</p>	

2020	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> *AngloGold Ashanti Iduapriem Gold Mine *AngloGold Ashanti Sadiola Gold Mine *AngloGold Ashanti Siguiri Gold Mine *AngloGold Ashanti Geita Gold Mine Golden Star Wassa Gold Mine *Ma'aden Mahd Gold Mine *AfriChem Warehouse and Incinerator (Production) <p>ICMI Cyanide Code Compliance Audits: Lead Auditor</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Harmony Noligwa Gold Mine *Bidvest International Logistics (Transporter) *Harmony Target Gold Plant *Harmony No 1 Gold Plant *Lucerne Transport (Pre-Operational Transporter) *Harmony Kusasalethu Gold Plant 	<p>Ghana</p> <p>Mali</p> <p>Guinea</p> <p>Tanzania</p> <p>Ghana</p> <p>Saudi Arabia</p> <p>Ghana</p> <p>South Africa</p> <p>South Africa)</p> <p>South Africa</p> <p>South Africa</p> <p>South Africa</p> <p>South Africa</p>
2021	<p>ICMI Cyanide Code Compliance Audits: Lead Auditor</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Harmony Central Gold Plant *Evander Gold Mine Kinross Gold Plant *EGM Elikhulu Tailings Retreatment Plant *Vehrad Transport & Haulage (Transport) *Wesbank Transport (Transport) *Barrick Loulo Gold Mine *Goldfields South Deep Gold Mine 	<p>South Africa</p> <p>South Africa</p> <p>South Africa</p> <p>Ghana</p> <p>Namibia</p> <p>Mali</p> <p>South Africa</p>
2022	<p>ICMI Cyanide Code Compliance Audits: Lead Auditor</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Barrick Bulyanhulu Gold Mine SEMOS Sadiola Gold Mine 	<p>Tanzania</p> <p>Mali</p>
2023	<p>ICMI Cyanide Code Compliance Audits: Lead Auditor</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> AngloGold Ashanti Siguiri Gold Mine (and Mining Auditor) Harmony Mponeng Gold Mine Harmony Savuka Gold Mine 	<p>Guinea</p> <p>South Africa</p> <p>South Africa</p>

Cyanide-related Operations Experience

Each auditor must have at least 3 years; at least one auditor must have at least 7 years' experience

Auditor	Yrs.	Relevant Position Titles	Types of Operations
Dawie Viljoen Mining Auditor Production Auditor	46	2023	ICMI Cyanide Code Compliance Audits : Technical Auditor AngloGold Ashanti Siguiri Gold Mine Harmony Mponeng Gold Mine Harmony Savuka Gold Mine
		2022	ICMI Cyanide Code Compliance

			<p>Audits : Technical Auditor Barrick Bulyanhulu Gold Mine</p>
		2021	<p>ICMI Cyanide Code Compliance Audits : Technical Auditor *Harmony Central Gold Plant * Evander Gold Mine Kinross Gold Plant *Elikhulu Tailings Retreatment Plant *Barrick Loulo Gold Mine * Goldfields South Deep Gold Mine</p>
		2020	<p>ICMI Cyanide Code Compliance Audits : Technical Auditor *Harmony Noligwa Gold Mine *Harmony Target Gold Plant *Harmony No 1 Gold Plant *Harmony Kusasalethu Gold Plant</p>
		2019	<p>ICMI Cyanide Code Compliance Audits : Technical Auditor *AngloGold Ashanti Iduapriem Gold Mine *AngloGold Ashanti Sadiola Gold Mine *AngloGold Ashanti Siguiri Gold Mine *AngloGold Ashanti Geita Gold Mine *Golden Star Wassa Gold Mine *Ma'aden Mahd Gold Mine</p>
		2018	<p>ICMI Cyanide Code Compliance Audits : Technical Auditor *Newmont Akyem Gold Mine * Sasol SA Cyanide 1 & 2 (Production)</p>
		2017	<p>ICMI Cyanide Code Compliance Audits : Technical Auditor *AngloGold Ashanti Noligwa Gold Plant *AngloGold Ashanti West Gold Plant *AngloGold Ashanti Kopanang Gold Plant *AngloGold Ashanti Mponeng Gold Plant *AngloGold Ashanti Savuka Gold Plant *Acacia Buzwagi Gold Mine</p>
		2016	<p>ICMI Cyanide Code Compliance Audits : Technical Auditor *AngloGold Ashanti Geita Gold Mine *Acacia North Mara Gold Mine *Harmony Joel Gold Mine</p>
		2015	<p>ICMI Cyanide Code Compliance Audits : Technical Auditor *AngloGold Ashanti Iduapriem Gold</p>

			<p>Mine</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Acacia Bulyanhulu Gold Mine * Ma’aden Gold and Base Metals Bulgah Gold Mine
		2014	<p>ICMI Cyanide Code Compliance Audits : Technical Auditor</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Newmont Ahafo Gold Mine *Ma’aden (MGBM)Al Amar Gold Mine *Newmont Akyem Gold Mine
		2013	<p>ICMI Cyanide Code Compliance Audits: Technical Auditor</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *AngloGold Ashanti Obuasi Gold Mine *Harmony Doornkop Gold Mine *Harmony Central Gold Plant *Harmony Saaiplaas Gold Plant *Harmony Target Gold Mine *Harmony One Plant *Harmony Kusasalethu Gold Mine *Harmony Evander Gold Mine *Harmony Joel Gold Mine *AngloGold Ashanti Navachab Gold Mine *African Barrick Gold Buzwagi Gold Mine *AngloGold Ashanti Siguiri Gold Mine
		2012	<p>ICMI Cyanide Code Compliance Audits: Technical Auditor</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *AngloGold Ashanti Sadiola Gold Mine * AngloGold Ashanti Yatela Gold Mine *African Barrick Gold Bulyanhulu Mine *Gold Fields Driefontein (KDC) Gold Mine *Gold Fields St Ives Gold Mine *Gold Fields Agnew Gold Mine *African Gold Barrick North Mara Gold Mine
		2011	<p>ICMI Cyanide Code Compliance Audits : Technical Auditor</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Newmont Ghana Ahafo Gold Mine *Gold Fields Ghana Tarkwa Gold Mine *Gold Fields Ghana Damang Gold Mine *African Barrick Tulawaka Gold Mine *Gold Fields South Deep Gold Mine *Gold Fields Beatrix Gold Mine
		2010	<p>ICMI Cyanide Code Compliance Audits: Technical Auditor</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Harmony Elandsrand Gold Plant *Harmony No 1 Gold Plant *Harmony Target Gold Plant *Harmony Central Gold Plant *Harmony Saaiplaas Gold Plant



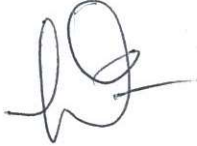
			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Harmony Evander-Kinross Gold Plant *Harmony Doornkop Gold Plant *AngloGold Ashanti Kopanang Gold Plant *AngloGold Ashanti East Gold Acid and Float (EGAF) Gold Plant *AngloGold Ashanti Mponeng Gold Plant *AngloGold Ashanti Savuka Gold Plant *AngloGold Ashanti Noligwa Gold Plant *Newmont Ghana Ahafo Gold Mine
		2009	<p>ICMI Cyanide Code Compliance Audits : Technical Auditor</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Sasol Polymers Cyanide Plants 1 & 2 and Storage Areas (Production) *Sasol SiLog (Transportation)
		2008	<p>ICMI Cyanide Code Compliance Audits: Technical Auditor</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Goldfields Tarkwa Gold Mine *Goldfields Abusso Damang Mine * Goldfields South Deep Gold Mine * Goldfields Beatrix 2 Gold Mine * Goldfields Beatrix 1 Gold Mine * Goldfields Driefontein 1 Gold Mine * Goldfields Driefontein 2 Gold Mine * Goldfields Driefontein 3 Gold Mine * Goldfields St Ives Gold Mine * Goldfields Agnew Gold Mine * Goldfields Kloof 1 Gold Mine * Goldfields Kloof 2 Gold Mine
		2008	<p>ICMI Cyanide Code Gap Analyses: Technical Auditor</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *AngloGold Ashanti Africa – Navachab Gold Mine *AngloGold Ashanti Africa – Geita Gold Mine *Harmony Doornkop Gold Mine *AngloGold Ashanti Africa – Iduapriem Gold Mine *AngloGold Ashanti Africa – Siguiiri Gold Mine *Harmony Central Gold Mine *Harmony Kalgold Gold Mine *Harmony Evander Gold Mine *Harmony Target Gold Mine *Harmony Saaiplaas Gold Mine
		2007	<p>ICMI Cyanide Code Compliance Audits: Technical Auditor</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *AngloGold Ashanti West Gold Plant *AngloGold Ashanti East Gold Acid Float Plant

		<p>*AngloGold Ashanti Noligwa Gold Plant</p> <p>*AngloGold Ashanti Kopanang Gold Plant</p> <p>*AngloGold Ashanti Savuka Gold Plant</p> <p>*AngloGold Ashanti Mponeng Gold Plant</p> <p>2007</p> <p>ICMI Cyanide Code Gap Analyses:</p> <p>Technical Auditor</p> <p>*Goldfields Tarkwa Gold Mine</p> <p>*Goldfields Abusso Damang Mine</p> <p>*Goldfields South Deep Gold Mine</p> <p>*Goldfields Beatrix 1 Gold Mine</p> <p>*Goldfields Beatrix 2 Gold Mine</p> <p>*Goldfields Driefontein No 1 Gold Mine</p> <p>*Goldfields Kloof No 1 Gold Mine</p> <p>*Goldfields Kloof No 2 Gold Mine</p> <p>*Goldfields Driefontein No 2 Gold Mine</p> <p>*Goldfields Driefontein No 3 Gold Mine</p> <p>*Goldfields St Ives Gold Mine</p> <p>*Goldfields Agnew Gold Mine</p> <p>* Harmony No 1 Gold Plant</p> <p>*AngloGold Ashanti Africa – Morila Gold Mine</p> <p>* AngloGold Ashanti Africa – Sadiola & Yatela Gold Mines</p>
		<p>2006</p> <p>*AngloGold Ashanti West Gold Plant</p> <p>*AngloGold Ashanti East Gold Acid Float Plant</p> <p>*AngloGold Ashanti Noligwa Gold Plant</p> <p>*AngloGold Ashanti Kopanang Gold Plant</p> <p>*AngloGold Ashanti Savuka Gold Plant</p> <p>*AngloGold Ashanti Mponeng Gold Plant</p>
		<p>2000 to 2007</p> <p>Managing Member Afritech Technical and Management services</p>
		<p>1997 - 2000</p> <p>Manager: AngloGold Ashanti Metallurgical Technical Services</p>
		<p>1995 - 1997</p> <p>Metallurgical Manager: Vaal Reefs Exploration and Mining Company</p>
		<p>1990 - 1995</p> <p>Project Metallurgist: Vaal Reefs Exploration and Mining Company Projects</p>
		<p>1987 – 1990</p> <p>Plant Manager: Vaal Reef Exploration</p>

		1980- 1985	and Mining Company Production Superintendent Anglo American
		1977 - 1980	Snr Plant Metallurgist – Anglo American

Statement of No Conflict

I certify that I have not audited any component of this facility for which I was responsible for design or development; nor have I within the past year been an employee of the facility, its parent company, or associated affiliates. Excluding audits, I have not derived more than 30% of my income within the past 5 years from the facility, its parent, or associated affiliates. I have not participated in more than two consecutive Cyanide Code audits of this facility. I have participated in at least 3 health, safety, and/or environmental audits in the past 7 years and am familiar with standard audit procedures as well as with the protocols developed by the International Cyanide Management Institute for implementation of the Code.

	Name	Signature	Date
Lead Auditor*	Arend Hoogervorst		6/10/2023
Notarised/certified			
Technical Auditor	Dawie Viljoen		Evana Naidoo Commissioner of Oaths Attorney 12 Old Main Road Gillitts Kwazulu Natal 3610 06-10-2023

*The Lead Auditor's signature must be certified by notarization or equivalent