

INTERNATIONAL CYANIDE MANAGEMENT INSTITUTE

Auditor Credentials Form

Facility Audited: Bald Mountain Mine

Dates of audit: November 27th – 30th, 2023

Lead Auditor and Technical Expert Auditor Credentials

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Cyanide Code related audits

Minimum experience: 3 audits in past 7 years in gold mining operations

Tito Campos

Year	Type of Facility, Type of Audit	Country & State/Province
2023	Nevada Gold Mines' Turquoise Ridge Complex. Recertification audit against the Cyanide Code. Lead Auditor for verification audit of compliance with the ICMC. Audit followed ICMI verification protocol.	Nevada, USA
2023	Kinross Bald Mountain Mine. Pre-audit against the Cyanide Code. Lead and Technical Expert Auditor for verification audit of compliance with the ICMC. Audit followed ICMI verification protocol.	Nevada, USA
2023	Antamina Mine. Pre-audit against the Cyanide Code. Lead and Technical Mining Expert Auditor for gap analysis and verification audit for compliance with the ICMC. Audit followed ICMI verification protocol.	Ancash, Peru

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2023	Kinross Gold La Coipa Mine. Pre-audit for recertification against the Cyanide Code. Lead and Technical Mining Expert Auditor for gap analysis and verification audit for compliance with the ICMC. Audit followed ICMI verification protocol.	Copiapo, Chile
2022	Penmont Noche Buena mine. Recertification audit against the Cyanide Code. Lead Auditor for recertification audit for compliance with the ICMC. Audit followed ICMI verification protocol.	Sonora, Mexico
2022	Torex Gold Resources El Limon-Guajes Mine. Pre-audit against the Cyanide Code. Lead Auditor for verification audit for compliance with the ICMC.	Guerrero, Mexico
2022	Penmont La Herradura Dynamic Leaching Plant. Recertification audit against the Cyanide Code. Lead Auditor for recertification audit for compliance with the ICMC. Audit followed ICMI verification protocol.	Sonora, Mexico
2022	Minas Argentinas Gualcamayo Mine. Recertification audit against the Cyanide Code. Lead Auditor for verification audit for compliance with the ICMC. Audit followed ICMI June 2021 verification protocol.	San Juan, Argentina
2022	Agnico Eagle Detour Lake Mine. Pre-audit against the Cyanide Code. Lead Auditor for verification audit for compliance with the ICMC.	Ontario, Canada
2022	Newmont Peñasquito Mine. Recertification audit against the Cyanide Code. Lead Auditor for verification audit for compliance with the ICMC. Audit followed ICMI June 2021 verification protocol.	Zacatecas, Mexico
2022	Equinox Gold Los Filos Mine. Recertification audit against the Cyanide Code. Lead Auditor for verification audit for compliance with the ICMC. Audit followed ICMI June 2021 verification protocol.	Guerrero, Mexico
2022	Golden Queen Soledad Mountain Mine. Recertification audit against the Cyanide Code. Lead Auditor for verification audit for compliance with the ICMC. Audit followed ICMI June 2021 verification protocol.	California, USA
2021	Barrick Veladero Mine. Recertification audit against the Cyanide Code. Lead Auditor for verification audit for	Iglesia, Argentina

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	compliance with the ICMC. Audit followed ICMI June 2021 verification protocol.	
2021	Barrick Veladero Mine. Virtual pre-audit for recertification audit against the Cyanide Code. Lead Auditor for verification audit for compliance with the ICMC. Audit followed ICMI June 2021 verification protocol.	Iglesia, Argentina
2021	Barrick Pierina Mine. Recertification audit against the Cyanide Code. Lead Auditor for verification audit for compliance with the ICMC. Audit followed ICMI verification protocol.	Ancash, Peru
2021	Nevada Gold Mines Phoenix Complex. Recertification audit against the Cyanide Code. Lead Auditor for verification audit for compliance with the ICMC. Audit followed ICMI verification protocol.	Nevada, USA
2021	Calibre Mining El Limon Mine. Pre-audit for certification against the Cyanide Code. Lead and Technical Auditor for gap analysis and verification audit for compliance with the ICMC. Audit followed ICMI verification protocol.	Leon, Nicaragua
2021	Calibre Mining La Libertad Mine. Pre-audit for certification against the Cyanide Code. Lead and Technical Auditor for gap analysis and verification audit for compliance with the ICMC. Audit followed ICMI verification protocol.	Libertad, Nicaragua
2021	Kinross Gold USA Fort Knox Mine. Recertification audit against the Cyanide Code. Lead and Technical Auditor for verification audit for compliance with the ICMC. Audit followed ICMI verification protocol.	Alaska, USA
2021	Penmont La Herradura Mine. Recertification audit against the Cyanide Code. Lead Auditor for recertification audit for compliance with the ICMC. Audit followed ICMI verification protocol.	Sonora, Mexico
2021	Aura Minerals San Andres Mine. Recertification audit against the Cyanide Code. Lead and Technical Auditor for recertification audit for compliance with the ICMC. Audit followed ICMI verification protocol.	Copan, Honduras
2020	Barrick Laguna Norte Mine. Recertification audit against the Cyanide Code. Lead Auditor for recertification audit for compliance with the ICMC. Audit followed ICMI verification	La Libertad, Peru

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	protocol.	
2020	Barrick Pueblo Viejo Mine. Pre-audit for recertification against the Cyanide Code. Lead Auditor for gap analysis and verification audit for compliance with the ICMC. Audit followed ICMI verification protocol.	Sanchez Ramirez, Dominican Republic
2019	Detour Gold Corporation (DGC) Detour Lake Mine. Audit for initial certification against the Cyanide Code. Lead Auditor for verification audit of compliance with the ICMC. Audit followed ICMI verification protocol.	Ontario, Canada
2019	Newmont Goldcorp Cerro Negro Mine. Recertification audit against the Cyanide Code. Technical Auditor for recertification audit for compliance with the ICMC. Audit followed ICMI verification protocol.	Santa Cruz, Argentina
2018	Yamana Gualcamayo Mine. Recertification audit against the Cyanide Code. Lead Auditor for recertification audit for compliance with the ICMC. Audit followed ICMI verification protocol.	San Juan, Argentina
2018	Goldcorp Peñasquito Mine. Recertification audit against the Cyanide Code. Technical Expert Auditor for recertification audit for compliance with the ICMC. Audit followed ICMI verification protocol.	Zacatecas, Mexico
2018	Troy Resources Karouni mine. Pre-audit for recertification against the Cyanide Code. Lead and Technical Mining Expert Auditor for gap analysis and verification audit for compliance with the ICMC. Audit followed ICMI verification protocol.	Guyana
2018	Kinross Gold USA Fort Knox Mine. Recertification audit against the Cyanide Code. Lead Auditor for verification audit for compliance with the ICMC. Audit followed ICMI verification protocol.	Alaska, USA
2017	Barrick Gold Corporation Veladero Mine. Pre-audit for recertification against the Cyanide Code. Technical Mining Expert Auditor for gap analysis and verification audit for compliance with the ICMC. Audit followed ICMI verification protocol.	Iglesia, Argentina
2017	Kinross Gold USA Fort Knox Mine. Pre-audit for recertification against the Cyanide Code. Lead and	Alaska, USA

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2017	Technical Mining Expert Auditor for gap analysis and verification audit for compliance with the ICMC. Audit followed ICMI verification protocol. Newmont Mining Corporation Merian Mine. Audit for initial certification against the Cyanide Code. Technical Mining Expert Auditor for verification audit of compliance with the ICMC. Audit followed ICMI verification protocol.	Suriname
2017	Newmont Mining Corporation Yanacocha Mine. Pre-audit for recertification against the Cyanide Code. Technical Mining Expert Auditor for gap analysis and verification audit for compliance with the ICMC. Audit followed ICMI verification protocol.	Cajamarca, Peru

Cyanide-related Operations Experience

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

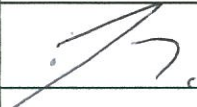

Auditor	Yrs.	Relevant Position Titles	Types of Operations
Tito Campos Forestry Engineer, Environmental and Social Responsibility Expert	28	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • President SmartAccEss Socio-Environmental Consulting • Group Executive Sustainability and External Relations – Newmont Mining • Regional Vice President Environmental and Social Responsibility for South America – Newmont Mining • Environmental Manager – Minera Yanacocha SRL 	<p>Mr. Campos has more than 28 years of international experience in the mining industry at gold and copper mining operations and projects in Peru, Ecuador, Indonesia and United States.</p> <p>Worked for 20 years at Newmont Mining Corporation in the areas of environmental and social responsibility and have held different leadership positions at a site, regional and corporate level. Has technical expertise in environmental matters, including water management, monitoring programs, air quality, closure and reclamation, legal compliance, permitting, development of global standards /</p>

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			<p>procedures, implementation of environmental management systems, technical due diligence evaluations and third-party reviews. In 2007 led the Yanacocha operations team in Peru to achieve cyanide code certification and recertification 3 years later.</p>
<p>Adam House; Metallurgical Engineer and Gold Processing Expert</p>	<p>22</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Senior Metallurgical Engineer – Forte Dynamics • Project Development Manager – Samuel Engineering • Metallurgical Engineer, Specialist – Hatch • Project Manager – Newmont Mining Corp. • General Foreman – Newmont Mining Corp. • Metallurgical Engineer – Newmont Mining Corp. • Metallurgical Technician – Center for Advanced Mineral and Metallurgical Processing 	<p>Mr. House has over 22 years of experience as an accomplished professional in the fields of project management, safety and environmental management, project engineering, process operations, mineral processing and extractive metallurgy, operational readiness, and construction management.</p> <p>Adam is a strong collaborator with excellent communication and technical skills while effectively planning and executing work. He is very driven with a high success rate on a diverse portfolio of projects. His certifications include Project Management Professional (PMP®), MMSA Qualified Professional – Metallurgy / Processing, and Technical Expert Auditor for the International Cyanide Management Code. Adam has experience with projects in the United States, Argentina, Bolivia, Canada, Chile, Mexico, Russia, Turkey, and</p>

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			Kazakhstan.

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.

Signed	Name	Signature	Date
Lead Auditor* and Mining Technical Specialist	Luis (Tito) Campos		December 4 th , 2023
Mining Technical Specialist (Independent Auditor subcontracted to SmartAccEss Socio Environmental Consulting)	Adam House		December 4 th , 2023

*The lead auditor's signature must be certified by notarization or equivalent.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this ____ day of _____ 2023

Notary Public _____

**Please See
Notary Attachment**

CALIFORNIA ALL-PURPOSE CERTIFICATE OF ACKNOWLEDGMENT

A notary public or other officer completing this certificate verifies only the identity of the individual who signed the document to which this certificate is attached, and not the truthfulness, accuracy, or validity of that document.

State of California

County of SAN DIEGO

On 12/04/2023 before me, JAMES B. BOYLE, Notary Public,
(Here insert name and title of the officer)

personally appeared LUIS CAMPOS

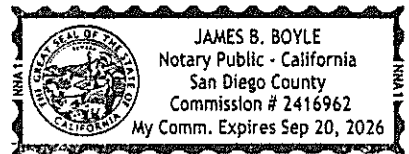
who proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

I certify under PENALTY OF PERJURY under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing paragraph is true and correct.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

James B. Boyle
 Signature of Notary Public

(Notary Seal)



ADDITIONAL OPTIONAL INFORMATION

DESCRIPTION OF THE ATTACHED DOCUMENT

AUDITOR CREDENTIALS FORM
(Title or description of attached document)

(Title or description of attached document continued)

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(Additional information)

CAPACITY CLAIMED BY THE SIGNER

Individual (s)
 Corporate Officer

(Title)

Partner(s)
 Attorney-in-Fact
 Trustee(s)
 Other _____

INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETING THIS FORM

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- State and County information must be the State and County where the document signer(s) personally appeared before the notary public for acknowledgment.
- Date of notarization must be the date that the signer(s) personally appeared which must also be the same date the acknowledgment is completed.
- The notary public must print his or her name as it appears within his or her commission followed by a comma and then your title (notary public).
- Print the name(s) of document signer(s) who personally appear at the time of notarization.
- Indicate the correct singular or plural forms by crossing off incorrect forms (i.e. he/she/they- is /are) or circling the correct forms. Failure to correctly indicate this information may lead to rejection of document recording.
- The notary seal impression must be clear and photographically reproducible. Impression must not cover text or lines. If seal impression smudges, re-seal if a sufficient area permits, otherwise complete a different acknowledgment form.
- Signature of the notary public must match the signature on file with the office of the county clerk.
 - ❖ Additional information is not required but could help to ensure this acknowledgment is not misused or attached to a different document.
 - ❖ Indicate title or type of attached document, number of pages and date.
 - ❖ Indicate the capacity claimed by the signer. If the claimed capacity is a corporate officer, indicate the title (i.e. CEO, CFO, Secretary).
- Securely attach this document to the signed document