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Academic qualifications: BA LLB, MBA (University of Stellenbosch Business School) and a MPhil in Sustainable Development (University of Stellenbosch).

A key focus of my existing work is the development of an integrated Urban Futures programme that will integrate cities related work in the organisation around the FEW nexus. More specifically, I have a specific interest in the impact of RE on cities, and will shortly embark on a three year project that will entail an in-depth investigation of the existing electricity distribution system at municipal level in South Africa is proposed, the impact of privately owned embedded RE on revenue and existing electricity infrastructure, coupled with the development of a workable models for municipalities and recommendations of alternative sources of revenue and funding, working with key partners in this arena

In addition, I both commission and do own research relating to energy policy and infrastructure.