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Consultant, Particip GmbH

Martin is a Dutch development economist active since 1978 mainly as a project economist involved in Cost-Benefit Analysis and feasibility studies. He has been involved in PDD development for CDM projects - for small hydro and biomass - and in the evaluation of proposals for the EU ACP EFU (Energy Facility Unit).



Director of HG
Consulting and
Secretary General of
PANGEA

For more than five years, Meghan has been advising companies and government agencies on biofuel investment and policy in Africa. In 2008, Meghan founded “Partners for Euro-African Green Energy,” a trade association that links African biofuel producers with the European market.



Since 1995 he is fully dedicated to the transfer of Renewable Energy Technologies to South Africa and to Research, Development and Implementation of New Energy projects.

He is a member of African Wind Energy Association, President, South African Wind Energy Association, Founder member, SA German Chamber of Commerce



Executive Director of
ECREEE

Some of Mahama's achievements include the creation of the West African Gas Pipeline Project, the founding of the West African Power Pool and the regional electricity regulation authority. Moreover he was involved in the establishment of the regional program on access to energy services and the creation of ECREEE.



Director PIPAL (Kenya)

Sue often focuses on large scale project launch and realignment, diversity, sustainable resource use, and innovation. Sue also manages the DEG Jatropha Support Programme in Eastern Africa and she is also an affiliate director of a new company called African bio crops.



Christophe Yvetot, Head
of UNIDO Brussels
Office

The United Nations Industrial Development Organization (UNIDO) is a specialized agency of the United Nations, aiming to promote and accelerate sustainable industrial development in developing countries.



Director of E+Co Europe

E+Co is an investment company for clean energy enterprises in developing countries. Since 1995 E+Co has invested in 200 enterprises, bringing access to clean and affordable energy to close to 8 million people.

Paul is leading the development of investment instruments and partnerships in Europe, Asia, Africa and Latin America. His primary focus is investor relations and developing investment products to finance E+Co's investment activities.



CEO Renewable Energy
Ventures Ltd. (Kenya)

Joseph is the Founder and C.E.O of Renewable Energy Ventures (K) Ltd., a renewable energy and energy efficiency project development, consulting and advisory firm headquartered in Kenya, with an office the Washington DC Metro area.



International relations at Solaria Energías Renovables

Rafael works in company's internationalization plan in West Africa. He currently is working on building an inclusive business model for a waste management project fueled by biogas in Touba, Senegal, and is managing international tenders of the company.



Founder and President
of Helios France

Helios is a French company active exclusively in Sub Saharan Africa and the Caribbean. The mission of HELIOS ENERGIE is to develop industrial, photovoltaic power plants connected to the grid for national utilities and major power consumers, mainly in a BOOT framework.



Senior Advisor
(Sustainable
Development) at
Novozymes

Charged with identifying and developing opportunities for Novozymes to engage in “Base of the Pyramid” (BoP) markets, using clean biotech solutions to help alleviate poverty in financially sustainable ways.



A subsidiary organ of the Organisation Internationale de la Francophonie (OIF), the IEPG works in the domain of sustainable development of developing francophone countries.

Fatimata Dia Tourré,
Director, Institut de
l'Energie et de
l'Environnement de la
Francophonie
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Senior Investment
Officer, Netherlands
Development Finance
Company (FMO)

FMO invests risk capital in companies and financial institutions in developing countries. FMO's investment portfolio is EUR 3.4 billion, FMO is one of the largest bilateral development banks worldwide.



Head of the Project
Finance and Guarantees
Division of the ACP-IF
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The European Investment Bank (“EIB”) is entrusted with the management of the Facility, endowed with €3,185.5 million risk-bearing revolving fund geared to fostering private sector investment in ACP countries; as well as of grants for the financing of interest rate subsidies worth 400 million, of which up to EUR 40 million can be used to fund project-related technical assistance.



Director, World Future Council Africa and Coordinator, African Renewable Energy Alliance (AREA)

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