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## RESUME

**John Lewis Collins**

### CAREER SUMMARY

Developed surface and underground mining engineering and management skills through working in various metalliferous mines from 1965 to 1979.

Completed postgraduate study at the Royal School of Mines, London during 1979/80.

Managed the mining aspects of their Australian mining portfolio for Shell Metals for ten years as Chief Mining Engineer.

Then appointed as Senior Quality Adviser to introduce Quality Management (including Occupational Health, Safety and environment) principles to Shell's coal mines.

Joined Shell Coal in 1995 as Acland Project Coordinator for the development of a mine and power station at Acland, Queensland.

In March 2000 set up business as a consultant to mining and related industries. Clients include New Hope Australia Coal (project development advice), CSIRO(risk management for autonomous machines), Tarong Energy (evaluation of alternative greenfield minemouth fuel supplies), the University of NSW (expert witness for safety matter), Texas Silver (establish safety management system) and Optimine (wharehousing systems review, Carbones de la Guajira SA, Venezuela).

Completed a Graduate Diploma in Risk Management at the University of Qld in 2003.

### KEY STRENGTHS

- Extensive experience and knowledge of the coal and metalliferous mining industries.
- Proven excellent management skills.
- Demonstrated ability to achieve high standard of Occupational Health and Safety in operations and apply the principles of a Safety Management System.
- Sound understanding of the Australian Standard and legislation governing Occupational Health and Safety.
- High degree of flexibility over a large range of tasks.
- Recognised outstanding ability to work within and lead teams.
- Good oral and written skills.
- High-level computer skills including familiarity with technical packages.

**PERSONAL DETAILS**

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**EDUCATION** University of NSW, Bachelor of Engineering, Mining  
(Hons II), 1965  
DIC, MSc(Lon) Mineral Production Management,  
Imperial College, London (RTZ Bursary) 1980  
Grad Diploma Risk Management (UQ) 2003

**OTHER QUALIFICATIONS** First Class Metalliferous Mine Managers Certificate for  
NSW, Qld, Tas, SA, and NT.  
Quality Assurance Auditor.  
Australian Quality Award Assessor.  
Shell Group Safety Auditor.  
St John Advanced First Aid Certificate.

**PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS** Fellow of Australian Institute of Mining and  
Metallurgy,  
Past Secretary SouthernQueensland branch, AusIMM  
Past Chair Mining Engineering Society  
Member Management Committee IMPC 2010