



Jean Bernard

❖ **Curriculum Vitae** “senior 40 years of experience”

- **Operations Manager/Contract Manager /Contract administrator/**
- **Construction Claims Advisor/Quantity Surveyor**

Nationality: French/British (dual nationality)

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Highly experienced with extensive experience in senior positions on a number of very large projects including rail, commercial complexes, nuclear projects, hospitals, military barracks, industrial plants, hotels, civil engineering works, and residential complexes.

<http://www.migservices.org/index.html>

Qualifications

Diploma in Quantity Surveying University of Western Sydney School of Engineering, NSW, Australia 1962-1966 Areas of Expertise- disciplines in Engineering Buildings and Civil Works Engineer avec option Genie civil follow up formation complete par correspondance sanctioned by a Certificate 2003 Health & Safety Executive Asbestos License No 2030304758

Areas of Expertise and Competence

- Petrochemical Industry-Oil & Gas, Mining and Construction- Nuclear Civil works
Construction-Buildings-Water & irrigation projects-Tunnelling projects- Roadwork-
Asbestos removal-Transport
- signalling

Competence Fields

Construction Dispute/Contract Administrator/ Contract Manager/Quantity Surveying
Operations Manager (Director of UK Division)
Civil engineer follows up contracts

Leadership skills and Senior Management experience:

- Supervising and coordinating subcontractors on site
 - Propose strategies and solutions to the Project(s) Manager(s) contractual issues.
 - Monitoring project events - permanent challenge to identify deviations, Variation Orders, and to claim for Extension of Time
 - Monitor the fulfillment of obligations towards/from the Customer/Partners/ Subcontractors.
 - Manage and file relevant contractual documents (letters, mails, minutes) - analyze incoming” documentation and prepare “outgoing” contractual letters for the Project Manager and his team.
 - Exercise a high degree of anticipation - participate in the contractual risk analysis - prepare and keep up to date the claim/counterclaim register for resolving commercial opportunities/risks.
 - At any time be in the position to give to the management the contractual and commercial situation on the Project.
 - Preparing and defending claims.
 - Supporting experts in adjudications/arbitrations/litigations. Assisting employers, contractors or insurers and their legal teams in analyzing and reporting on quantum and contractual claims.
 - Strong commercial and financial acumen
 - Awareness of industry issues
 - Determination to develop and coach junior members of the commercial team
 - Submit in a timely manner applications for payment, and Endeavour to ensure the Client issues payment certificates in accordance with the Contract(s)
 - Provide sound commercial and contractual advice to the Project Manager and other team members Promote a team-working environment
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- **Experimented photographer**, editing files to video-Power Point
 - Photos follow-up of construction sites- Photos for claims files
- Strong numerical and computer skills” **A working knowledge of Microsoft”** Ms Project-Power Point-Excel - Adobe Acrobat 9 Pro

References:

<p>Gardiner & Theobald Fairway Limited</p> <p>John McSheaffrey BSc FRICS ACI Arb-</p> <p>Email : john.mcsheaffrey@gtfairway.com Tel : + 971 (4) 345 4144</p> <p>Gardiner & Theobald Fairway London</p> <p>stephen.ward@gtfairway.com</p> <p>http://www.gtfairway.com</p>	<p>Jean,</p> <p><i>Many thanks for your help. However, as we have now reached agreement as far as we can on these matters, we must stop work on it and limit the fees we charge the client.</i></p> <p><i>For the future, I cannot predict if we will have work for you in the near or long term, but by copy to Stephen I confirm that we were more than satisfied with the work that you did.</i></p> <p><i>C'était un plaisir de travailler avec vous, et j'espère que nous aurions l'opportunité de répéter l'exercice dans l'avenir.</i> <i>Avec salutations cordiales</i></p> <p>John McSheaffrey BSc FRICS ACI A</p>
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- **Leach Group Ltd**

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Work experience-40 Years

- **Freelance From 2006-Up to date “MIG services Ltd”**

2011

Gardiner and Theobald Fairway (Dubai)
Assisting in joint Expert (Quantum) work relating to prolongation and incidental costs claimed by a Contractor against a master developer in Dubai, U.A.E

2010-2011

Project Rocade Nord
Seconded to Leach Group's client Thalès advising on all contractual matters in respect of signalling for the rail system in Algeria

2009-2010

ALSTOM Algeria Position - legal counsel
Seconded to ALSTOM Algeria Tramway Project Oran. The position consists of advising Alstom on all contractual matters in relation to the new tramway system in Oran.

2008-2009

Contract Advisor – Data Systems & Solutions” subsidiary of Rolls-Royce plc.”
Provision of Legal Advice **& claims** preparation for current Nuclear Projects” –IMPACT ETUDES-ECARTS

2007-2008

Provision of QS services to AREVA
➤ OL3 –OLKILUOTO –PROJECT/AREVA-SIEMENS-FINLAND
CLAIM FOR EXTENSION OF TIME AND REIMBURSEMENT OF ADDITIONAL COSTS ARISING FROM DELAYS AND DISRUPTION AT OLKILUOTO 3 NUCLEAR POWER PLANT

2006-2007

Provision of QS services to Mace International Ltd initially in relation to a fit-out project in Paris.
Tour Manhattan Project. »EXXON MOBIL «

Post contract work (Quantity surveying)for a tender in Douala on behalf of Koop Cameroon

1994-2006

Project Officer” Managing Director< UK Division-> MIG Holding LTD

Research and development of News projects
Tenders valuation for new projects<Appel d'offres>
Supervision of sub-contractors
Attend pre start, progress and handover meetings.
Computerized Payments and Progress-Final Account Agreement
Manage the Construction activities in England and France-International and ensure that all safety, quality, planned financial targets and objectives set are met or bettered. Responsible for the commercial management of all framework agreements and resulting contracts, establishing commercial strategy including cost management and leading the management of change control of contracts for programmes or contracts variations. Responsible for the profitability within the Company. Ensuring all site field employees are fully trained in the site projects. Managing field personnel, with excellent planning and leadership skills.

1992-1994

Entreprise Bouygues-

CHALLENGER BC 13-1 Avenue Eugène Freyssinet 78061-SAINTE QUENTIN EN YVELINES-
Employed as Quantity surveyor (Freelance) for during the construction of a new plant factory (Ford volwagen Plant at Setubal-Portugal

1991-1992

EMPLOYEUR

NORTHCROFT-Quantity Surveyor 1 Horse Guard Avenue- SW1 LONDON

Seconded to SPIE BATIGNOLLES Consultant< advise and assistance> for the oil refinery project at Eleme, partnership with CHIODA/Japan
Contract administration and claim

1990-1991

COMANLE/Lawyers RUE DE LA CORRATERIE 1204 GENEVE-SWITZERLAND

Seconded to ITALSTRADE SA 63 Bld d'ANFA- CASABLANCA- MAROC for the water irrigation project in MATMATA-MAROC
drafting final account and setting up a statement claim.

1988-1990

TRANSLINK JOINT VENTURE (TML)-Folkestone

Senior Quantity Surveyor (Mainly subcontractors follow up)

1984-1988

GLASS CONTAINERS Ltd ANDREWS ROAD PO BOX 306 PENRITH NSW AUSTRALIA 2750

Assistant deputy manager on construction project (Plant)

1982-1984

SECHAUD ET METZ-France 28 RUE DE LA REDOUTE FONTENAY AUX ROSES

Seconded to ADGAS concrete rehabilitation Project in ABU DHABI DAS ISLAND

civil engineer Follow up Contracts and subcontractors on site

1975-1982

Entreprise Bouygues- CHALLENGER BC 13-1 Avenue Eugène Freyssinet 78061-SAINT QUENTIN EN YVELINES

Employed as QS & Contract Manager

Refinery Civil Works/ Industrial Plant- - **ABIDJAN-IVORY COAST**

-TAIF PROJECT (MILITARY COMPUND)- **SAOUDI ARABIA**

-DJEDDAH 720 (STOREY BUILDING)- **SAOUDI ARABIA**

-HOSPITAL RIYADH- **SAOUDI ARABIA**

REFINERY VICTORIA- **CAMEROON**

Shiraz-Military compound—**IRAN**

1973-1975

Geni Sider/Division RAZEL Frères- Algérie Route No 12 de Meftah Oued Smar Alger 10^e-Algeria

employed as **Site engineer Follow up Contracts on their project** INDUSTRIAL PLANT CIVIL WORKS-
"GHARDAIA" project

1970-1973

Gove Joint Venture

Senior Quantity surveyor in the Civil and Architectural department of our Gove, Northern Territory Project

1968-1970

CITRA AUSTRALIA 127-131 Macquarie street- SYDNEY-2000-NSW AUSTRALIE

Quantity surveyor

Post and pre contract jobs