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Prof. Dr Qingxiong Weng is an Assistant Professor and Post doctorate researcher of Organization Management in the School of Management, Xi’an Jiaotong University. His PhD (2009) is in Business Administration from the Huazhong University of Science and Technology in China.

He was awarded the Top Excellent Researchers of PhD in Huazhong University of Science and Technology. His primary research interests include vocational psychology, career growth and management, commitment theory, group decision making, and leadership.

Dr Weng is the author or co-author of over 60 journal articles and book chapters. His work has appeared in Journal of Vocational Behavior, Australian Journal of Management, Chinese Management studies, International Journal of Human Resources Development and Management, and so on.

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OBJECTIVE:

A Challenging Position with a Growth-Oriented Organization where my Knowledge and Expertise will have an immediate impact on Corporate Profits and Productivity.

PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY:

Core Competencies In Production Engineering, Production Operations Management, Logistics, Supply Chain Management, Heavy Engineering.

PROFESSIONAL INDUSTRY EXPERIENCE:

Since July’11: Consultant & Faculty at Goa Institute of Management (Contractor On Government Of India National Disaster Management Authority Project)

• Preparation of Disaster Management Planning Measures
• Optimization Systems Implementation For Disaster Planning
• Teaching MBA Students, Publishing Papers in Peer Reviewed Journals

Sept’10- June’11: Consultant & Faculty at IILM India (Worked on Contract Based Project with Aqua Logistics)

• Developed Warehousing Solutions,
Distribution Planning Solutions, Vehicle Routing, Vehicle Load Planning Solutions For Logistics Client: Aqua Logistics
- Teaching MBA Students, Publishing Papers in Peer Reviewed Journals

**Oct’09- Aug’10:** Operations Consultant For Optimal4Software LLC (Distribution Planning & Transportation)
- Developed Solutions For Production Planning & Production Scheduling Problem For Food Manufacturing Client

**Nov ‘08 – Sept’09:** Solutions Engineer at Global Solutions Center, APL Logistics, India. (Planning)
- Implemented Solutions for Capacity Planning, Distribution Planning & Inventory Planning.
- Implemented Optimal Solutions For Manpower, Material Handling Equipment, Vehicles & Warehouse Design

**Jan’08- Oct’08:** Operations Analyst at Global Technologies Inc. (Worked as an Independent Contractor)
- Prepared Business Document For Production Planning & Project Flow Description
- Developed Use Cases and UML Diagramming Methodologies for Business Applications

**Sept’07- Dec’07:** Operations Analyst at Bay Bridge Decision Technologies Inc. (Worked as an Independent Contractor)
- Worked On Strategic Planning & Management in Production & Service Systems

**Jan’ 06 - April’07:** Consultant For Forging Manufacturing Consortium, OH (Worked as an Independent Contractor)
- Strategic Solutions for Facility Location & Facility Layout Problems
- Lean Management Solutions For Production System Design & Cellular Manufacturing System Design
- CAD Solutions For Facility Layout of Mass Production Systems

**Jan’05- Dec’05:** Consultant For Ohio Medical Center, OH (Worked as an Independent Contractor)
- Lean Management Implementation for Hospital Emergency Department

**Nov’99- May’00:** Apprentice in Atlas Copco, India, Ltd.

**EDUCATION:**

- **Masters Degree in Operations, July’07** - Ohio State University, Columbus Ohio.
- **Masters Degree in Operations Management, July’03** - University of South Florida, Tampa, Florida.
- **Bachelors Degree in Production Engineering, July’00** - University of Mumbai, Mumbai, India.
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Dr Pierre Andre Joubert is Head of Department: Human Resource Management, Vaal University of Technology, South Africa. His professional duties are: Managing all aspects of the Department, post-graduate supervision, course development and curriculum development.

QUALIFICATIONS

B Comm. (Industrial Psychology); RAU, 1983;
B Comm (Hons) Industrial Psychology; UNISA, 1987;
M Tech; (Human Resource Management); Vaal University of Technology, 2004
PhD (Industrial Sociology); NWU, 2010.

RESEARCH OUTPUTS

- Author and co-author of three textbooks on Human Resource Development;
- Co-author of articles in accredited journals;
- Presented six papers at national and three papers at international conferences;
- Examined eight Master’s dissertations and one Doctoral thesis for various universities;
- Consulting Editor: International Research Capacity Building Foundation
- Supervisor and co-supervisor of 14 post graduate students;
- Member of EXCO of Faculty Research Committee.
PROFESSIONAL REGISTRATION

- South African Board for People Practice: Master HR Practitioner;
- Institute for People Management: Full member;
- South African Society for Labour Law: Member;
- Southern African Institute of Management Scientists: Member;
- Industrial Relations Association of South Africa: Member.

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- National Chairperson of Human Resource Development Universities Forum of South Africa;
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Research: data mining and intelligent decision.

The main published papers are as follows:


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Dr Kenny B. Siqueira is Researcher at Embrapa Dairy Cattle, Brazil.

EDUCATION:

• Federal University of Viçosa, Viçosa, MG, Brazil
  Department of Agricultural Economics
  Dissertation title: The Dynamics of Farm Milk Price Formation in Brazil
  Chair: Antônio Carvalho Campos

  Food and Resource Economics Department
  Co-chair: Richard L. Kilmer
  Researched new methodologies to analyze milk price in spatially separated markets

Master of Science Degree in Applied Economics - Dec/2003
• Federal University of Viçosa, Viçosa, MG, Brazil (Department of Agricultural Economics)
  Dissertation title: The Feasibility of Implementation of Futures Contracts for Milk in Brazil
  Chair: Carlos Arthur Barbosa da Silva

Bachelor of Science Degree in Food Engineering - May/2002
• Federal University of Viçosa, Viçosa, MG, Brazil

TEACHING EXPERIENCE:

Tenure-track position - June/2008 to June/2009
• Federal Fluminense University in Brazil
**Teaching Assistant** Elements of Statistics (INF 160) - Feb/2002 to Mar/2002
Department of Computer Science of the Federal University of Viçosa

**Teaching Assistant** Agro industrial Projects (TAL 424) - Mar/2003 to June/2003
Department of Food Engineering of the Federal University of Viçosa

**RESEARCH EXPERIENCE:**

**Researcher** - Aug/2009 to now
Brazilian Agricultural Research Corporation - Dairy Cattle Center

**LEADERSHIP & AWARDS:**

*Best National Dissertation in the Agricultural Derivatives category,* awarded by the Brazilian Mercantile & Futures Exchange (BM&F) – 2003

**Administration and Financial Department Director** Student Food Company at Federal University of Viçosa - Aug/1998 to Dec/1999

**MAIN PUBLICATIONS:**


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Stanislav Karapetrović is a Professor of Mechanical Engineering at the University of Alberta in Edmonton, Canada. He has been at the University of Alberta since 2000. He also taught in the Department of Industrial Engineering at Dalhousie University in Halifax, Canada, from 1998 to 2000, and spent his 2005/2006 sabbatical year at the University of Girona in Spain.

Professor Karapetrovic holds a PhD and an MSc from the University of Manitoba in Winnipeg, Canada. He graduated with a Dipl. Ing. degree from the Faculty of Mechanical Engineering at the University of Belgrade, Serbia. Dr. Karapetrovic is a registered professional engineer in Alberta.

Dr. Karapetrovic's research is generally in the field of quality management, and is specifically focused on the auditing and integration of standardized management systems. His widely published and cited research has been funded by government agencies and corporations alike. He is often invited to deliver keynote speeches at overseas conferences, and has received a number of international awards for authored or co-authored research publications. Recently, Professor Karapetrovic was a Guest Editor of a Special Issue on Integrated Management Systems of the TQM Journal (Vol. 22, no. 6, 2010).

Professor Karapetrovic teaches undergraduate and graduate courses in quality and engineering management. He has supervised and co-supervised many masters and doctoral students in quality management.

Dr. Karapetrovic is actively involved in national and international standardization work on quality management. Among other