

Petrina Johannes



Petrina Johannes, a native of Ondangwa, Namibia, spent the first two years of her studies at the University of Namibia pursuing basic engineering. She then transferred to the University of Cape Town, South Africa and completed her Bachelor of Science in engineering. At the University of Cape Town, she was supported by a Namibian Petrofund scholarship.

Upon completion of her bachelor's studies in South Africa, Petrina worked designing bulk infrastructure services for new residential development projects at Lithon Project Consultants. She later took a position at the Road Authority of Namibia. While there, she prepared

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Petrina received an International Fulbright Science and Technology Award in 2008 to further her education in the United States. She is currently a Ph.D. student at the University of Wisconsin-Madison in the Department of Pavement Engineering.