

## **Biography for Charl van Niekerk**

Charl van Niekerk is a project delivery leader with experience in the South African and Canadian Infrastructure sector. He started his career working for a contractor in the heavy industrial construction sector, has been involved in construction supply operations, was the construction manager on a tolled highway PPP concession, and head of development for a land developer. His well-rounded experience gives him insight in the inner workings of private sector suppliers, contractors, concessionaires, owner-developers, and most recently government. Charl currently leads the major projects team at Infrastructure Ontario delivering the Metrolinx RER Alternative Financing and Procurement (AFP) program, and previously lead the highways delivery group.