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Head of Project Development – Harith Fund Managers

Sollie joined Harith Fund Managers in November 2012 as Head of Project Development with the specific responsibility to establish an infrastructure project development entity that will support the early stage preparation and development of infrastructure projects in Africa.

Prior to this Sollie was responsible for selecting, appraising and managing infrastructure equity investments on behalf of Absa Capital, on the African continent, focusing on equity and mezzanine investments in infrastructure concessions, operating companies and service delivery organisations. Sollie also managed Absa Capital's investment in external infrastructure funds, e.g. PAIDF and headed up the Project Finance Infrastructure Division, responsible for debt origination in the PPP, Infrastructure with particular emphasis on PPP initiatives and limited recourse funding as well as for limited recourse transactions in the industrial sector. Earlier in his career, Sollie held the position of Associate Director, Structured and Project Finance at PSG Investment Bank as well as Assistant General Manager for four years at Nedcor Investment Bank in the Public Sector Project & Structured Finance Division.

From 1981 to 1995, Sollie was employed as General Manager, Development Bank of Southern Africa responsible for all project funding activities in Northern and Eastern Regions of S.A and funding in Southern Africa. Sollie holds M.Com; T.H.O.D and CAIB qualifications.