# ARCHIBALD WISHARD ROHDE

#### Assistant lecturer

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# **WORK EXPERIENCE**

## Assistant Lecturer

 Employed for three years as an assistant lecturer by the University of Pretoria for the modules ENE310 and ERS220.

## Forschungsstudent (Student Researcher)

· Research work in NMR spectroscopy of 3D printed resin structures at the Karlsruhe Institute of Technology (KIT).

## Course Developer: Sensor School

• Played a key role in the development of the "University of Pretoria Sensor School" course, a free resource for lesser privileged high school children, as part of a non-profit drive by the Carl and Emily Fuchs Institute for Microelectronics.

#### Research Intern

- Worked as part of the LCVD group at the Carl and Emily Fuchs Institute for Microelectronics in February 2021.
- Tasked with circuit design.
- Gained skills in group work and research.

## **Engineering Intern**

- I was employed as an engineering intern at RapidM in January 2020 and June 2019.
- Formed part of the tactical division and was tasked with implementation of test procedures on HF radio modems.
- Gained knowledge of production and testing procedures for engineering products.

#### Stage manager

- I was employed part time as a stage manager for the Choral Celebration Network Foundation in 2019 and 2020.
- Management of backstage activity for choir concerts. This included, but was not limited to: managing choir movement, setting up venues and making sure performances and rehearsals ran according to schedule.
- Gained skills in people management.

## **University Tutor**

 I was employed part time as the ERS220 (Digital Systems) tutor for the ISFAP program at the University of Pretoria in 2019.

## **ABOUT**

I am a microelectronics engineer who specialises in gas sensing, RF and microwave engineering, additive manufacturing and printed electronics. I am employed as an assistant lecturer at the University of Pretoria while completeing a PhD in Electronic Engineering. I am a hardworking individual, I work exceptionally well in teams and I love learning.

## **PUBLICATIONS**

Insecticide Monitoring in Cattle Dip with an E-Nose System and Room Temperature Screen-Printed ZnO Gas Sensors

**MDPI** Agriculture

₩ July 2023

A Portable e-nose for Monitoring Amitraz Insecticide in Cattle Dip

**IEEE Africon 2021** 

Esptember 2021

## **EDUCATION**

MEng Microelectronics Cum Laude 77%

**University of Pretoria** 

**2022 - 2023** 

BEng Microelectronics (Hons) 73.75%

**University of Pretoria** 

**#** 2021

BEng Electronic

**University of Pretoria** 

**#** 2017 - 2020

# LANGUAGES

M English



Afrikaans



German





# **ACHIEVEMENTS / INTERESTS**

# Pan-African Innovation Competition: Low Cost Instruments and Entrepreneurship for Development

#### **Finalist**

**#** 2021

Finalist in an international innovation competition.

#### **IEEE**

#### **Student Member**

Member of technical society.

## **University of Pretoria TUKS Camerata**

#### **SRC** member

**2018** 

Communication and Membership portfolio in TUKS Camerata SRC.

## **University of Pretoria TUKS Camerata**

#### Chorister

Participation in an award winning choir. Gold medalists and winners at the world choir games Riga 2017.

## **TIMELINE**

## University of Pretoria

#### **Assistant Lecturer**

Since February 2021

# Karlsruhe Institute of Technology (KIT)

#### Forschungsstudent Student Researcher)

Movember 2022 - February 2023

## University of Pretoria

**Course Developer: Sensor School** 

## University of Pretoria

#### **Research Assistant**

## February 2021 - March 2021

## RapidM

## **Engineering Intern**

mary 2020 & June 2019

## **CCNF**

## Stage Manager

🗎 February 2019 - February 2020

# **REFERENCES**

#### **Prof. Tinus Stander**

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## Prof. T-H Joubert

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