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Senior Consultant

Tyrell has worked in Finance, Administration and Logistics. Tyrell has practical experience in front line management, budget preparation, resource planning and production planning. He has also owned and managed a variety of business.

Tyrell has been involved in organisational change programs in Australia, South East Asia and South Africa. Over the last 25 years in management he has worked in communication, wholesale and distribution, food, transport and logistics, import, retail, mining, rail and shipping industries. Tyrell is able to communicate with key stakeholders from Board Level to the Operational floor to develop and deliver sustainable outcomes.

Expertise

- ◆ Management Operating System
- ◆ Operational Improvement
- ◆ Analysis & Review
- ◆ Project Management

Education & Qualification

- ◆ Associate Dip. Business and Programming
- ◆ Short courses:
 - Access/Word/Excel
 - TQM
 - Quality Analyst
 - Microsoft LAN Manager Network Administrator
 - Productivity, Costs & Profit
 - Industrial Engineering

Clients and Projects

Following are three examples of recent projects:

- ◆ **Xstrata /Glencore** – Implemented MOS across all Queensland and most NSW underground operations. Created and implemented management systems that resulted levels of cohesion not previously enjoyed by these mines. This involved extensive coaching of middle management on detailed and high level planning. Developed and implemented a root cause analysis (RCA) process that harnessed the expertise of trade’s staff resulting in a significant reduction in production delays and waste. Trained senior management, middle management, front line managers and trades staff in the use of RCA methods.
- ◆ **Anglo American** – Developed and implemented MOS in coal mining operations resulting in improvements in productivity and increased output. The success of the initial project resulted in the rollout of MOS across Anglo American’s other mines in Australia and South Africa.
- ◆ **Kumba Group (South Africa)** – Working with the client’s internal business improvement team and the mine management installed a PMO to bring together the projects and learning for 3 iron ore mines in the group.

Other clients include:

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| ◆ New Zealand Post | ◆ South32 |
| ◆ Thoresen Shipping | ◆ Atlas Iron |
| ◆ Startrack Express | ◆ QR National |
| ◆ Tas Racing | ◆ Centennial Coal |