

CURRICULUM VITAE

FRANCOIS GROEPE

SUNDRY INFORMATION

EDUCATION

Tertiary

- 1998 Post Graduate Diploma in Tax Law – **University of Cape Town**
- 1996 Masters of Business Administration (cum laude) **University of Stellenbosch Business School**
- 1992 Qualifying examination of CIMA
- Admitted Associate member - ACMA (1996)
- 1991 Honours B. Com (Management Accounting) – **University of Stellenbosch**
- 1990 B. Com, Management Accounting – **University of Stellenbosch**

WORK EXPERIENCE:

- 2003 – Present **Media24**
Chief Financial Officer
Function responsibilities include finance, tax, internal audit and risk management, property management, financial systems, information security, and business continuity planning. Trustee of the medical scheme and various pension funds. Further serve on a number of the subsidiary company Boards.
- 1995 – 2003 **Swiss Reinsurance Group**
- 2002 – 2003 **Senior Group Controller (based in Zurich, Switzerland)**

1999 – 2002	SRL & H SA Chief Financial Officer Responsible for finance, tax, internal control – subsequently assumed management control of the administration function, and later of the corporate actuarial function. Fulfilled the role of company secretary and public officer. Served as a member of the investments committee, trustee of the pension fund, trustee of the medical aid fund, public officer of the M&G Medical Aid fund, director of subsidiaries. Gained valued experience in SA, US GAAP and Swiss GAAP reporting as well as insurance taxation in particular S29 and S29A.
1998 – 1999	Financial Manager (SRL & H SA)
1997 – 1998	Tax Manager (SRL & H SA)
1995 – 1997	Management Accountant (SRL & H SA)
1992 – 1995	Aglovaal Group
1995	Senior Internal Auditor (Irvin & Johnson Ltd)
1993 – 1995	Internal Auditor (Anglovaal)
1992 – 1993	Assistant Internal Auditor (Anglovaal)
1992	Administrative trainee (Hartebeespoortdam Gold mine)

DIRECTORSHIPS AND MEMBERSHIPS

1996 – 2000	Mnyama Holdings – Director
2003	MNet/Supersport – Director
2003	Property24 – Director
2003	Touchline Media – Alt Director
2004	April 27 Group
2004	Industrial Development (IDC) Board Audit Committee
2004	USB Alumni Club - Chairperson

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