

Chair: Christine Blackmore



I am an **Associate Director at Wardell Armstrong** LLP working as a Geo-Environmental and Environmental Auditor with some 15 years experience in Environmental Management in the International Mining and Metallurgical Industry. I am an **Accredited Lead Cyanide Auditor** with the International Cyanide Management Institute (ICMI), for the gold mining industry. Many of my projects have also included aspects of Health and Safety, Hazop, Emergency Response procedures, I have also worked on sensitive political, social and economic studies where interaction with interested stakeholders were complex (e.g. State Governor, Government Ministers, Mining Police executive, mining unions etc.). I have presented at large scale community gatherings, NGO`s and liaised with both national and local government agencies.

My work in the mining and metallurgical industry has taken me to Europe (Sweden, Spain and Northern Ireland), Mauritania, Burkina Faso, Tunisia, Morocco, Mexico, Kazakhstan, Ukraine, Russia and China.

I was elected (January 2016) **Chairman of Mining Technology Division Board IOM3**, prior to this I was the first lady **President of the Western Institute of Mining and Minerals (WIMM) 2011-2015, WIMM Hon.Secretary 2005-2011.**

Christine is a nominated finalist as being in the top 100 inspirational **Women in Mining** in the world.