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### **FEDERICO ZANOTTA RIZZO**

*General Manager at Abengoa Teyma South Africa*

Federico is an accomplished business leader with extensive experience in the energy and infrastructure sectors, which represent his passions. That is what led him to join Abengoa Teyma SA 14 years ago, where he has fulfilled various roles. As General Manager, he has been instrumental in driving the company's growth and success in the region. He oversees all operations in South Africa, which includes taking responsibility for project development, construction and maintenance. Throughout his career, Federico has been recognised for his exceptional leadership skills, strategic thinking and commitment to excellence.



### **KOKKIE KOOYMAN**

*Executive director and portfolio manager, BComHons, Higher Diploma in Education, CA(SA)*

Kokkie manages the award-winning Denker Global Financial Fund and its rand-denominated feeder fund. In 1989 he joined Old Mutual, where he filled various investment management roles over 10 years, eventually becoming Head: Financial Services Sector. From 1999, Kokkie spent five years managing the local and global financial funds at Coronation Fund Managers. He established SIM (Sanlam Investment Management) Global in 2004, which merged with SIM Unconstrained Capital Partners to form Denker Capital. Kokkie has received the prestigious UK-based *Investment Week's* Fund Manager of the Year award four times (2010, 2011, 2012, 2013) in the financials category. The funds that Kokkie has managed over the years have received a range of industry awards. These include a Morningstar award for the Denker Global Financial Fund as well as Raging Bull awards for the Nedgroup Investments Financials Fund and the Denker SCI Global Equity Feeder Fund (the South African-registered feeder fund for the Denker Global Equity Fund).



### **ARNO LAWRENZ**

Arno has been in investment management since approximately 1991, gaining deep institutional knowledge and a vast network in South Africa's financial markets along the way. He has managed funds and portfolio management teams across the full range of mandates, from fixed-income to global multi-asset funds, at some of the largest asset managers in the country. Proving his strong entrepreneurial mindset, he founded Atlantic Asset Management in 2007. In his capacity as CIO, Arno provided a growth platform from which a range of funds and solutions were launched before they were acquired by the FirstRand Group. Most recently, he was global investment strategist at Ashburton Investments, chairing their Global Macro Forum and taking day-to-day responsibility for portfolio management of their Global Multi-asset Fund range. Arno holds an honours degree in mathematical statistics and is a CFA charterholder. Besides his role in financial markets, he also serves on the board of advisors in the biotechnology space.