



Sean Furey

Water and Sanitation Specialist

Sean Furey is an experienced water and knowledge professional who combines technical expertise and passion for communicating issues around rural water supply, groundwater research, and Water, Sanitation & Hygiene (WASH).

Key data

Qualification (Institute)

MSc Infrastructure Engineering - Community Water Supply option (Cranfield University at Silsoe, UK)

BSc Environment Sciences (University of East Anglia, U

Working languages

English (native), German (intermediate)

Years of Experience

20+

Nationality

British

Country experience and regional expertise

Sub-Saharan Africa: Uganda, Liberia, Côte d'Ivoire, Namibia, Tanzania, Kenya

Asia: Tajikistan, Sri Lanka, India, Indonesia, Bangladesh, Thailand

America: Guatemala, Chile, Bolivia

Select projects, roles, achievements and publications

RWSN - Rural Water Supply Network: Secretariat / Co-lead of Sustainable Groundwater Development Theme

Co-organiser of 6th RWSN Forum (Kampala, 2011) and 7th RWSN Forum (Abidjan, 2016)

UPGro - Unlocking the Potential of Groundwater for the Poor

REACH - Improving water security for the poor

National "Water Source Protection Guidelines" for the Government of Uganda

"Effective Joint Sector Reviews for Water, Sanitation and Hygiene (WASH)" co-author of World Bank Learning Note.

"Writing for WASH" short course (online and face-to-face) co-developer and trainer. Adapted to coach Government of Liberia staff to produce their first national WASH Sector Performance Report (SPR).

Key clients

Department for International Development (DFID)

Natural Environmental Research Council (NERC)

Economic & Social Research Council (ESRC)

Swiss Agency for Development and Cooperation (SDC)

University of Oxford

The World Bank

Ministry of Water & Environment, Uganda

Affiliations and networks Visiting Teaching Fellow, Cranfield University
Fellow of the Royal Geographical Society, London
Skat/RWSN representative to the Sanitation & Water for All (SWA) Knowledge & Learning constituency.

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