

## **Dr Don C Ibane**

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Position	Associate Professor of Hydrometallurgy & Head of Undergraduate Studies, Minerals Engineering & Extractive Metallurgy
Teaching Responsibilities	WASM Chemistry 151 & 153, WASM Mining & Metallurgical Processes 252, WASM Research Projects 451 & 452, Hydrometallurgy 352, Process Design 456
Research Interests	Hydrometallurgy: separation and purification techniques including development of new techniques such as electrostatic solvent extraction, and optimisation of current solvent extraction applications such as impurity control and control of surface and interfacial precipitation with particular emphasis on the hydrometallurgical extraction of nickel and cobalt.
Professional Affiliations	Member of AusIMM and CIM
Professional Experience	12 years teaching & research experience