



Curriculum Vitae

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My relationship to industrial area issues
Mon lien avec les sujets autour des zones industrielles

From 2013 to date, I have been involved in various project related to Water utilities, critical infrastructures and SMEs in developing countries. My role was to design and counsel governments, municipalities and responsible bodies on how to improve, adapt and enhance their service. Very often, my projects were designed to include a "pro-poor" perspective in order to make improvements in how services are delivered to the most vulnerables.

My relationship to sustainability topics
Mon lien avec les sujets autour la durabilité

Developing an understanding of interactions between climate, economy and policies is key to develop meaningful adaptation policies. As an engineer and a hydro-climatologist, I have a broad interest in natural disaster management, especially those related to water in arid regions. Despite this very technical background, I am convinced that climate resilience cannot be achieved using technical solutions only, but rather through an integrated approach including all stakeholders. For more than 10 years I have been professionally and privately involved in different projects aiming at developing climate resilience, access to water and climate risk management in Africa, Asia and South America. In my experience, the most successful endeavours, are those creating the largest ownership with the beneficiaries of the project.





7-lines-summary CV to present you to the audience (professional background; job today; relevant former occupations / activities)

Une synthèse de votre CV sur 7 lignes pour vous présenter envers l'audience (expérience professionnelle ; travail aujourd'hui ; d'autres occupations / activités pertinentes dans le passé)

Mr. Maxime Souvignet is a Project Coordinator for the Munich Climate Risk Insurance Initiative (MCII) hosted by the United Nations in Bonn (UNU-EHS). He is project coordinator of ACRI+ for MCII in close collaboration with the Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ).

He holds a PhD in Climatology and Hydrology and has more than 8 years of experience in climate change adaptation, flood risk modelling, climate risk and climate insurance. Mr. Souvignet has previously worked as a consultant for different bi-lateral donors such as the KfW, the GIZ or the African Union (AU) but also with SwissRe. Mr. Souvignet also worked in various academic institutions and he was a senior scientist at the University of Bristol, UK. He has acted as an invited speaker at different events in Africa, South-America, North-America and in Europe.

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