

**Lucas Bottomley**

Lucas Bottomley is an Australian mining engineer with over 20 years industry experience in underground hard rock, open cut metal and open cut coal operations. Starting in 1995, Lucas has worked for major mining companies in a range of engineering roles from ventilation through to planning and then production at various underground mines. He also worked as a project engineer and deputy mine manager, restarting and operating a mothballed nickel mine in the Pilbara region of Western Australia as well as running the underground production and development function at Barrick Gold.