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I completed my agricultural studies in 1979 with post graduate studies in animal nutrition and worked in government extension services for a couple of years. During the early 80'ties I started my veterinary studies at the Veterinary Faculty, University of Pretoria, South Africa. After qualifying I worked in companion animal medicine, meat hygiene, swine farming consulting and in the pharmaceutical industry at Elanco Animal health. Almost three years ago I started consulting to swine farmers again and since January 2010 I am a partner with Dr Peter Davies in Green Veterinary Group Practice, a food animal consulting practice concentrating on health, welfare and food safety. At present the practice is 95% pig production with the aim to extend into other species as well.