



# Sustainability Fortnight Careers in Energy Sector - Sustainability Monday 18th February 2019

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## Programme Manager at Azuri Technologies



Ben currently supports uptake of solar energy – using a community model in London with <u>Repowering</u>, and distributed paygo appliances across off-grid Africa with Azuri. He manages Repowering's operations and Azuri's distribution software products. BA Architecture led him to urban design, and MProf Sustainability Leadership to consultancy with BioRegional. He has just returned from 4 years in Africa with Azuri.

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# Sara Godinho

#### Senior Consultant at XCO2 and Lecturer at University of Suffolk



Sara is a trained architect (MArch University of Lisbon ARB) with a specialisation in environmental design and engineering (MSc EDE UCL) and an extensive career in the construction industry as a designer, consultant and lecturer. As a senior sustainability consultant at XCO2, Sara leads on low carbon strategies and assessments for masterplan and new build developments. Her work focuses on reducing the environmental impact of the construction industry, improving energy efficiency and building performance while promoting occupant wellbeing. Furthermore, she is a lecturer and module leader of Design Technology at the University of Suffolk, aiming to inspire future architects.

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## **Fiona Hughes**

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Fiona is currently a Consultant at Element Energy, a low-carbon energy consultancy. Her work is focused on the Built Environment, looking at options for the decarbonisation of heat in individual buildings, in cities and regions, and at the national level. She has been involved with both short- and long-term policy work for local and national government bodies as well as strategy and business plans for the private sector. Fiona completed a BS in Mechanical Engineering from MIT in 2009 and spent three years working in R&D developing gas turbines and heat exchangers for renewable energy applications. She came to the UK in 2012 to study for a PhD in Engineering at the University of Cambridge, which she received in 2017.

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## Jean-Paul Gillet

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Jean-Paul has 5 years of experience in the energy industry, initially in Oil & Gas exploration worldwide for Schlumberger before transitioning into the energy storage sector in the UK. He has experience in creating innovative commercial models, securing high profile partnerships and identifying opportunities to apply energy storage for a variety of applications. Jean-Paul has a BEng in Civil and Environmental Engineering from Heriot-Watt University Edinburgh and an MSc in Engineering with Innovation and Entrepreneurship from UCL.

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# **Charlotte Franzellin**

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Charlotte is a Principal in RCG's London office where she recently transferred after some time in their New York office. She has a BEng in Environmental Engineering from UCL and a Masters in Civil and Environmental Engineering from the Atmosphere/Energy program at Stanford University, US. She joined RCG after obtaining her masters and has been employed with them for three years. At RCG, Charlotte takes on a variety of tasks including US HSE compliance, LCoE modelling and new market support. Recent client assignments include site characterization work, bidding strategy support, regulatory gap analyses and lender's technical advisor support on costs. RCG's clients come from a

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