**Richard Bruins bio**

Richard Bruins, Ferr-Tech co-owner and CEO, is a natural networker. He leads this company with great interest and care for his employees, and helps them achieve their goals whilst allowing them room for self-improvement. A graduate in Export Management, Richard has a clear goal in mind: the internationalization of Ferr-Tech, and making the world a better place with FerSol (Ferrate(VI) in solution). The company was founded in the Dutch province of Drenthe, an important aspect for Richard that he will always commemorate. Richard is a great numerate with excellent numeracy skills. With his fanaticism, he inspires all those around him. After a long stint as director of a company in the oil and gas industry, Richard started investing in innovative startups, and works daily by his credo: ‘work hard, play hard’!