

A (very) quick intro...

2004

Joined National Grid Transco on a 6-month contract

2015

First (proper) stakeholderrelated role

2021

focusing on improving our engagement approach, systems and processes

Context: Our areas of focus



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So how is SRM helping us?









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Key learnings: Stick to your rules; have realistic expectations



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Key learnings: Work incrementally again; remember you're dealing with people!



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Key learnings: Senior buy-in is critical; recognise not everything will be instantly better

Questions, thoughts, advice?

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