

BUILDING CAPACITY THROUGH FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

A PRACTICAL GUIDE FOR OVERSEAS VOLUNTEERS

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John Cammack is a highly experienced independent consultant in the non-profit sector. John is a qualified accountant, manager and teacher. He holds an MSc in international Development management, and an MBA. He is a member of the Chartered Institute of Public Finance and accountancy (CIPFA), and the Chartered Management Institute (CMI). John has been involved with international development work for over 20 years, previously as Head of International Finance at Oxfam GB and then Senior Lecturer in Accounting & Financial Management at Oxford Brookes University.

"A good balance of group discussion, experienced conversation and real case studies"

Nicole S. (CIMA), Accountant

Learning outcomes

- ✓ Explain the role of financial management in NGOs internationally
- ✓ Discuss concerns that might prevent a successful assignment
- ✓ Identify practical techniques to review and strengthen NGOs financial management
- ✓ Understand the role of funders and select ways to enable maximum use of the funding process
- ✓ Fully understand the role of a volunteer accountant

Workshop Programme (9.30am to 5.00pm)

- ✓ Registration; coffee, tea and introductions
- ✓ Whistle-stop tour of non-government organisations and the not for profit sector
- ✓ What will it be like? What are our concerns?
- ✓ Assessing and building financial capacity and information
- ✓ Experiencing a new culture – Volunteer wellbeing
- ✓ The role and impact of the funders and core costs management
- ✓ Tools for building financial capacity in grassroots NGOs
- ✓ The AfID Reporting Schedule – Volunteer reports & blogs
- ✓ What if.. ? Bite size scenarios from the field
- ✓ Next steps and feedback

"It was reassuring that most people had some level of doubt about what skills they had to offer. The workshop gave us the confidence that we really could add a great deal of value"

Mary A. (ACA), Finance Director

Location

UnLtd Head Office, 123 Whitecross Street, London EC1Y 8JJ, [Map](#)
Nearest tubes Barbican, Moorgate & Liverpool Street station

Cost

The cost for the workshop is £99.00
(Included in the Placement Fee for attendees that later accept an assignment)

