

Dave Green, Principal Consultant

Overview of Expertise

Dave has worked in international development for 14 years, in public, not-for-profit and private sector roles. To date, his career focused on Australia's Aid Program in the Pacific and Southeast Asian regions; providing him a deep understanding of DFAT approaches to aid delivery. He has investment design, monitoring, and evaluation experience across diverse sectors – including WASH, health, governance, community driven development, impact investing, and women's economic empowerment. At the country portfolio level, he has developed strategies, MEL systems and performance reports; as well as driven systematic efforts to improve the quality of design, monitoring and evaluation across the portfolio. He is passionate about improving international development practice by providing credible and useful insights to policy makers and practitioners. Specific areas of interest include behaviour design, and portfolio-level learning.

Qualifications and Training

2013 Masters Evaluation – Melbourne University

2004 Bachelor Social Work / Bachelor Laws – UNSW

Project Experience

Investment Design, Monitoring and Evaluation

- *Investing in Women* program theory – covering topic areas of social impact investing in women's SMEs, workplace gender equality in large firms, and women's economic empowerment (2016)
- *Investing in Women* MEL System (\$4m budget over four years), including mixed methods studies on workplace gender equality, and women's economic empowerment (2016-18)
- Behaviour design model and process for Catalpa International, informed by current thinking in human-centered design, behaviour design, and behavioural economics (2016)
- Timor-Leste country portfolio M&E services - M&E House (*Buka Hatene*) (2015)
- Timor-Leste WASH Investment Design (BESIK, 2012)
- Timor-Leste Health Program Logic and M&E System (2014)
- Timor-Leste Multi-Sectoral Nutrition Pilot (*Hamutuk*) Concept, Design, and MEL System (2015)
- Harmonised quality assurance system for Australia-World Bank Timor-Leste Strategic Partnership (country level trust fund) (2013)

Independent Evaluations

- Managed evaluation of Solomon Islands NGO Cooperation Agreement; and Solomon Islands Community Sector Program
- Scoped, supported, and quality assured various evaluations in Timor-Leste Portfolio e.g. BESIK (WASH), Public Sector Capacity Development Program, National Program for Suco Development.

Country Strategy, Monitoring and Evaluation

- DFAT Timor-Leste Aid Investment Plan (2014)
- DFAT Timor-Leste Annual Program Performance Report (2010-2015)
- Design and oversight of Australia – Solomon Islands Government Joint Annual Review process for the Australia - Solomon Islands Bilateral Aid Program (2009-2010)

Evaluation Capacity Building and Training

As part of an Evaluation Capacity Building Program to improve strategy, design and MEL across the Timor-Leste country portfolio (2012-16), Dave provided:

- Systematic appraisal and quality assurance of all major Design and MEL products against DFAT M&E Standards (about 80 products)
- Facilitation and moderation of Aid Quality Checks for all major investments.
- Training, technical advice and coaching to DFAT managers/staff, implementing partner program managers and M&E practitioners

International Aid Programming

- Oversight of budget, financial management, risk management, and planning systems for Timor-Leste country portfolio – including day to day coaching of DFAT staff in aid management (2012-2016)
- Facilitation of participatory program design, learning and review processes for innovative Solomon Islands NGO Partnership Agreement (with six Australian NGOs and their local partners) (\$5m p.a.). Included oversight and management of qualitative research studies in line with agreed learning agenda (2008-2009)
- Oversight of Community Sector Program, support to the Solomon Islands Government's National Truth and Reconciliation Commission (partnering with UNDP), and Ending Violence Against Women Strategy (partnering with UNFPA) (2008-2010)
- Design and oversight of research on M&E approaches for civil society programs (2007)
- Short term mission PNG, to oversee Church Partnership and Media for Development Programs (2007)
- Various roles during AusAID Graduate Program, working on community development and social accountability policy and programs (2006)

Positions held

Sep 2016 – Jun 2018	Deputy Lead, Monitoring, Evaluation and Learning (MEL), Investing in Women Program, METIS Analytics
May 2016 – Jul 2016	Behaviour Design Consultant, Catalpa International
Nov 2010 – Mar 2016:	Manager, Performance and Quality – AusAID/DFAT (Canberra 2010-12 and Dili 2012-16)
Mar 2008 – Sep 2010	Manager, Civil Society Portfolio – AusAID (Honiara)
Mar 2006 – Feb 2008	Various roles – AusAID (Canberra and Port Moresby)

Feb – Nov 2005

Trainer, Participatory Planning, M&E – Save the Children/AYAD
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