

Dave Green, Principal Consultant

Overview of Expertise

Dave has worked in international development for over 15 years, in public, not-for-profit and private sector roles. His career has focused on Australia's Aid Program in the Pacific and Southeast Asian regions; providing him a deep understanding of DFAT approaches to aid design, delivery, monitoring and evaluation. He has experience across diverse sectors – including education, WASH, health, governance, community driven development, impact investing, gender-based violence and women's economic empowerment. At the country portfolio level, he has developed strategies; monitoring, evaluation and learning (MEL) systems and performance reports; as well as driven systematic efforts to improve the quality of design, monitoring and evaluation across portfolio investments. He is passionate about improving international development practice by providing credible and useful insights to policy makers and practitioners.

Qualifications & Training

2013 Masters Evaluation – Melbourne University.

2004 Bachelor Social Work / Bachelor Laws – UNSW.

Project Experience

Investment Design, Monitoring and Evaluation

- DFAT Australia-Indonesia Partnership Towards an Inclusive Society (AIPTIS) Design Finalisation, MEL System Design and implementation (2021-ongoing)
- DFAT Philippines Advancing Multilateral Partnerships for Economic Development (AMPED) Investment MEL System review and re-design (2021)
- MFAT New Zealand Qualifications Authority PACER Plus Qualifications Recognition Project – program logic development, monitoring framework design (2020)
- DFAT/UNICEF/The Asia Foundation/Save the Children Saferkids Program – program logic revision, sub-component program logic development (2020)
- DFAT/ The Asia Foundation Australian Political Security Partnership – program logic facilitation, strategic advice to MEL framework design (2019-20)
- DFAT Australia-Cambodia Cooperation for Equitable Sustainable Services – program logic development, and monitoring, evaluation and learning system design and implementation (2018-ongoing)
- DFAT Global Water Scarcity Initiative - design process facilitation, program logic development, investment design document preparation (2018-19)
- DFAT Nauru Education – led design process, consultations and preparation of investment concept and investment design (2019-20)

- DFAT Australia NGO Cooperation Program – conducted refresh of program logic and monitoring and evaluation system (2018-19)
- DFAT Investing in Women Initiative - program logic development and MEL system design and implementation. (2016-18)
- DFAT Timor-Leste Teacher Development program – program logic and MEL system design. (2015)
- DFAT Timor-Leste WASH Investment Design (BESIK). (2012)
- Behaviour design model and process for Catalpa International, informed by current thinking in human-centered design, behaviour design, and behavioural economics. (2016)
- DFAT Timor-Leste country portfolio M&E services - M&E House (Buka Hatene) (2015-16)
- Timor-Leste Health Program – program logic development and MEL system design (2014-15)
- Timor-Leste Multi-Sectoral Nutrition Pilot (Hamutuk) - Concept, Design, and MEL System (2015)

Independent Evaluations

- DFAT Strategic Evaluation of Roles of Facilitators in the Indonesia Aid Program (2019)
- DFAT Strategic Evaluation of Policy Engagement Approaches in the Indonesia Aid Program (2019-20)
- DFAT/UNICEF/The Asia Foundation/Save the Children Saferkids Program – Evaluability Assessment for MTR (2021)
- DFAT-ACFID Partnership Mid-Term Evaluation (2019)
- DFAT Annual Reviews of Pacific Labour Facility (2020 and 2021, PLF QTAG)
- DFAT Quality Assurance of Independent Review of Pacific Labour Facility (PLF QTAG, 2020)
- Concept Design of Qualitative Evaluations for Pacific Labour Facility (2020)
- ACT Disability Impact Collective Independent Evaluation (2018)
- DFAT Quality Assurance of Evaluation Agenda for MAHKOTA Indonesia (2020)
- DFAT Quality Assurance of Review of Health Advisory Services (SHS, 2021)
- Bluearth Meet & Move Independent Mid-Term Evaluation (2019)
- Bluearth Meet & Move Independent Final Evaluation (2021)
- DFAT Timor-Leste Review of Investment M&E (2018)
- 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 (2012-15)

Country/Sector Strategy, Monitoring and Evaluation

- DFAT Philippines COVID-19 Response Plan PAF development (2021)
- DFAT Indonesia COVID-19 Response Plan PAF development (2020-21)
- DFAT Indonesia Performance Assessment Framework revision (2019)
- DFAT Indonesia Education Sector Investment Plan (2018).
- DFAT Timor-Leste Aid Investment Plan and PAF (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.

For DFAT Indonesia and ASEAN-Mekong, Dave has provided demand driven quality assurance, workshop facilitation and mentoring support to aid activity managers relating to various aspects of aid strategy, design, implementation, monitoring and evaluation (2018-present)

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 2020–Current	Director (International), Clear Horizon.
Jul 2018–Sep 2020	Principal Consultant, Clear Horizon.
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 2005–Nov 2005	Trainer, Participatory Planning, M&E – Save the Children/AYAD (Ulaanbaatar).
Nov 2004–Jan 2005	Research Officer, Welfare Reform - Cape York Institute.
Jun 2004–Dec 2004	Researcher, Access to Justice Program - NSW Law and Justice Foundation.
Aug 2003–Nov 2003	Intern, community development and HIV/AIDS support service - World Vision India (Chennai).
Dec 2002–Jul 2004	Research Officer, Global Commission into Impact of Globalisation on Young People – Oxfam.
Jul 2002–Jul 2004	Lecturer, Community Development (Social Work) - University of New South Wales.