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Curriculum vitae

2019 - present Senior Finance Officer, Ministry of Defence

- Management and oversight of expenditure of c£800m p.a.
- Design and enhancement of governance and oversight mechanisms.

2017 – 2019 Head of Financial and Business Planning, United Kingdom Foreign and Commonwealth Office (FCO)

- Financial and Business Planning for the FCO's Core Budget of £1.7bn per year.
- Design and management of change programmes to enhance the FCO's financial and business planning processes.

2015 - 2017 Financial Manager for the FCO's Global Network of Diplomatic Missions

- Delivering a four year strategic financial plan exceeding £500m.
- Managing an annual budget in excess of £120m.
- Providing investment advice including for estates projects.

2015 Financial Adviser, FCO Budget Negotiations with HM Treasury

• Providing specialist financial advice to the FCO's budget negotiations with UK. Treasury including management of foreign exchange fluctuations.

2014 - 2015 Financial Manager, FCO Middle East operations

- Managing the financial and business planning processes for the FCO's Middle East operations including an annual budget of £75m.
- Enhancing good governance and financial reporting by the FCO's missions in the Middle East region.

2013 - 2014 Private Secretary to the FCO Finance Director

- Supporting the Finance Director in giving strategic direction to FCO's financial management.
- Promoting continuous professional development amongst the FCO's financial experts.

2011 - 2013 Programme Manager, Africa Counter-Terrorism Programme

- Management of a £36m CT programme fund.
- Managing the delivery of CT projects across Africa.
- Monitoring and Evaluation of CT projects.

2010 - 2011 Financial and Business Analyst, FCO

 Providing data analysis, modelling, and advice on cost sharing with other UK Government Organisations.

2005 - 2010 British Gas – Several roles including Business and Data Analyst

- Modelling and forecasting labour requirements across UK operations to meet performance targets.
- Building the Organisation's capability to exploit management information systems.
- Identifying and securing additional sources of revenue.

Professional and academic qualifications

2014 ACCA Qualified Accountant

2006 BA with Honours Economics and Business 2:1