

Andy Nobes

Programme Coordinator

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Biography

Andy is responsible for the online component of INASP's AuthorAID project, which supports early career researchers in developing countries. He currently manages the AuthorAID website, which provides free resources, discussion forums, and an online mentoring and collaboration platform. He has also been instrumental in the development of the AuthorAID online courses in research writing and proposal writing, which have evolved into Massive Open Online Courses (MOOCs), training more than 11,000 researchers from 135 countries in the past three years. Andy has also been involved in training journal editors in Bangladesh, Nepal and Sri Lanka in digital publishing practices, as part of INASP's Journals Online project.

Languages: English (native language)

Main country experience: Bangladesh, Ethiopia, Nepal, Sri Lanka, Tanzania, Mongolia, Uganda

Key skills and expertise

- Workshop facilitation
- Online learning
- Online facilitation
- Developing digital technologies
- Project coordination and event planning
- Research and analysis

Specialist thematic areas

- Scholarly publishing
- Open access
- Research communication
- Researcher capacity building
- Digital platforms and technologies

Posts held

Mar 2018 – Present	Programme Coordinator, INASP (Oxford, UK)
Jan 2014 – Mar 2018	Programme Officer, Research Development & Support, INASP (Oxford, UK)
May 2013 – Dec 2013	Senior Library Marketing Coordinator, Taylor & Francis (Abingdon, UK)
May 2011 – May 2013	Senior e-Marketing Coordinator, Journals, Taylor & Francis (Abingdon, UK)
Sep 2009 – Apr 2011	Web Developer and CMS trainer, Rare Form New Media (Oxford, UK)
June 2009 – Aug 2009	English Teacher, Oxford Intensive School of English (Oxford, UK)

Qualifications

2006	BSc (Hons) Theology and Religious Studies (First Class), Oxford Brookes University
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Project experience

July 2019	Grant writing, funding, research communication and impact workshop for Centre of African Studies, University of Edinburgh. Facilitator. Funded by the University of Edinburgh.
Apr 2019 – Present	Global Platforms for Equitable Knowledge Ecosystems (GPEKE), global with focused work in Uganda, Ethiopia and Cambodia. Programme Coordinator. Funding to be confirmed.
Apr 2018 – Mar 2019	Strong and Equitable Research and Knowledge Systems in the Global South (SERKS), Uganda, Ethiopia, Tanzania and Bangladesh. Programme Coordinator. Funded by Sida.
Jan 2014 – Mar 2018	Strengthening Research and Knowledge Systems (SRKS), Africa, Asia and Latin America. Programme Officer. Funded by DFID and Sida.

Selected Publications

2019	Tennant, P., Crane, H., Crick, T., Davila, J., Enkhbayar, A., Havemann, J., Kramer, B., Martin, R., Masuzzo, P., Nobes, A., Rice, C., Rivera-López, B., Ross-Hellauer, T., Sattler, S., Thacker, P. and Vanholsbeeck, M. (2019). 'Ten Hot Topics around Scholarly Publishing', <i>Publications</i> (MDPI), 7(2), 34. DOI: 10.3390/publications7020034 .
2017	Nobes, A. (2017). ' Critical thinking in a post-Beall vacuum – don't forget developing-country researchers! ', <i>Research Information</i> , April/May.
2017	Murugesan, R., Nobes, A. and Wild, J. (2017). 'A MOOC approach for training researchers in developing countries'. <i>Open Praxis</i> , 9(1). DOI: 10.5944/openpraxis.9.1.476 .
2016	Nobes, A. (2016). 'Open Access Plays a Vital Role in Developing-Country Research Communication', <i>Editorial Office News</i> (ISMTE), March. DOI: 10.18243/eon/2016.9.2.8 .

