

Yin Bao

Financial Accountant

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Biography

Yin joined INASP in July 2011 and currently holds the position of Financial Accountant. She completed her qualification as a Chartered Accountant in 2014. In her role, she is responsible for monthly management accounts, quarterly funders' financial reporting, budgeting, forecasting and production of the annual financial statements. During her time at INASP, she has further developed her accountancy skills to meet the specific nature of the charity sector. She has also gained extensive experience of working with international organisations in Africa, Asia and South America. Prior to joining INASP, Yin worked in various managerial positions with the Marriot Group in the UK and the Xinzhi Hotel in China.

Languages: Chinese – Mandarin (native speaker), English (excellent), Chinese – Cantonese (moderate)

Main country experience: China, Tanzania, Uganda, Kenya, South Asia

Key skills and expertise

- Financial management
- Project financial management
- Budgeting and forecasting
- Financial reporting

Specialist thematic areas

- Finance and accounting in the charity sector

Posts held

2011 – Present	Financial Accountant, INASP (Oxford, UK)
2007 – 2011	Accounts Assistant and Inbound Coordinator, China Holidays Ltd (London, UK)
2006 – 2007	Assistant Manager Front Desk, Newcastle Marriott Hotel (UK)
2002 – 2006	Studying for BA (Hons) and MSc
1993 – 2002	Managerial positions in Customer Relations, Assistant Manager Front Desk and Manager of Housekeeping Department, The Xinzhi Hotel (China)

Qualifications

2008 – 2011	ACCA, London School of Business and Finance, UK
2005 – 2006	MSc International Hotel Management, Oxford Brookes University, UK
2003 – 2005	BA Hons in Tourism Management, University of Greenwich, UK



1991 – 1993

Diploma in Business and Economy, Zhejiang Business School, China

Project experience

Apr 2019 – Present	Global Platforms for Equitable Knowledge Ecosystems (GPEKE), global with focused work in Uganda, Ethiopia and Cambodia. Financial Accountant. Funded by Sida.
May 2018 – Present	Assuring Quality Higher Education in Sierra Leone (AQHEd-SL), Sierra Leone. Financial Accountant. Funded by DFID.
Apr 2018 – Present	Transforming Employability for Social Change in East Africa (TESCEA), Kenya, Uganda and Tanzania. Financial Accountant. Funded by DFID.
Apr 2018 – Mar 2019	Strong and Equitable Research and Knowledge Systems in the Global South (SERKS), Uganda, Ethiopia, Tanzania and Bangladesh. Financial Accountant. Funded by Sida.
2018	Kenya-Nottingham Partnership in Kenyan University Transformation of Pharmacy and Chemistry Degree Provision, Kenya. Financial Accountant. Funded by DFID under the SPHEIR programme.
June 2017 – Oct 2017	SPARKS! Peer learning between five African parliaments, Kenya (with a network spanning Uganda, Ghana, Malawi and Zimbabwe). Financial Accountant. Funded by UNDP/OECD.
Sept 2013 – Mar 2017	Building Capacity to Use Research Evidence (VakaYiko), Ghana, Zimbabwe, Uganda and South Africa. Financial Accountant. Funded by DFID.
Apr 2013 – Mar 2018	Strengthening Research and Knowledge Systems (SRKS), Africa, Asia and Latin America. Financial Accountant. Funded by DFID and Sida.

