

# **MCR Pathways**

## **Finance Manager**

### **Role Description**

### **Effective Financial Management**

- Develop the financial systems and culture to meet growth and performance demands.
- Ensure that all expenditure delivers the maximum benefit to mentor recruitment, engaging young people and impacting of mentor relationships
- Coach colleagues in effective cost control and management of all resources

### Manage income streams

- Manage cash flows and fund raising
- Identify potential funders and proposals to ensure a continuity of income streams.

#### Financial reporting & forecasting

- Produce timely, informative, insightful and compliant financial reports for internal & external stakeholders, funders and auditors.
- Continually interpret all data for trends and changes required
- Develop financial forecasting models and scenario planning tools.

# Person Spec

	Essential	Desirable
Skills & Experience	<ul> <li>Highly skilled and experienced at setting up, continually refining and actively managing financial systems for management accounting and for producing statutory accounts</li> <li>Experience of managing cash flow and effective forecasting</li> <li>Skilled in proactive performance reporting and in communicating the financial disciplines required of staff</li> <li>Experience of building and maintaining strong, positive relationships with a diverse range of individuals and funding partners</li> <li>Strong written and verbal communication skills</li> <li>Highly organised with strong teamwork skills</li> <li>High level of competence in using financial systems, spreadsheets e.g. Word, Excel, etc</li> </ul>	Experience of managing growth and maintaining tight financial control and governance Experience of third sector organisations, their constitutions, funding and reporting requirements. Experience in fundraising & putting in place all the reporting disciplines required



Abilities	Ability to liaise with a range of individuals across organisations whilst maintaining the pace of delivery and quality relationships simultaneously Ability to effectively communicate with, present information to and engage groups and individuals both in person and via virtual platforms. Can proactively interpret all types of data to identify trends, issues and solutions. Has the disciplines and people skills to follow through and ensure changes made. Detailed and disciplined with a drive for quality, delivery and ensuring fully informed decisions	Ability to work in a constantly changing and challenging environment
Attitude & values	Positive, solution-focused attitude Willingness to support others complimenting strong people skills Embraces change and personal development opportunities Self-motivated, committed to MCR cause and values, with the resilience to secure successful partnerships.	
Qualifications	Accounting qualification. Degree	