

# **Position Description**

About Moore Theological College		
Our Vision:	To see God glorified by men and women living for and proclaiming Jesus Christ, growing healthy churches and reaching the lost.	
Our Mission:	To provide excellent evangelical theological education.	
Our Values:	Christian Faith, Integrity, Grace, Service, Community, Scholarship, Gender Complementarity, Freedom of Enquiry, Integration	

Position Details			
Position Title:	Accountant		
Primary Purpose:	To assist the Finance team to meet the day-to-day processing of all College income and payments, and to provide accounting assistance where necessary to the Financial Controller.		
Classification:	Educational Services (Post-Secondary Education) Award, General Staff Level 4		
Special conditions:	National Police Check required		
Relationships:	<i>Internal:</i> • Faculty • Staff	External: • Students • Auditors • Banks • ATO and regulators • Donors	
Reports to:	Financial Controller		
Date of issue:	July 2025		

### Qualifications, Skills, Knowledge and/or Experience

#### Essential:

- Tertiary qualification in accounting, finance, commerce or related discipline
- Experience in preparing general ledger accounting entries, working with accounts receivable and accounts payable modules
- Ability to work with a range of people
- High attention to detail and accuracy, with good analytical and problem-solving skills
- Advanced user of Microsoft Excel
- Ability to support and promote the Christian Vision, Mission and Values of Moore Theological College

#### Desirable:

- Completed or working towards CPA/CA
- Experience with a number of different accounting software packages, in particular Microsoft Great Plains
- Experienced user of CRM tools and understanding databases
- Experience in the higher education and/or not-for-profit sector

## Acknowledgement

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I understand and accept the responsibilities as outlined in this position description.

Name:		
Signature:	Date:	

Key Accountabilities			
Key Performance Area	Key Tasks	Performance Indicators	
Core			
Payment of all college invoices	<ul> <li>Process invoices into the accounting system.</li> <li>Raise bank batch file to pay invoices weekly.</li> <li>Create and maintain creditor records.</li> <li>Reconcile and age creditor balances.</li> <li>Pay international invoices.</li> <li>Process all credit card transactions.</li> <li>Respond to creditor enquiries.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Transactions are recorded in a timely and accurate manner for the purpose of performing monthly bank reconciliation.</li> <li>Few complaints or follow-up from suppliers.</li> <li>No fraudulent transactions.</li> </ul>	
Income and receipts	<ul> <li>Set up and maintain debtor accounts.</li> <li>Process and record student fee and accommodation transactions and other donation receipts.</li> <li>Produce debtor account statements, including for students and commercial tenants.</li> <li>Prepare invoices for other income and follow up of the aged debtors.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Transactions are processed and recorded in a timely and accurate manner in the relevant month or period.</li> <li>Debtor balances are kept at an acceptable level and debtors are regularly followed up.</li> </ul>	
General ledger entries and reconciliations	<ul> <li>Prepare and record accounting entries from the College's various receipt systems into its general ledger.</li> <li>Assist in the preparation of ad hoc general journal entries.</li> <li>Assist in producing and recording monthly standing journals.</li> <li>Reconcile subsidiary ledgers as required.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Transactions are processed and recorded in a timely and accurate manner in the relevant month or period.</li> <li>Timely reconciliation of sub ledgers to General Ledger.</li> </ul>	
Data entry from bank statements	<ul> <li>Identify, process and record, as applicable, transactions from review of bank statements.</li> </ul>	Transactions are recorded in a timely and accurate manner for the purposes of performing monthly bank reconciliation.	

Trust Funds	<ul> <li>Oversight of all College Funds.</li> <li>Update accounting records for all trust funds for any payments or receipts.</li> <li>Assist aggregation of trust funds into the College's account at year end.</li> <li>Maintain capital and retained earning schedules for all the trusts.</li> <li>Maintain Virtual Master Trust schedule.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Accounting records are updated accurately and in a timely manner.</li> <li>Reports are provided on a timely basis.</li> </ul>
Donations	<ul> <li>Process donations in the College's donation system, including interacting with supporters on phone/email, changing donor details, initiating new donations or editing giving amounts, and data entry of offline donation receipts.</li> <li>Assist with reconciling and editing donations in the College's accounting system.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Donations are processed in a timely and accurate manner.</li> <li>A high standard of service is provided in interactions with donors.</li> </ul>
Project work and other tasks	<ul> <li>Assist in redesigning processes to improve efficiency of tasks.</li> <li>Assist in the set-up, testing and implementation of a new accounting system.</li> <li>Supporting payroll processes as required.</li> </ul>	Per ad hoc deadlines.
General		
Community	<ul> <li>Demonstration of the College's values.</li> <li>Make a positive contribution to the College culture, including encouraging teamwork and fostering effective communication across teams.</li> <li>Actively participate in team and other meetings.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Participation in team and other meetings.</li> <li>Contributes positively to the College culture.</li> </ul>

Risk and Compliance	<ul> <li>Sign and adhere to the Code of Conduct.</li> <li>Comply with College policies and procedures.</li> <li>Comply with all applicable legislation and regulatory frameworks.</li> <li>Participate in, promote and raise awareness of WHS and safeguarding in the College community.</li> <li>Contribute to the maintenance of a safe and clean environment in the College community.</li> <li>Manage risk appropriately in all work activities.</li> <li>Maintain College records.</li> <li>Document processes as required.</li> <li>Undertake other duties as directed by the relevant supervisor/manager.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Evidence of participation in WHS activities, as required, e.g. evacuation drills, training, etc.</li> <li>Evidence of risk management in work activities.</li> <li>When applicable, documents are maintained and regularly updated in the record management system.</li> </ul>
Professional Development	<ul> <li>Maintain current qualifications and competencies.</li> <li>Attend internal and external training as required.</li> <li>Participate in the annual performance review.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Competencies remain up to date.</li> <li>Evidence of participation in internal and external training.</li> <li>Performance reviews are conducted annually.</li> </ul>