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AMBER ANALYSIS works internationally and in the UK to:

- ❖ Improve the quality of social change programmes delivered locally
- ❖ Strengthen the effectiveness of international and UK based charities, non-governmental and community organisations
- ❖ Influence the grant-making and evaluation strategies of donors

SPECIALISMS

- *Programme and project evaluation
- *Organisational review
- *Project and grants assessment
- *Capacity building and organisational/project development
- *Strategic planning
- *Training in organisational management and self-evaluation
- *Needs assessment
- *Research into social development and civil society
- *Developing grant-making and evaluation policies for donors

GEOGRAPHICAL AREA

I work anywhere in the UK. I also have much experience of working with NGOs and governments in Eastern Europe, South America, the Caribbean and Africa.

WORK EXPERIENCE

I have 26 years experience of working in the field of evaluation and organisational development in the UK and abroad. In 1990 I was the founding Director of Charities Evaluation Services, which I ran for 11 years; and also a founding Board member of the UK Evaluation Society. Prior to that, I lectured in social research at North London University and founded and directed its Community Research Advisory Centre.

PUBLICATIONS

Social Capital in Croatia, The Foundation for Civil Society Development, June 2005
Citizens' Voice in Policy Making, Institute for International Relations, Croatia, 2004.
Refugee Settlement, can communities cope? (CES and the Evelyn Oldfield Unit, 2002)
A Benchmark for Refugee Community Organisations in London, CES, 2001
Does your money make a difference? A practical self-assessment tool for funders, CES, 2001.
Transition to Development, the non-profit sectors of Central and Eastern Europe, CES 1998

QUALIFICATIONS

Doctor of the University, Middlesex
BA Hons (1st class) psychology
Diplomas in advanced qualitative and quantitative research methods
Teachers Certificate