



Vision Capital Foundation

A company limited by guarantee

Annual report for the year ended 31 December 2018



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Trustees and professional advisers

Trustees

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Trustees' annual report

The Trustees, present their annual report on the Vision Capital Foundation ("the Charity") together with the unaudited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2018.

Governing document

Vision Capital Foundation is a charitable company limited by guarantee, incorporated on 5 February 2008 and registered as a charity on 9 May 2008. The Charity was established under a Memorandum of Association which established the objects and powers of the charitable company and is governed under its Articles of Association. In the event of the Charity being wound up members are required to contribute an amount not exceeding £10.

Trustees

The Directors of the Charity are its Trustees for the purpose of the Charity law and throughout this report are collectively referred to as the Trustees.

The board of Trustees administers the Charity and the Trustees listed on page 1 served throughout the period unless otherwise stated.

As set out in the Articles of Association, new Trustees shall be appointed (and may be removed) by ordinary resolution of the shareholders and shall remain in office until their period of office is terminated under Article 53 of the Articles of Association.

New Trustees receive a briefing on their legal obligations under charity and company law, the content of the Memorandum and Articles of Association, the committee and decision-making processes, the business plan and recent financial performance of the Charity. Trustees are encouraged to attend appropriate external training events where these facilitate the undertaking of their role.

Risk management

The Trustees regularly review the risks the Charity may face and develop appropriate systems and procedures to mitigate any risks identified.

Objectives and activities

The Charity's objects and principal activities are for such exclusive charitable purposes as the Trustees of the Charity may in their absolute discretion determine.

During the year the charity did not make any donations.

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Financial review

The Charity did not make any donations during the period (2017: £1,000).

Investment policy

The Trustees do not seek active management of funds. All the funds are placed in a deposit account and most of the Charity's funds are expected to be disbursed in the short term.

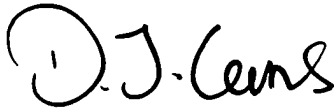
Reserve policy

The Trustees' policy is to maintain sufficient reserves to enable the Charity to make grants in accordance with its charitable objectives.

Future developments

During the forthcoming year, the Trustees anticipate further donations to the Charity and a continuation of its charitable aims and objectives.

Approved by the Trustees and signed on their behalf by



Dave Lamb

Trustee

55 St James's Street

London

SW1A 1LA

27 September 2019

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Statement of Trustees' responsibilities

The Trustees are responsible for preparing the Trustees' Annual Report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and regulations.

Company law requires the Trustees to prepare financial statements for each financial year. Under that law they are required to prepare the Charity's financial statements in accordance with Financial Reporting Standard 102 ("FRS 102" - the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland as issued in August 2014) and Companies Act 2006.

Under company law the Trustees must not approve the financial statements unless they are satisfied that they give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the charitable company and of the Charity's excess of income over expenditure for that period. In preparing the charitable company financial statements, the Trustees are required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- state whether applicable UK Accounting Standards have been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements; and
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the charitable company will continue its activities.

The Trustees are responsible for keeping adequate accounting records that are sufficient to show and explain the charitable company's transactions and disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the charitable company and enable them to ensure that its financial statements comply with the Companies Act 2006. They have general responsibility for taking such steps as are reasonably open to them to safeguard the assets of the charitable company and to prevent and detect fraud and other irregularities.

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Statement of financial activities		Year ended 31 December 2018	Year ended 31 December 2017
	Notes	£	£
Incoming resources			
Incoming resources from generated funds			
Voluntary income – donations and grants		-	1,090
Total incoming resources		<u>-</u>	<u>1,090</u>
Resources expended			
Charitable activities	3	-	(1,000)
Governance costs	4	(420)	(420)
Total funds expended		<u>(420)</u>	<u>(1,420)</u>
Net movement of funds in the period		<u>(420)</u>	<u>(330)</u>
Reconciliation of funds			
Total funds brought forward		5,303	5,633
Total funds carried forward		<u>4,883</u>	<u>5,303</u>

The accompanying notes on pages 8 to 9 are an integral part of these financial statements.

The statement of financial activities includes all gains and losses recognised in the year.

All incoming resources and resources expended derive from continuing activities and relate to unrestricted funds.

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Balance sheet

	As at 31 December 2018	As at 31 December 2017
Notes	£	£
Current assets		
Cash at bank	4,883	5,303
	<u>4,883</u>	<u>5,303</u>
Net assets	<u>4,883</u>	<u>5,303</u>
Unrestricted funds of the Charity		
General funds	4,883	5,303
Total Charity funds	<u>4,883</u>	<u>5,303</u>

For the year in question, the charitable company was entitled to exemption from an audit under section 477 of the Companies Act 2006.

The members have not required the charitable company to obtain an audit of its accounts for the year in question in accordance with section 476 of the Act.

The trustees/directors acknowledge their responsibilities for complying with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 with respect to accounting records and the preparation of accounts.

These accounts have been prepared in accordance with the provisions applicable to companies subject to small companies' regime.

The accompanying notes on pages 8 to 9 are an integral part of these financial statements.

Signed on behalf of the Trustees:



Dave Lamb

Trustee

55 St James's Street

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27 September 2019

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	Year ended 31 December 2018	Year ended 31 December 2017
	£	£
Cash flows from operating activities		
Incoming Resources	-	1,090
Resources expended	(420)	(1,420)
Net cash inflow from operating activities	(420)	(330)
Opening cash	5,303	5,633
Closing cash	4,883	5,303

The accompanying notes on pages 8 to 9 are an integral part of these financial statements.

Notes to the financial statements

1 Accounting policies

Basis of preparation

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with the Statement of Recommended Practice – Accounting and Reporting by Charities (SORP 2014) issued in 2015, Financial Reporting Standard 102 ("FRS 102" - the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland as issued in August 2014) and Companies Act 2006. The principal accounting policies adopted in the preparation of the financial statements are set out below.

Incoming resources

All incoming resources are included in the statement of financial activities when the Charity is entitled to the income and the amount can be quantified with reasonable accuracy. The following specific policies are applied to particular categories of income:

- Voluntary income received by way of donations is included in full in the profit and loss accounts when receivable;
- Investment income is included on a receivable basis.

Resources expended

Expenditure is recognised on an accruals basis. Expenditure includes any VAT which cannot be fully recovered and is reported as part of the expenditure to which it relates:

- Charitable activities include costs incurred in furtherance of the Charity's objectives;
- Governance costs include costs associated with meeting the constitutional and statutory requirements of the Charity and include the banking costs.

Donated services

Where services are provided to the Charity as a donation that would normally be purchased from the market this contribution is included in the financial statements at an estimate based on the value of the contribution to the Charity.

Audit exemption

Updated rules and guidance relating to the Companies Act allow the Charity to qualify for the small companies audit exemption. The Charity is also subject to the requirements of the Charities Act, but is exempted from external scrutiny of its accounts as its income is below £25,000.

2 Related party transactions

The charity Trustees were not paid or reimbursed expenses during the year and no charity Trustee received any emolument or payment for professional or other services.

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3 Charitable activities

During the year, the Charity made charitable donations in line with its stated objectives, of £Nil (2017: £1,000).

4 Governance costs

	2018	2017
	£	£
Banking costs	420	420
	420	420

5 Taxation

As a Charity, Vision Capital Foundation is exempt from tax on income and gains falling within section 505 of the Taxes Act 1988 or section 256 of the Taxation of Chargeable Gains Act 1992 to the extent that these are applied to its charitable objects. No tax charges have arisen in the Charity.

6 Immediate parent undertaking and ultimate controlling party

The immediate parent undertaking is Vision Capital Group Limited. The Trustees consider Julian Mash to be the ultimate controlling party.