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Accounting change in the UK Public Sector: was it all worth it?

ABSTRACT

This is a bit of a retrospective and reflects aspects of a stream of work that I have been doing on public sector accounting change over the last twenty years or so. This would be mainly of interest to academics – but also, more widely, to those involved in accounting change processes in the public sector/government.

ABOUT THE PRESENTER

Noel Hyndman, PhD, FCMA, CGMA, is Professor in Accounting at Queen's University Belfast, as well as being Director of the Centre for Not-for-profit and Public-sector Research. He has previously held Visiting Professorships at the University of Ottawa in Canada and the University of Sydney in Australia, as well as being an Erskine Fellow at the University of Canterbury, Christchurch, New Zealand. His main research interests have centred on performance management and accounting change in public services. Noel is a member of the Executive Board of the British Accounting and Finance Association (BAFA) as well as being chair of its Public Services Special Interest Group. He is associate editor of Financial Accountability & Management and Abacus, and a member of the editorial boards of The International Journal of Public Policy, Accounting, Auditing & Accountability Journal, Accounting and Business Research, Qualitative Research in Accounting & Management, Accounting & Finance Governance Review and Public Money & Management. Since 2006, Noel has been a member of the Charity Statement of Recommended Practice Committee in the UK (under the auspices of the Charity Commission England and Wales). He has been Academic Advisor to the Chartered Accountants Ireland Educational Trust since 2011 and, earlier this year, was appointed as a Non-executive Director of the Advisory Board of the Northern Ireland Audit Office and Chair of its Audit and Risk Assurance Committee.





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