

## Building skills and savings in the Pacific



Our MoneyMinded financial literacy program is now helping communities in Timor-Leste, Cook Islands, American Samoa and the Solomon Islands, following its successful roll out in Fiji and PNG. Pilot programs have been completed and MoneyMinded trainers accredited. The program has now helped over 160,000 people better manage and save money.

Michael Rowland, ANZ CEO Pacific said, "we make important contributions to the community in the Pacific and MoneyMinded is an effective way for us to support people to build their money management skills and savings".

In PNG and Fiji, 74% of people who completed MoneyMinded increased their monthly savings deposits and nearly all, 97%, reported a greater capacity to make ends meet.

### More information:

- Read the [Money Minded Summary Report \(PDF 812kB\)](#)
- [MoneyMinded Clip on YouTube](#)

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## Transparency

We have reported on how we are strengthening our responsible business practices.



ANZ Banking Group  
UN Global Compact  
Communication on Progress  
May 2011 - May 2012

This includes: progress in implementing our Respecting People & Communities human rights standards, how we are taking social and environmental impacts into account in our lending decisions and our public commitment to increase our lending to lower carbon emission power generation.

The reporting is included in our Communication on Progress under the UN Global Compact.

### More information:

- [Read our Communication on Progress \(PDF 652kB\)](#)

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## Submission to the Inquiry into the Post-GFC Banking Sector



While Australia's banking system has weathered the Global Financial Crisis (GFC) in sound shape, pressure on our cost of funds has increased and global economic conditions remain highly volatile, we have told an Australian parliamentary inquiry into the post-GFC banking sector.

In particular, we have stressed the important contribution a robust banking sector makes to the overall economy by attracting the capital that finances economic growth.

The Inquiry has provided us with an opportunity to explain the changes in our funding costs and to discuss our profitability in the context of the similar returns achieved by other major Australian companies.

### More information:

- [Read our submission \(PDF 500kB\)](#)

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