# 2023 Accountability Document – Sam Instone

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### Purpose (meaning beyond self - overarch - on the kitchen video)

• ...to help create Posi+ive change.

#### Mission (what I want to achieve)

- To make extraordinary things happen.
  - Seismic societal change death of a toxic, product centric and feral industry and the emergence of a structurally different, evidence-based, impactful, vocational, new profession that helps us all live life better.

### Vision (the destination I see!)

• Massive transformation – a better working world.

### Paradigm (factory settings – underpins)

• 'Grinding out the grit in the flywheel'

The relentless pursuit of organisational excellence through the ups and downs of daily business.

### Guidelines – The cogs and the oil

- 1. Marriage time together
- 2. Family making memories
- 3.Community contribution & connection
- 4. Business - security, profitability and posi+ive impact
- 5. Wellness energy and reflection
- a disciplined/intentional foundation 6. Rituals

### Rituals - Strengths-based behaviours, practiced 'on purpose' and positioned to enhance engagement and performance around what matters most!

- 1. The 5 by 8 Great day focus. Wake up early/cycle/podcast/cold-shower/timeblock/eat-frog
- 2. Saturday/Sunday morning ritual carefree social and physical (family & cycling) time - Planning - 'Great Week Focus'
- 3. Daily 'huddles' and team driven 1-1s leading to others success
- 4. Golden Time' with wife (separately) + family schedule and review
- 5. 'Daily List' Documenting the 3 key things to achieve for the day
- 6. Never eat alone (+eat better) Building relationships & partnership
- 7. Learn, learn, learn; Read don't watch/daily learning via books & podcast

### Values - where I will NOT compromise!

- 1. Future focused Excite, envision, innovate and transform
- 2. Simplicity Keep the main thing the main thing/avoid complexity
- 3. Integrity Do what I say I will.
- 4. Humility First look to serve. Give don't take.
- 5. Compassion Genuine care for others and the 'platinum rule'
- 6.Courage Making difficult decisions.

# Goals - 2023 - Top 5

# 1.Family;

- a) Son to successfully join daughter at UK boarding school in September
- b) Meet the sister I never knew I had...
- c) Family half-term skiing, Family Easter with Grandad in Caribbean
- d) An English Summer with my family to catch-up post COVID

# 2.Business;

- a) AES Profitability Target 2022 Hit
- b) A year focussed on 'Great Leadership' with Team leaders and future leaders
- c) Cost reductions for clients based upon our 'virtuous circle' of price disruption
- d) A year of 'relationships' 1 day pw dedicated to building this
- e) Launch the Education business by finding world leading 'creator'

# 3.Financial;

- a) Family security and stewardship (disaster secure e.g., hit by a bus/heart attack)
- b) Increasingly accurate budget/cashflow based upon '100yr life'
- c) Completely renovate house over 2023.

# 4.Relational;

- a) Sam to organise 1 date night per Qtr.
- b) Board governance strengthened
- c) 4 Qtr. meetings with personal mentor/coach to look forward
- d) 5min gratitude journal each night

# 7. Physical;

- a) Rest/recovery improve sleep to av. of 7h30 mins sleep/night
- b) AV: 200km per week on the bike
- c) Maintain 85-87 kgs (12% max BF)
- d) Improve energy/gut health via 16/8 fasting and mixed diet

# 8.ME;

- a) Standing on top of world's highest freestanding mountain with 12yr-old son
- b) Swim better (get a coach and learn technique)
- c) ELO rating over 1600 (chess)
- d) Public speaking/communication course

### 'Super Strength' Statement (Strategic and Futuristic):

'Wouldn't it be great if..." positive and authentic activation and engagement through describing a better vision for the future.

## FOCUS SAB: Skills – Attitudes – Behaviours – Making 2023 Great

- 1. Skills Leadership/Coaching for others to take meaningful action
- 2. Attitudes Positivity Excellence WINNING
- 3. Behaviours Integrity and Consistency (Rituals Led)

### 2023 Fulfilment Statement

To have the best year ever. Self, family, and work.

### 2030 Vision

To have transformed the toxic financial services industry in the Middle East into a profession underpinned by 3 pillars of Chartered expertise, fiduciary duty and a partnership structure + 2025-2030 objectives hit. Metric = Net Promoter Score of 70+

### **Barrier & Elimination**

- Building self-belief/mindset and 10x thinking throughout entire AES team
- Eliminate by celebrating little wins/positivity and a vivid picture of 3,5, 10-year plan/the future opportunity that can materialise for them.

### **Big 3 Commitments (in order)**

Self, Family, Work

### What do I want from coaching?

- Ever increasing self-awareness.
- Good questions great answers.
- Hacks, tips, resources, information, and wisdom which is going to save me the time
- and pain from having to find/discover it.
- Community/connections/perspective of others.
- How am I landing? Is it how I think/perceive? What opportunities am I not seeing?
- Ever improving, high performance across all aspect of my life.
- Better. Better. Better. Up, Up, Up.