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Audit Manager in a Global Insurance Firm

Audit Manager - Insurance

Job Information

Recruiter

Michael Page

Job ID

1562281

Industry

Loan and Mortgage

Job Type

Permanent Full-time

Location

Tokyo - 23 Wards

Salary

Negotiable, based on experience

Refreshed

October 20th, 2025 15:00

General Requirements

Career Level

Mid Career

Minimum English Level

Business Level

Minimum Japanese Level

Fluent

Minimum Education Level

Associate Degree/Diploma

Visa Status

Permission to work in Japan required

Job Description

This is a senior opportunity to lead operational audits within a major life insurance firm. You'll play a key role in risk-based reviews, team leadership, and reporting to global stakeholders.

Client Details

A leading global insurance company with a strong presence in Japan. The internal audit function is highly respected and operates with international standards across business units.

Description

- Planning audit engagements: scope, objectives, team setup, and timelines
- · Leading risk-based testing of processes and controls
- Reviewing team outputs to ensure audit quality and consistency
- Drafting audit opinions and reports in English for senior stakeholders
- Managing team assignments and progress against time budgets
- Supporting the team lead in annual and quarterly audit planning
- Providing coaching and feedback to junior auditors

Job Offer

- · Hybrid work style in central Tokyo
- Opportunity to grow into senior leadership within audit
- Exposure to global audit standards and cross-border collaboration
- · Support for professional development and certifications

To apply online please click the 'Apply' button below. For a confidential discussion about this role please contact Carl Iso +818046764473.

Required Skills

Required Experience (any of the following):

- Operational roles in life insurance (e.g. underwriting, claims, call centre, policy admin)
- · Internal audit experience in a corporate or audit firm
- · Advisory or assurance services in a professional services firm

Skills & Attributes:

- · Strong analytical and logical thinking
- Excellent writing and presentation skills (Japanese & English)
- · Interviewing and listening skills
- · Ability to identify risks from business changes
- · Team-oriented and proactive work style
- Proficiency in MS Office tools (Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Visio)
- · Knowledge of relevant laws and FSA guidelines

Language Requirements:

- Japanese: Native-level
- English: Business-level (reading, writing, basic presentation)

Preferred Qualifications:

- CIA, JCPA, USCPA
- · Experience with FSA inspections
- Knowledge of life insurance products and operations
- · Familiarity with operational risk and internal controls
- Ability to work with data analytics tools (e.g. Alteryx)
- · Basic understanding of statistics and quantitative methods

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