



PR/118626 | Global Financial Controller (Senior Manager, Japanese Speaker)

Job Information

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Job ID

1599861

Industry

Logistics, Storage

Job Type

Permanent Full-time

Location

United Kingdom

Salary

Negotiable, based on experience

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General Requirements

Minimum Experience Level

Over 6 years

Career Level

Mid Career

Minimum English Level

Business Level

Minimum Japanese Level

Native

Minimum Education Level

Associate Degree/Diploma

Visa Status

No permission to work in Japan required

Job Description

Company: Japanese company

Position: Japanese Speaking - Global Financial Controller (Senior Manager)

Location: London

Salary: Depending on experience

Key Responsibilities

- Financial Reporting
Prepare and deliver accurate and timely monthly, quarterly, and annual financial statements.
- Management Accounts
Produce detailed management accounts, including variance analysis, performance commentary, and KPI reporting to

support business decision-making.

- **Budgeting & Forecasting**
Lead the annual budgeting process and ongoing forecasting cycles, working closely with key stakeholders across the business.
- **Cash Flow Management**
Manage cash flow planning, forecasting, and reporting to ensure sufficient liquidity for operational requirements.
- **Internal Controls**
Develop, implement, and maintain effective internal controls and financial processes to ensure accuracy, compliance, and risk mitigation.
- **Audit & Compliance**
Coordinate year-end audits and liaise with external auditors. Ensure compliance with all relevant statutory and regulatory requirements, including tax filings (e.g., VAT and Corporation Tax).
- **Statutory Accounts**
Oversee the preparation and submission of statutory financial statements.
- **Process Improvement**
Identify opportunities to improve financial systems, processes, and reporting to enhance efficiency and accuracy.
- **Team Leadership**
- Support, mentor, and develop finance team members, ensuring a high standard of performance and collaboration.
- **Stakeholder Management**
Build strong relationships with internal stakeholders and external partners, including auditors, banks, and advisors.
- **Financial Analysis**
Deliver insightful financial analysis and ad hoc reporting to support strategic initiatives and business growth.

Qualifications & Experience

- Fully qualified accountant (ACA, ACCA, CIMA, or equivalent)
- Proven experience in a senior finance role (e.g., Financial Controller, Finance Manager, or similar)
- Strong technical accounting knowledge
- Demonstrable experience in financial reporting, budgeting, forecasting, and cash flow management
- Proficiency in accounting systems and advanced Excel skills
- Excellent analytical and problem-solving capabilities
- Strong organisational skills with the ability to manage multiple priorities and deadlines
- High level of accuracy and attention to detail
- Strong communication skills, with the ability to present financial information to non-finance stakeholders

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