

PR/087640 | Accounting Manager– Frankfurt

Job Information

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Job ID
1616794

Industry
Chemical, Raw Materials

Job Type
Permanent Full-time

Location
Germany

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
None

Minimum Education Level
Associate Degree/Diploma

Visa Status
No permission to work in Japan required

Job Description

COMPANY OVERVIEW
Our client is a leading European chemical distribution company with over 140 years of industry expertise. It serves customers across automotive, industrial, coatings, plastics, and specialty chemicals sectors through a broad European network. Backed by a major Japanese global group, the company combines international reach with a dynamic and entrepreneurial culture. It also offers integrated logistics and supply chain solutions, supporting sustainable growth across Europe.

JOB RESPONSIBILITIES

- Lead, develop and manage the Accounting team in Frankfurt
- Take overall responsibility for the preparation of monthly, quarterly and annual financial statements of the German entities in accordance with German GAAP (HGB)
- Oversee all day-to-day accounting activities, including accounts receivable, accounts payable, fixed assets and general ledger accounting
- Ensure compliance with German statutory accounting requirements as well as internal Group accounting and reporting standards

- Support the preparation of reporting packages and consolidated financial statements in accordance with HGB and IFRS
- Act as the primary contact for external auditors as well as internal and external stakeholders
- Ensure and continuously improve the internal control system within Accounting
- Drive the further development, standardization and digitalization of accounting processes and systems, particularly within the SAP environment
- Advise and support operational business units on accounting, financial reporting and process-related matters

JOB REQUIREMENTS

- Degree in Business Administration, Economics or a comparable qualification
- Several years of relevant professional experience in Accounting, Audit or a comparable Finance function
- Strong knowledge of German GAAP (HGB)
- Proven experience in preparing monthly, quarterly and annual financial statements
- Experience in leading or functionally managing employees
  Previous experience in an international group environment is an advantage
- Experience with a Big Four audit firm or within an international corporate environment is desirable
- Strong leadership skills with the ability to motivate and develop team members
- Excellent communication skills and confidence in dealing with auditors and internal stakeholders
- Hands-on mentality with the willingness to actively support operational topics when required
- Interest in further developing, standardizing and digitalizing accounting processes
- Excellent written and spoken German and English
- Sound SAP user knowledge
- Proficient in Microsoft Office, especially Excel

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