

Your Role

As a Finance Controller, your mission will be to:

Prepare timely, accurate monthly management accounts and other appropriate financial information for the CFO to present to the directors.

We are actively searching for an adept Finance professional with a proven track record in overseeing comprehensive financial management, including corporate accounting, regulatory and financial reporting, budgeting, forecasting, and the development of internal control policies. This pivotal role involves reporting directly to the Chief Financial Officer (CFO).

Your responsibilities will include the preparation of timely, accurate monthly management accounts and other appropriate financial information for the finance director to present to the executive committee.

You will be a leader in the Finance team and take responsibility for the financial control of commercial operations within the business by managing the day-to-day activities. You may also be required to work closely with various other key stakeholders of the senior management team on ad hoc projects.

- Coordinate and direct the preparation of the budget and financial forecasts and report variances
- Coordinate the preparation of regulatory reporting
- Support month-end and year-end close process
- Ensure quality control over financial transactions and financial reporting
- Support the daily operations of the accounting department
- Monitoring and analysing accounting data and producing financial reports or statements
- Manage invoices daily from the operation post fixture department
- Process staff expense claims and analyse credit card accounts and journal payments
- Report to the CFO with timely and accurate financial information

What we seek - We are looking for someone with:

- Proven track record as a Financial Controller within the dry bulk shipping sector/ commodity trading sector
- Must have an accounting qualification or is a finalist – ACA/ACCA/CIMA
- Thorough knowledge of accounting principles and procedures
- Experience and working with financial statements
- Experience with general ledger functions and the month-end/year-end close process
- Energy and drive to get the job done
- Ability to manipulate large amounts of data
- High attention to detail and accuracy
- Advanced Excel skills

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Conditions:

Based: London, full time

Contact:

Kindly submit your cover letter and CV, including your current notice period and salary expectations for this role.

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