

Financial Analyst

Location: Leopardstown, Dublin 18

Job Purpose

The Financial Analyst will be involved in the preparation, analysis and review of financial reporting with a particular emphasis on the technical reporting. Working with Finance Technical Team and reporting to the Financial Reporting Manager

Responsibilities will include but are not limited to:

- Support the technical accounting and reconciliation of inputs from various operating systems into the general ledger and sub-ledgers of Finance Reporting system (SAP)
- Review and analyse data flows between operating systems, integration of data
- Assisting in developing process improvements, creating and testing new processes
- Preparation of reporting schedules to Regulator, Group, Board of Directors, management and other stakeholders
- Preparation of year end closing schedules for the annual financial statements and annual returns to the Regulator
- Support the finance team with both internal and external audit processes
- Input into the planning process which will include projections for the future and current year reforecasting

Knowledge, Skills & Experience

Knowledge

- Advanced Excel
- Ability to work with sizable data sets
- Technical accounting background
- SAP experience an advantage

Skills

- Excellent analytical skills and problem solving skills, ability to identify process improvements
- Ability to provide data insights and analysis, interpretation and presentation to the stakeholders
- Excellent interpersonal and communication skills with an ability to work across departmental and organisational lines
- Ability to operate within strict reporting deadlines
- Strong time management and organisational skills with an ability to prioritise workload and multitask several initiatives at the same time
- Excellent team player who fully participates in and supports departmental initiatives

Education and Experience

- Qualified accountant preferably ACA or ACCA
- At least 2 years PQE experience, preferably gained from the financial services environment
- Experience in working with high volume data sets