The role

Key Accountabilities

- Drive the financial planning of the region, analysing overall school performance and risks;
- Retain constant awareness of the company's financial position and act to prevent problems;
- Set up and oversee the company's finance IT system across Europe;
- Building great relationships with local accounting and finance teams to support them in their work (management accountants, internal auditors etc.);
- Oversee all audit and internal control operations;
- Support the Managing Director to create investment cases for school development and / or new acquisitions;
- Prepare timely and detailed reports on financial performance on a quarterly and annual basis;
- Conduct analysis to make forecasts;
- Ensure adherence to local financial laws and guidelines;

Person specification

Requirements and skills

- Proven experience as CFO/FD or equivalent role;
- In-depth knowledge of European finance and accounting principles, laws and best practices;
- Solid knowledge of financial analysis and forecasting;
- Proficient in the use of MS Office and financial management software;
- An analytical mind with a strategic ability;
- Excellent organisational and leadership skills;
- Outstanding communication and interpersonal abilities;
- Professional qualification and/or BSc/BA in accounting, finance or relevant field; MSc/MA would be
 a plus;
- Spanish and / or Portuguese would be an advantage.

How to apply:

Saxton Bampfylde Ltd is acting as an employment agency advisor to this International Schools Group on this appointment. For a confidential conversation please contact our researcher Grace Barclay on 02072270800.

Click on the 'apply' button and follow the instructions to upload a CV and cover letter and complete the online equal opportunities monitoring form. The form will not be shared with anyone involved in assessing your application. Please complete as part of the application process.

The closing date for applications is noon on **Thursday 30 March 2023.**