

## Financial Controller Veris Investments

### The company

Veris Investments is an independent investment company that makes equity and mezzanine investments in companies and projects with activities in the food value chain in Sub-Saharan Africa. By providing long-term capital and hands-on support to companies and projects, we aim to build successful businesses in close cooperation with management. Through investing in the development of a strong and competitive private food sector, our goal is to make a positive impact on food security in the region.

### The position

We are seeking a versatile Financial Controller who can build out the expertise of the finance and tax function within Veris and our portfolio companies. In this role, you will work closely with the Veris team and finance teams of the Portfolio companies. You will be reporting to the Finance Director of Veris. Our organisation is flat, we expect everyone to take responsibility and come with ideas to build upon the great organisation that we already are.

This role offers a unique blend of financial activities for both Veris and our portfolio companies. You will drive optimisation in reporting, processes, financial control, systems, financial due diligence, external audits and transaction monitoring. As a Financial Controller at Veris your role is never dull, there are lots of opportunities to pick up and implement. You will get the opportunity to learn within your expertise area of financial controlling and administration and will be able to gain a broader experience in management reporting, tax and compliance.

### Detailed responsibilities include

- Optimize Portfolio management reporting;
- Improve financial processes and systems;
- Perform internal control and forecasting;
- Prepare annual financial statements;
- File tax returns; and
- Provide transaction support, including financial due diligence.

### Additional focus area's:

- Perform financial administration and reporting;
- Conduct transaction monitoring;
- Support the Know-Your-Customer process;
- Review relevant changes in fiscal regulations; and
- Maintain relationship with external parties, such as auditors and advisors.

### Job requirements

- You have a strong foundation in transaction services, audit, and / or financial control and are prone to stick to a high quality of work, while spotting ways of optimizing processes or increasing efficiency in your work.
- You show high levels of accountability for your work and the accuracy of the reports and deliverables that you work on. You work precise and have attention to detail.
- You have strong analytical skills and the ability to interpret financial data, analyse trends and develop relevant insights.
- You have an interest to deep dive into new areas, get to the bottom of it and make it your own.
- Good interpersonal skills, with an ability to work well within the finance team, effectively interact with the investment team where needed and comfortable to discuss feedback of difficult findings in your work.

### Qualifications

- Masters' degree in finance, accounting, or relevant field.
- 4-6 years of relevant experience and an affinity to take upon broader tasks.
- Excellent written and oral communication skills, with an ability to formulate and present analysis and arguments in a clear, crisp and concise manner.
- Commitment to producing highest quality of work, with attention to detail and perseverance.
- Efficient worker with a good understanding of prioritization.

### We offer

A position in a growing investment company, aiming to improve food security by investing in the food value chain in Sub-Saharan Africa. You will have the opportunity to develop yourself in this position and take ownership over your work within an professional team.

We offer competitive terms of employment. The exact employment conditions for this position will be determined in consultation.

Are you interested and looking for more information? Please send an email to [vacatures@verisinvestments.com](mailto:vacatures@verisinvestments.com).