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EDUCATION

2017 - 2019 Certified Public Accountant

Washington State Board of Accountancy Washington, USA

2012 - 2014 Master's in Accounting, Auditing, and Control

Université Saint-Joseph Beirut, Lebanon

2009 - 2012

Bachelor's in Business and Management Université Saint-Joseph Beirut, Lebanon Beirut, Lebanon

SKILLS

Professional Skills

- Communication Skills
- Teamwork and Collaboration
- Analytical and Problem Solving
- Time Management
- Working Under Pressure

Languages

- English
- Arabic
- French
- Armenian

HAGOP TCHIFDJIAN, U.S. CPA

Senior Associate (Assistant Manager) at PwC

Summary

As a Certified Public Accountant "CPA" licensed by the Washington State Board of Accountancy, I bring forth over nine years of comprehensive experience acquired through tenures in diverse auditing and accounting roles across multiple esteemed organizations.

Experience

PricewaterhouseCoopers "PwC", Middle East

April 2020 - Dec 2022 - Beirut, Lebanon Jan 2023 - Present - Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates

Senior External Auditor (Assistant Manager)

- Leading all audit engagement phases, from initial planning to the issuance of precise and fairly presented financial statements in line with International Financial Reporting Standards
- Using knowledge of the audit procedures to ensure that sufficient appropriate audit evidence has been obtained to form and support conclusions on key audit risk areas in accordance with International Auditing Standards
- Supervising, mentoring, and nurturing team members, fostering their professional growth and maximizing engagement efficiency
- Interacting with clients to ensure the information flow from the client to the audit team is efficient
- Conducting meticulous reviews of work papers, financial statements, for the accuracy of documentation
- Flagging significant findings or inquiries pertaining to accounting principles or financial statement presentation to the Director or Partner
- Building and maintaining strong relationships with existing and new clients by proactively identifying opportunities to address their challenges
- Drafting management letters addressing audit-related matters that emerged during the audit process
- Contributing actively to the management of multiple client portfolios

Mansour Audit Firm p.c.c. (Founder & Ex-Managing Partner of KPMG Lebanon)

Jan 2016 - March 2020 - Beirut, Lebanon

Senior External Auditor

- Prepared final audit reports for clients, to ensure accuracy and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards
- Led, coached and provided guidance to the junior staff for audit procedures in line with International Auditing Standards
- Prepared working papers for financial statements
- Managed the annual income tax return, Value Added Tax (VAT), and income tax on salaries declarations
- Prepared the National Social Security Fund contribution schedule

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Dec 2014 - Dec 2015 - Beirut, Lebanon

Accountant

Footmarks SARL (Agent of Birkenstock)

Jan 2014 - Nov 2014 - Beirut, Lebanon

Junior Accountant