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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Results-driven **General Accountant** with 4+ years of experience in full-cycle accounting, payroll, and compliance for Australian and Philippine entities. Certified in Xero (Advisor & Payroll), with advanced skills in QuickBooks, MYOB, SAP, and Excel. Recognized for delivering accurate financials, improving cash flow visibility, and contributing to cost-saving initiatives.

CORE COMPETENCIES

Financial Reporting & Analysis · Tax & Statutory Compliance (BAS / IAS / FBT / BIR) · Payroll (Deputy) & Superannuation (STP, SSS, PhilHealth, Pag-IBIG)

Multi-Currency Bank & Credit Card Reconciliations · Accounts Payable & Receivable · Month-End & Year-End Closing ·

Xero (Advisor & Payroll Certified) · QuickBooks Online/Desktop · MYOB · SAP Xplan, Dext, Hubdoc, FYI Docs, Stripe, Airwallex, Wise Excel (Pivot Tables, Lookups) · Google Sheets & Workspace · Microsoft 365 Client Communication & Remote Collaboration ·

CERTIFICATIONS & AWARDS

- Xero Advisor Certification | Xero Payroll Certification
- Client Service Award 2023, Financial Fanatics
- Global Accounting Career Certification- AB2 Institute of Accounting

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

AHOY CLUB YACHT & CHARTERS — General Accountant

March 2024 – Present | Sydney, Australia (remote from Cebu)

- Maintained multi-entity books across Australia, Europe, and US, ensuring 100% accuracy and timely month-end closings.
- Reduced month-end closing cycle from 7 to 4 days by implementing automated journal templates and standardized bank-feed rules.
- Processed fortnightly payroll for onshore/offshore staff with 100% compliance to Fair Work and Superannuation guidelines.
- Led preparation and timely lodgments of quarterly BAS and IAS reports, maintaining zero-penalty compliance.

- Assisted in preparing month-end reconciliations and financial reports, helping reduce closing time by 3 business days and improving report timeliness for executive review.
- Acted as a key problem-solver in the team—proactively resolved transaction discrepancies and documentation gaps, minimizing escalations to senior accountants.
- Communicated regularly with finance, operations, and crew teams to ensure clarity, resolve accounting issues quickly, and maintain strong working relationships across departments.

TOA GLOBAL - FORTUNITY — General Accountant

August 2023 – February 2024 | Cebu City, Philippines (AU Clients)

- Completed over 50 year-end financial packs and tax returns with zero review notes from senior accountants.
- Maintained accurate fixed asset registers and conducted depreciation roll-forward schedules with zero discrepancies.
- Filed monthly and quarterly BAS/FBT returns ahead of ATO deadlines; achieved 100% lodgement compliance rate.
- Prepared working papers and supporting documentation for year-end audits, streamlining audit completion timelines by 30%.
- Liaised with client-side finance managers and tax agents to clarify requirements, gather missing information, and align deliverables with expectations.
- Collaborated with a cross-functional remote team, maintaining clear communication and workflow alignment using FYI Docs, OneNote, and Xero Practice Manager (XPM).
- Trained two junior team members, improving department review-to-submission ratio by 30%.

FINANCIAL FANATICS (GO GLOBAL) — Junior Accountant / Bookkeeper

November 2022 - August 2023 | Remote

- Handled full-cycle bookkeeping for a portfolio of e-commerce and service-based Australian SMEs, ensuring up-to-date and audit-ready financials across all accounts.
- Reconciled multiple bank and credit card accounts weekly using Xero, reducing unreconciled items by 95% and maintaining clean ledgers month over month.
- Supported accurate and timely payroll processing via Xero and Deputy, including superannuation and STP submissions, maintaining a 100% on-time rate.
- Helped cut average debtor days by 12% through improved AR follow-up tracking systems.
- Managed BAS and IAS preparation, and supported quarterly tax lodgments, ensuring full compliance with ATO requirements.

 Processed invoices, bills, and receipts through Hubdoc and Dext, automating document capture and saving 10+ hours per month in manual data entry.

TOYOTA MABOLO — Service Accountant

January 2021 – February 2022 | Cebu City, Philippines

- Processed daily collections and monitored receivables from fleet and insurance accounts, improving AR turnover and reducing overdue balances by 20%.
- Maintained daily financial records for service department operations, ensuring timely posting of transactions and accurate reporting in SAP.
- Managed inventory and cost accounting for auto-service operations, reducing month-end variance issues by 35%.
- Reconciled inter-branch transactions and supplier accounts, resolving discrepancies that avoided PHP 150K in write-offs.
- Analyzed cost-of-sales and gross profit margins per service job order, providing insights that helped optimize labor pricing and material usage.
- Coordinated with service advisors and parts personnel to resolve billing and cost allocation issues, maintaining 100% compliance with internal controls.
- Reviewed and validated supplier invoices for accuracy and completeness before entry into the accounting system.
- Assisted in monthly and year-end closings by preparing journal entries, schedules, and financial reports submitted to the head office.

CONCENTRIX - QUICKBOOKS AUSTRALIA — Technical Support (SME)

June 2020 - December 2020 | Remote

- Provided front-line support to Australian small business owners and bookkeepers using QuickBooks Online, resolving over 400 cases with a 95% customer satisfaction (CSAT) rating.
- Assisted clients with setup and configuration of GST, BAS, payroll, and bank feeds—ensuring accurate compliance with ATO standards and local reporting needs.
- Guided users through payroll setup including Single Touch Payroll (STP), leave accruals, and employee onboarding within QuickBooks Payroll.
- Handled data migration queries from other accounting software (Xero, MYOB) into QuickBooks Online, ensuring smooth onboarding and minimal data loss.
- Escalated technical bugs and system outages to the engineering team with clear documentation, contributing to faster resolution and knowledge base updates.

• Supported resolution of subscription and billing issues, ensuring minimal disruption to clients' access and maintaining a high renewal rate.

RGA CPA & ASSOCIATES — Accounting Staff

February 2020 - May 2020 | Cebu City, Philippines

- Prepared BIR tax returns and payroll reports for multiple SME clients, ensuring 100% compliance with government deadlines.
- Assisted in month-end close and SSS/PhilHealth/Pag-IBIG report generation, reducing manual errors by 30%.
- Assisted in the preparation of general journals and ledgers for small business clients, maintaining accuracy and proper documentation.
- Reconciled bank statements with book balances, identifying and correcting discrepancies to ensure clean monthly closings.
- Supported senior accountants in audit engagements by gathering client data, verifying documentation, and summarizing key financial details.

EDUCATION

University of Cebu - Main Campus

Bachelor of Science in Business Administration – Management Accounting

Graduated: October 2019