USAMA BADAR

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Chartered Accountant (Finalist) with a strong track record in leading high-profile audits, enhancing financial reporting accuracy through IFRS implementation, and ensuring compliance with stringent regulatory standards. Skilled in conducting comprehensive external audits, assessing risk methodologies, and developing strategic financial plans to drive data-driven decision-making. Known for innovative problem-solving, financial modeling, and ongoing advancement in data analytics to improve operational efficiency. Actively seeking opportunities to excel, grow, and contribute expertise in a dynamic, growth-focused environment.

SKILLS AND EXPERTISE

- Financial Planning & Analysis
- · Financial Reporting & IFRS
- Financial Modelling & Forecasting
- Financial Statements Preparation
- Financial & Regulatory Compliance Team Leadership & Training
- External Audit & Risk Assessment
- Internal, Forensic & Cost Audit
- Internal Controls Evaluation
- Data Analytics & Management
- · MS Office, Power BI & Oracle
- Effective Communication

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE (4 YEARS)

Nexia International - Lahore, PK (2022 - Present)

Audit Senior (Apr 2024 - Present) Audit Semi Senior (Mar 2023 - Apr 2024) Audit Associate (Jan 2022 - Mar 2023)

Nishat Linen (Private) Limited

Accounts Department Intern (Oct 2021 - Dec 2021)

ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES -

- Supervised audit teams by planning and assigning work, providing guidance, training, and motivation to ensure timely completion of audit fieldwork, while proactively communicating engagement progress to managers and partners for timely reviews and deliverables.
- Developed risk-based audit plans and strategies, evaluated internal control systems, identified weaknesses, and recommended actionable improvements to enhance operational effectiveness.
- Prepared and reviewed **financial statements** in compliance with IFRS and local legal requirements, ensuring accuracy, adherence to standards, and delivering insights for informed decision-making.
- Fostered strong **client relationships** by providing expert advice on legal and financial reporting changes, ensuring project completion within agreed timelines and addressing client needs effectively.
- Presented key findings and recommendations to senior management and executive meetings, contributing to strategic decision-making and annual report preparation.
- Developed and implemented **Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs)** for the finance and HR department, streamlining processes for improved efficiency and compliance.
- Served as liquidator for an e-commerce company, responsible and directly reportable to CFO for managing cash flows, critical payments to vendors and regulatory bodies and overseeing inventory and fixed assets, while coordinating with external auditors for the finalization of financial statements in true and fair view.

ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- Executed consolidations for group clients in compliance with IFRS 3 and IFRS 10, enhancing reporting accuracy and meeting regulatory standards by eliminating redundancies and meeting deadlines.
- Attended IFRS 17 training, mastering risk adjustment calculations such as value at risk, scenario value at risk, and margin for adverse deviation, deepening expertise in IFRS principles and requirements.
- Implemented IFRS 16 for key clients, identifying lease contracts, measuring lease liabilities, and recognizing lease-related assets and expenses to ensure compliance and improve financial reporting.
- Improved financial reporting accuracy by applying IFRS 9, particularly the Expected Credit Loss (ECL) methodology, to assess and provision potential credit losses in line with regulatory requirements.
- Implemented IFRS 15 for accurate revenue recognition, utilizing a five-step model to enhance financial reporting and ensure regulatory adherence.

- Conducted **external financial audits** for high-profile clients including Insurance, Investment, Textile, Manufacturing, Oil and Gas, Services and Trading sectors using MS Office, Oracle and Power BI.
- Conducted **internal**, **forensic and cost audits** to identify weaknesses in internal controls, fraudulent activities and non compliance / variances in cost records, leading to process optimization and profitability.
- Spearheaded and presented to the board a **Business Process Reengineering (BPR)** initiative for a leading retail company, delivering 25% faster inventory turnover and 13% cost efficiencies across supply chain.

PROFESSIONAL TRAINING & CERTIFICATIONS

Microsoft Power BI Data Modeling and DAX, Microsoft

EY - Audit Job Simulation and KPMG U.S - Career Catalyst - Audit Job Simulation, Forage PwC US - Audit Job Simulation and JPMorgan Chase - Investment Banking Job Simulation, Forage Professional Values, Ethics and Attitude (PVEA), Institute of Chartered Accountants of Pakistan (ICAP) 50-Hours Presentation and Communication Skills, Institute of Chartered Accountants of Pakistan (ICAP) Data Management and Analytics (Power BI & Python), Institute of Chartered Accountants of Pakistan (ICAP) Assurance Trainings, Riaz Ahmad and Company Chartered Accountants, a Network Firm of Nexia International Attended Various Seminars on Banking Regulations, State Bank of Pakistan

KEY CLIENTELE - NEXIA INTERNATIONAL -

| Client Name | Sector | Role | Nature of Engagement |
|---------------------------------------|--------------|---------------------|--------------------------------|
| Service Global Footwear Limited | Footwear | Supervisor | Statutory Audit |
| Nishat Chunian Limited | Textile | Supervisor | Statutory Audit |
| Service Industries Limited | Leather | Group Team Lead | Demerger + Statutory Audit |
| Service Tyres (Private) Limited | Tyre | Team Lead | Demerger + Statutory Audit |
| Service Retail (Private) Limited | Retail | Team Lead | Demerger + Statutory Audit |
| SEFAM (Private) Limited | Retail | Team Lead | Business Process Reengineering |
| Jomo Technologies (Private) Limited | E - Commerce | Liquidator | Agreed Upon Procedures |
| The City School | Educational | Audit Senior | Forensic Audit |
| Hi-Tech Lubricant Limited | Oil & Gas | Audit Senior | Statutory Audit |
| At - Tahur Limited | FMCG | Audit Senior | Statutory Audit |
| Mapple Leaf Capital Limited | Investments | Semi Senior | Statutory Audit |
| Procon Engineering (Private) Limited | Auto Mobiles | Semi Senior | Internal Audit |
| Adamjee Insurance Company Limited | Insurance | Semi Senior | Statutory Audit |
| Sindh Bank Limited | Banking | Semi Senior | Compliance Audit |
| Stylers International Limited | Textile | Associate | Statutory Audit |
| Masters Textile Mills Limited | Textile | Associate | Internal Audit+ Cost Audit |
| H. Nizam Din & Sons (Private) Limited | Textile | Associate | Internal Audit + Cost Audit |

EDUCATION -

Chartered Accountancy (CA) - Part Qualified/Finalist (19/21) (2019 - Ongoing)

Institute of Chartered Accountants of Pakistan (ICAP)

ACCA Global Finalist (9/13) (2019 - Ongoing)

Association of Chartered Certified Accountants

Grade 11 - 12 / Senior High School (2017 - 2018)

Punjab Board of Intermediate and Secondary Education

Grade 9 - 10 / High School (2015 - 2016)

Punjab Board of Intermediate and Secondary Education

REFERENCES