

OWAIS ABBASI

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Location: Karachi, Pakistan (willing to relocate)



OBJECTIVE:

Senior accountant blending accounting and finance expertise (CA Foundation, CFA Level-I, 4 years accounting and financial reporting, 7 years sales tax and income tax) with advanced Python, Numpy, Pandas, and data analytics skills. Aiming to drive strategic initiatives integrating **evolving data science methods for optimized financial decision-making**. Committed to navigating accounting's dynamic landscape by merging traditional wisdom with innovative data-driven solutions."

EXPERIENCE:

Federal Board of Revenue, Government of Pakistan	Data Supervisor in Data Processing Centre, Computer Wing	(Sep, 2016 to Current) 7 years
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Supports the Commissioner Inland Revenue in overseeing the monthly sales tax return filing and collection processes, ensuring strict compliance with relevant tax laws (Sales Tax Act 1990).Conducts thorough assessments of sales tax, meticulously calculating output and input tax while meticulously validating exemptions and adherence to regulatory requirements.Contributes significantly to auditing various accounts, meticulously evaluating tax assessments for companies, AOPs, and individuals (both business and salaried), ensuring adherence to tax regulations (Income Tax Ordinance 2001).Manages the accurate transcription of manual returns, meticulously inputting income and sales tax data into the system to ensure precision and alignment with established standards.Leads a team of five subordinates in supervising timely data entry tasks with a strong attention to detail, ensuring accuracy and consistency in records.Acts as a liaison between FBR and external stakeholders, fostering relationships and ensuring transparent communication regarding tax laws and regulatory updates.Collaborate with colleagues to streamline data management processes, contributing to improved efficiency and data quality.		
Mishanz Private Limited	Senior Accounts Executive in Accounts Department	(Apr, 2010 to Nov, 2011 and Mar, 2013 to Aug, 2015) 4 years
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Managed a team of three Accounts Officers, reporting to the CFO, with a strong emphasis on prioritizing financial reporting accuracy and interpretation in accordance with IFRS and company's policies.Responsibilities included overseeing General Journal Entries, Ledger Reconciliation, and managing Receivables and Payables Aging, along with Bank Reconciliation.Proficient in the Sidat Hyder Financials ERP, specializing in the General Ledger and Fixed Assets Management System Modules, and enhancing financial reporting skills.		

SKILLS:

- Financial Accounting
- Financial Reporting
- IFRS
- Income Tax
- Sales Tax
- Data Science
- Python Programming
- Data Analysis
- Data Visualization

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- Data Operations
 - Pivot Table
 - ERP Systems.
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COURSES AND CERTIFICATIONS:

- Supervised Machine Learning (Instructor: DeepLearning.ai)
 - Mathematics for Machine Learning and Data Science Specialization (Instructor: DeepLearning.ai)
 - Python for Everybody - Specialization (Instructor: University of Michigan)
 - Data Visualization and Dashboards with Excel and Cognos (Instructor: IBM)
 - Excel Basics for Data Analysis (Instructor: IBM)
 - Introduction to Data Analytics (Instructor: IBM)
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EDUCATION:

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| • CFA Level-I | CFA Institute, USA | 2018 |
| • Masters in Economics and Finance | University of Karachi | 2015 |
| • Bachelors of Commerce | University of Karachi | 2010 |
| • CA-Foundation | Institute of Chartered Accountants of Pakistan | 2010 |