

Senior Accountant (Vancouver, BC)

About Us

Recognized as a leader in innovative energy solutions, Creative Energy designs, builds, owns, and operates sustainable district energy systems across Canada and parts of the US. Our team has a client-focused, community-vested approach to projects that deliver outstanding quality and service while providing tangible value for continued growth.

In addition to owning and operating one of Canada's largest thermal networks in downtown Vancouver, we provide value to developers, landowners, end-users and the broader community through flexible thermal neighbourhood energy systems. Our projects focus on innovation, resiliency, and sustainability, and span across a broad spectrum of technologies including geo-exchange, ocean-exchange, cogeneration, microgrids, solar PVs, and sewer heat recovery.

Serving Canadians for over 55 years with a reliability rate of 99.99%, we're developing more than a dozen new low-carbon district energy systems across North America, including the revitalization and decarbonization of our downtown Vancouver steam plant which will be one of North America's largest thermal fuel-switch projects and provide downtown Vancouver with renewable energy infrastructure for decades to come.

The Opportunity:

We are seeking a technology savvy and process improvement focused Senior Accountant, who wants to be at the forefront of success and a key member of the Finance team. Working alongside a team of talented professionals, you will deliver comprehensive accounting services, while boosting your own knowledge, skills and abilities. Your core responsibilities will encompass, but are not limited to:

- Full month-end close of subsidiary companies;
- Assistance with month-end close of primary companies;
- Supervision and training of junior staff, including the full-cycle AP and AR processes and assistance with customer and vendor enquiries;
- Assistance with annual projects, e.g., coordination of filing all annual T2 and T5013 returns for the group and responding to any CRA enquiries or requests as needed; the preparation of audit working papers and memos; assistance with drafting of annual consolidated

financial statements and assistance in the preparation of annual budgets;

- Processing the bi-weekly payroll for two Canadian and one US company, ensuring all source deductions are correctly calculated and properly remitted and administering employee benefits;
- Treasury functions, including the review of weekly cash forecast and preparation of intercompany transfers and initiating wire payments and EFTs.

Qualifications and Experience:

- Education: Bachelor's degree in accounting or finance.
- Chartered Professional Accountant (CPA) designation.
- Minimum of 3 – 5+ years of accounting experience.

Specialized Skills, Knowledge and Experience:

- Proficient with technology, with a focus on Excel and Sage.
- Strong communication skills with the ability to convey financial information to individuals with non-accounting backgrounds.
- Self-starter with the ability to work independently and as a member of a team.
- Excellent time management, organizational and planning skills and demonstrated flexibility coping effectively with changing priorities in a fast-paced work environment and the ability to successfully manage and complete multiple tasks within deadlines.
- Excellent problem solving and analytical skills.
- Demonstrates a commitment to health and safety.

What we Offer:

- Competitive starting salary in the range \$80,000 - \$100,000; placement on the range is dependent on your applicable experience, qualifications, skills and knowledge.
- Comprehensive benefits package, including an RRSP matching program.
- Support to maintain your CPA designation.

Interested?

This is an exciting opportunity with a growing firm and innovative leader in District Energy Systems. Please send your application to careers@creative.energy.

We thank all applicants for their interest; however, we will only be contacting selected candidates for follow-up.