

*Our client is one of the largest financial services/banking organisations in the world with market leading products across retail banking, insurance and corporate markets. This job opportunity sits within the creditor insurance business which, although holds a market leading position in the UK, has a key operating centre based out of Shannon.*

*Although the Irish operation is a separate legal entity, it works very closely with other parts of the creditor business in the UK and has seen significant growth in recent years. The Shannon operation now employs 350 staff across a number of key business functions and is set to implement a number of financial and operational change programmes in line with the strategic plans of the wider group.*

# FINANCIAL CONTROLLER SHANNON

The business now requires a driven, energetic Financial Controller to help take the business through this period of transition. Reporting into the Finance Director (based in the UK), the selected candidate will run the Finance function for Shannon and will work very closely with the Operations Director also based at this site.

## **The Position:**

- Will lead a finance team in all aspects of Finance and Accounting with a particular focus on implementing significant changes in relation to the current financial controls.
- Needs a world class approach to management, regulatory and statutory reporting ensuring clear, concise and relevant detail is provided for decision making purposes.
- Requires excellent stakeholder management across the business and the wider Finance community. In addition, the role holder will work closely with the Irish regulator as well as the selective UK government authorities.
- Will be a key member of the leadership team for the Irish operation taking an active lead in all aspects of commercial decision making within the business. Will also be a key member of the wider Finance leadership team.

## **The Requirements:**

- A first rate qualified accountant with a minimum of five years' post qualification experience gained at a senior level with an Insurance, Financial Services or multinational company.
- Excellent leadership skills with the ability to support teams through periods of significant change.
- Proven ability to operate at both a technical and strategic level whilst also possessing the commercial understanding to help evolve the business both locally and across the division.
- Experience of successfully implementing change projects across Finance and/or Operations.
- Should have proven communication, influencing and negotiation skills as well as the drive and ambition required to succeed in this fast moving and competitive environment.

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**As a critical hire for the organisation, the successful candidate can expect a very attractive remuneration package, multiple career opportunities across the wider group and personal stretch and challenge to help them fulfill their potential.**

Interested candidates should contact or forward their Curriculum Vitae in strict confidence to our retained consultant: Marcus Kelly, Managing Director, FK International,  
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