



External Advertisement

Finance Manager

There's never been a better time to be part of The World Game driving the future of this incredible sport. We are currently seeking applications for the Finance Manager role at Football Victoria.

Football Victoria (FV) is the governing body for football in Victoria.

We are recognised as the organisation responsible for the administration, promotion and delivery of football and futsal (indoor football) in the state by both the State and Federal Governments, as well as Football Federation Australia (FFA).

Our funding derives from membership and club affiliation fees, government grants and corporate sponsorship.

Through the national body's affiliation with FIFA (Federation of International Football Associations), we look after everything football in Victoria including:

- semi-professional ranks
- amateurs
- women and girls
- youth
- referees
- coaches
- officials
- volunteers

FV is committed to providing a quality service to the broad community with integrity and professional excellence. Through open communications and a dedication to equal opportunity, our vision is to be the most outstanding sporting body in Australia, leading to success in the world game.

FV is a not for profit sporting organisation run by a Board of Directors, elected by football stakeholders made up of Zone Representatives and Standing Committees. We reinvest any money generated by the game in a financially prudent manner, prioritising in providing more coaching, education, facilities, support and participation opportunities to the community and our partners back to where it is needed most.

We currently employ over 60 staff to deliver on the recently released FV Strategic Plan (“FootbALLways”) and administration of weekly football matches, producing annual football fixtures and appropriate rules of competition. Referees are also appointed to these matches to facilitate a safer and more enjoyable participation experience.

We also deliver education programs and resources to talented players, coaches, referees and club volunteers while promoting the game through various channels, keeping our members informed regularly through a dedicated communications program.

How we play:

RESPECT (Valuing all), INTEGRITY (Doing the right thing), LEADERSHIP (Inspiring vision of the future), INCLUSION (Together we are stronger), UNITY (United for the good of the world game)

This appointment is critical to the success of the future of our Finance function and we are committed to identifying the right person to take us into new territory.

The Finance Manager will lead the strategy for Finance and day to day outputs of the Finance function ensuring that Football Victoria’s finances are maintained at best practice. The role will be responsible for the management and direction of a small team.

The focus of the role is to:

- Lead the Football Victoria Finance team (Senior Financial Accountant, Management Accountant and Accounts Payable)
- Lead and manage the budget planning and forecasting process for Football Victoria
- Strategically Business Partnering with key stakeholders
- Source, interpret and review all Football Victoria financial information
- Predict future financial trends for Football Victoria
- Report to the Executive Leadership Team and stakeholders providing advice on how future business decisions may be impacted
- Produce accurate financial reporting packs related to budgets, account payables, account receivables, expenses etc.
- Establish, manage and report on cashflow and treasury management, including key insights and recommendations
- Develop long-term business plans based on reports to support Football Victoria’s strategy
- Review, monitor and manage budgets and forecasts
- Develop strategies and policies to minimise financial risk
- Monitor financial details to ensure legal requirements are met
- Draft the Annual Report and maintain compliance with other statutory requirements (related to the finance function)
- Support Board reporting processes
- Lead the annual audit processes
- Establishing and refining key processes and outputs

Our ideal candidate will possess the following:

- Degree in Accounting
- CA/CPA qualified
- 5-7 years' work experience post-qualification in a fast-paced environment anchored by best practice principles
- Exceptional skills in Excel with experience in complex financial modelling
- Evidence of a values-based approach to execution of deliverables
- Demonstrated attention to detail and the ability to maintain exceptionally high levels of accuracy in preparation and presentation of data
- High levels of personal energy to drive a customer service and business partnering mindset
- An enterprising, dynamic and analytical mindset
- The ability to develop strong working relationships and manage a small team
- Commercial and business acumen
- Ability to maintain confidentiality
- Advanced analytical and problem-solving skills
- Advanced communication skills, both written and verbal
- Ability to work under pressure and meeting deadlines

Should the above be of interest to you, please submit a covering letter and Curriculum Vitae to: Nina Azzopardi, Executive Manager People – Nina.Azzopardi@footballvictoria.com.au

Applications close 5pm Friday 26 July 2019 with interviews scheduled the following week, so please do not delay submitting your expression should this be of interest to you. Only those shortlisted will be contacted.

Permanent residents of Australia with full working rights will be considered for this role. Recruitment agencies, we appreciate your interest however request you not contact us regarding this opportunity. Previous applicants need not apply.

FV is an equal opportunity employer committed to providing a safe working environment that embraces and values child safety, diversity, and inclusion. We encourage applications from all underrepresented groups including Females, Aboriginal or Torres Strait Island people, those with disabilities and culturally and linguistically diverse backgrounds.