

ROLE: Investment Director

The Investment Director will be responsible for growing Arise by sourcing, developing, negotiating, closing and exiting FI opportunities. Responsible for relationship management and monitoring of certain FIs and together with Value Creation Team, making appropriate improvements within the FI.

The Investment Director reports to the CEO.

The Investment Director has a functional and coordinating relationship with Investment Managers, Associates and Analysts and with the members of the Value Creation Team.

MAIN RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Provide leadership, source and execute investment opportunities
- Manage a team of Investment Managers, Associates, members of the Value Creation Team and external providers through the investment and ESG process
- Lead due diligence, direct transaction team and coordinate transaction execution and closing
- Present investment proposals to the Investment Committee
- Actively work with project / portfolio companies' post-investment in close cooperation with the Value Creation Team
- Liaising with Investee's management teams, and ensure that best financial and non-financial practices, including EMS (Environmental Management Systems) are implemented
- Take board seats in Investee partners
- Coach, develop and mentor the team in their career development
- Business development with the objective to build a strong pipeline of potential investment opportunities

QUALIFICATIONS:

- Honours, Financial degree or equivalent
- 10+ years' experience within Private Equity, (Investment) Banking (M&A, corporate finance) or similar, possibly with previous experience in a Big Four Accounting firm.
- Strong financial modelling skills and attention to detail
- Financial acumen - the capacity to demonstrate knowledge of and insight into financial principles and processes and identify inconsistencies in data
- Ability to apply sound business judgment and an analytical, pragmatic and creative approach to problem solving
- Ability to plan and prioritise effectively: strong project / process management skills
- Excellent verbal and written communication skills
- Technically proficient (Advanced) in Excel, Word, PowerPoint essential

PERSONAL CHARACTERISTICS:

- Intrinsically motivated by the mission of Arise
- Flexible & dynamic - self-motivated, results driven, ability to deal with change
- Highly organised and structured, logical and lateral thinker.
- Team player, with exceptional interpersonal skills and the ability to influence and add value.
- Excellence orientation (concern for high-quality work) - Follow-through; the motivation to ensure the highest standards of quality and productivity are consistently maintained
- Leadership style: management by example, always fostering a collaborative culture amongst the team members, shareholders and stakeholders



REMUNERATION:

The remuneration package includes salary, pension, medical benefits, insurance and a reasonable performance related bonus.

Please submit applications to The Human Resources Manager at catherine.cowling@ariseinvest.com.



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