

Role Title:	Corporate Finance Intern/Placement	
Grade:	Scale 3	
Responsible to:	Senior Accountancy Assistants	
Responsible for:	No Supervisory Responsibility	
Liaison with:	Police Officers, Police Staff, General	
	Public, External Organisations,	
	Agencies and Partnerships	
Required Vetting Level:	RV – Recruitment Vetting	
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Role Purpose	The maintenance of detailed financial systems/records, in line with		
	detailed Financial Instructions and audit requirements, and the provision		
	of related information and advice		
Main	Administration		
Responsibilities	 To carry out general administrative duties which may include:- Word processing/keyboarding and spreadsheet work Formatting documents Co-ordination of office diaries Ordering 		
	 Mail collection and distribution Filing and storage of information 		
	To operate associated machinery/equipment which may include associated information systems and telephones, within specialist units/departments		
	Advice and Guidance		
	 Receive and deal with straightforward enquiries from customers related to area of work and escalate more difficult/ complicated queries 		
	 Provide relevant information, on the phone, face-to-face or electronic 		
	based on existing departmental procedures		
	 Interact with, and pro-actively supply information to external agencies 		
	and members of the public		
	Finance		
	Receive and process financial transactions including low value cash and near cash equivalent.		
	Organisation/Planning		
	 Plan and organise own work, and carry out defined tasks according to detailed instructions under direct supervision Organise, schedule and attend events/meetings/resources including equipment, people and systems according to detailed instructions 		
	Co-ordinate with other team members across the Department		
	Processes		
	Follow, create and amend processes for use by self and others related to area of work		
	Quality assure processes for use by self and others as directed		
	 May receive and process various types of transactions 		
	Record Keeping		
	Create, store, maintain, retrieve and update records/data both		
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	manual and electronic on a local and national systems x Use and understand common systems relevant to area of work to enable manipulation of information and initial investigation of customer queries/problems Customer Service and Representation x To present a positive image and service to both internal and external customers x Individuals are required to effectively engage with internal and external customers at all levels, in order to provide a high quality standard of service x Maintain confidentiality in relation to data protection issues and Management Of Police Information (MOPI) standards In addition, the post holder must be prepared to undertake such additional duties which may result from changing circumstances, but which may not of necessity, change the general character or level of responsibility of the
	post.
Qualifications	X Must possess or working towards a degree or equivalent qualification in Accountancy, Finance or Business Studies
Skills	Essential
	x Must be computer literate and proficient in Microsoft applications. x Must be able to input and access computer information x Must be able to assess priorities x Must be able to adapt to change x Must be able to work as a member of a team x Must be receptive and respond to new procedures
	Desirable
	x Welsh Language Level 2 - Can understand the essence of a conversation in Welsh, and can convey basic information and respond to simple requests in Welsh. Can use Welsh to transfer telephone calls. Can introduce oneself and others by name, role, and location/organisation. Can contribute in a meeting partly in Welsh.
Knowledge	Essential
	x Must have up to date knowledge of IT packages i.e. Microsoft Word, Excel, Outlook Desirable x Knowledge of financial ledgers and budget systems x Knowledge of public sector and general accountancy requirements.
Personal Qualities	Serving the Public Demonstrates a real belief in public service, focusing on what matters to

the public and will best serve their interests
Understands the expectations, changing needs and concerns of different
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communities and strive to address them

Builds public confidence by talking to people in local communities to explore their viewpoints and break down barriers between them and the police

Understands the impact and benefits of policing for different communities and identifies the best way to deliver services to them

Works in partnership with other agencies to deliver the best possible overall service to the public

Professionalism

Acts with integrity, in line with values of the Police Service

Takes ownership for resolving problems, demonstrating courage and resilience in dealing with difficult and potentially volatile situations Acts on own initiative to address issues, showing a strong work ethic and putting in extra effort when required

Upholds professional standards, acting honestly and ethically and challenges unprofessional conduct or discriminatory behaviour Remains calm and professional under pressure, defusing conflict and being prepared to step forward and take control when required

Openness to Change

Positive about change, responding flexibly and adapting to different ways of working

Finds better, more cost effective ways to do things, making suggestions for change

Takes an innovative and creative approach to solving problems Asks for and acts on feedback, learning from experience and developing own professional skills and knowledge

Service Delivery

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Plans and organises tasks effectively, taking a structured and methodical approach to achieving outcomes

Manages multiple tasks effectively by thinking things through in advance, prioritising and managing time well

Focuses on the outcomes to be achieved, working quickly and accurately and seeking quidance when appropriate

Decision Making

Gathers, verifies and assesses all appropriate and available information to gain an accurate understanding of situations

Considers a range of possible options before making clear, timely, justifiable decisions

Reviews decisions in light of new information and changing circumstances

Balance risks, costs and benefits, thinking about the wider impact of decisions

Exercises discretion and applies professional judgement, ensuring actions

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Is approachable, developing positive working relationships
Listens carefully and asks questions to clarify understanding, expressing
own views positively and constructively
Persuades people by stressing the benefits of a particular approach,
keeps them informed of progress and manages their expectations Is
courteous, polite and considerate, showing empathy and compassion
Deals with people as individuals and address their specific needs and
concerns
Treats people with respect and dignity, dealing with them fairly and
without prejudice taking a non judgemental approach regardless of their
background or circumstances

All individuals of South Wales Police must display the qualities to be able to work in an organisation with minority groups and provide service to minority groups in communities. They must show that they are able to contribute to an open, fair working environment where inappropriate behaviour is not permitted. They must display no evidence of the likelihood to contribute in any way to work place bullying or any other form of discriminatory behaviour.

Method of Assessment

When completing your application please ensure you only complete the sections marked below as these are the sections you will be marked against for the shortlisting stage of your application.

Qualifications	Yes
Skills	Yes
Knowledge	Yes
Personal Quality – Serving the Public	Yes
Personal Quality – Professionalism	Yes
Personal Quality – Openness to Change	
Personal Quality – Service Delivery	
Personal Quality – Decision Making	
Personal Quality – Working with Others	Yes

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