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Revenue Accounting Manager

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SUMMARY

Detail-oriented accounting professional with over 8 years of experience in revenue accounting, settlements, and financial operations within renewable energy. Proven expertise in US GAAP compliance, month-end closing processes, and improving financial workflows. Successfully implemented systems that optimized processes for accurate revenue capture and stronger internal control. CPA certified with advanced analytical skills and a dedication to enhancing efficiency and accuracy through collaboration and innovative improvements.

EXPERIENCE

Revenue Accounting Manager

Green Energy Solutions 📅 April 2023 - Present 📍 Chicago, IL

Leads the REC Settlements & Revenue Accounting function, ensuring precise financial operations while fostering cross-functional collaboration. Actively engaged in shaping streamlined processes to support effective organization-wide revenue management.

- Ownership of RECs and environmental commodities billing processes, managing contract and pricing validations judiciously.
- Collaborated effectively with various departments such as Commercial Operations and Treasury to improve revenue recognition accuracy.
- Implemented Allegro system enhancements, significantly increasing invoicing accuracy across renewable energy transactions.
- Prepared meticulous customer invoices, journal entries, and reconciliations, supporting efficient month-end close activities.
- Proactively resolved settlement discrepancies and billing concerns, prioritizing customer satisfaction and comprehensive communication with stakeholders.
- Maintained a compliant environment with organized documentation, facilitating smooth internal control processes and external audits.

Senior Revenue Accountant

Solar Innovations Corp 📅 June 2018 - March 2023 📍 Chicago, IL

Oversaw month-end closure processes while leading strategic financial reporting to senior management. Focused on process improvements and mentoring junior staff to enhance operational excellence.

- Spearheaded month-end closes, thoroughly verifying compliance with US GAAP requirements.
- Transformed financial reporting processes resulting in clearer visibility into revenue streams, aiding strategic decision-making.
- Guided and trained team members on settlements, reinforcing best practices in revenue accounting.
- Worked closely with IT to harness necessary optimizations within ERP systems thus promoting timely reporting capabilities.
- Executed detailed account reconciliations which impressed senior management and solidified risk reduction methods.
- Conducted successful auditing initiatives ensuring structured processes aligned with SOX compliance, securing audit-ready documentation.

Revenue Accountant

EcoPower Solutions 📅 January 2016 - May 2018 📍 Chicago, IL

Handled comprehensive revenue accounting procedures, facilitating seamless invoicing and reconciliation efforts for renewable energy projects. Developed strong regulatory awareness.

- Managed robust billing and reconciliation workflows, ensuring alignment with revenue recognition protocols for both federal and state guidelines.
- Assisted in software transition projects providing essential training that significantly improved team performance.

STRENGTHS

- 👁 **Attention to Detail**
Comprehensive approach ensures accuracy in every aspect of financial reporting and compliance.
- 🧠 **Analytical Thinking**
Utilized thorough analysis to identify discrepancies, solving issues before they affect broader operations.
- 👥 **Collaboration Skills**
Built strong cross-department relationships, greatly enhancing information flow and process efficiency.
- ✂ **Process Improvement**
Actively sought opportunities to enhance workflows, reflecting positively on overall departmental functionality.
- 💻 **Technical Proficiency**
Advanced skill with Excel alongside ERP tools like Allegro significantly reduced manual errors in reports.

SKILLS

US GAAP Revenue Recognition

Month-End Close

Account Reconciliations

Billing Processes Advanced Excel

ERP Systems Analytical Skills

Problem Solving Settlements

Audit Compliance

Financial Reporting

Customer Invoices

Contract Management

Data Validation

LANGUAGES

English Native

Spanish Intermediate

MY CAREER



● Revenue Accounting Manager at Green Energy Solutions (3.3 Years)

● Senior Revenue Accountant at Solar Innovations Corp (4.8 Years)

● Revenue Accountant at EcoPower Solutions (2.3 Years)

- Identified and analyzed financial discrepancies proposing solutions that benefitted overall reporting accuracy.
- Collaborated with external auditors, ensuring tight-knit coordination during the auditing process.
- Enhanced efficiency in operational workflows, obtaining commendations for attention to detail.
- Contributed valuable insights into regulatory developments affecting revenue accounting, strengthening readiness and response strategies.

LEADERSHIP & AWARDS

- Green Energy Accounting Excellence Award for outstanding achievements in revenue process automation, awarded September 2025.
- Recognized by management as Employee of the Month for exceptional team contributions during fiscal quarter ends, awarded January 2024.

EDUCATION

Bachelor's Degree in Accounting

University of Illinois 🎓 GPA: 3.8 📅 2015 📍 Champaign, IL

Coursework: Financial Accounting, Managerial Accounting, Auditing, Taxation

CERTIFICATIONS

- Certified Public Accountant (CPA) 📅 2016
- Advanced Financial Management Certificate 📅 2019

TECHNICAL SKILLS

- **Accounting Software:** Allegro, Oracle, QuickBooks
- **Spreadsheet Applications:** Excel, Google Sheets, Smartsheet
- **Communication Tools:** Slack, Microsoft Teams, Zoom
- **Data Visualization Tools:** Tableau, Power BI, R
- **Regulatory Standards:** SEC Guidelines, SOX, IFRS
- **Analysis Techniques:** Root Cause Analysis, Variance Analysis, Trend Analysis
- **Project Management Tools:** Asana, Trello, JIRA
- **Tax Compliance Tools:** CCH Axcess, Thomson Reuters
- **Document Management Systems:** SharePoint, DocuSign, Adobe Acrobat
- **Collaboration Platforms:** Office 365, G Suite, Dropbox

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- Member of the American Institute of CPAs (AICPA), engaging in continuous education and networking opportunities.
- Participant in the Environmental Finance Association, contributing to discussions on sustainability in finance.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Work Status : Authorized to work in United States. No sponsorship required.

REFERENCES

AVAILABLE ON REQUEST