

Senior Director, Finance & Operations



Canadian Lutheran World Relief

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Canadian Lutheran World Relief (CLWR) is a charitable, not-for-profit faith-based organization that carries out a broad range of programs that are united in the goal of making life better for those in need on an international scale. These programs include: Humanitarian Response, Food Security and Livelihood, Education and Skills, and Refugee Resettlement.

CLWR is searching for a collaborative, diplomatic, and passionate **Senior Director, Finance & Operations** to join their team. Reporting to the Executive Director, the **Senior Director, Finance & Operations** will be responsible for ongoing internal operations of the organization, focusing on fostering a positive work culture and providing strategic direction. This role will also be responsible for overall financial management of CLWR and all that encompasses to ensure financial reporting reflects accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations.

The **Senior Director, Finance & Operations** is a member of the Senior Leadership team and will act as the internal manager of the organization, providing daily presence and coordination in the office. This role also works closely with the Executive Director in overall administration of CLWR, playing a key role in supporting their strategic growth and development.

The ideal candidate is passionate and curious with a drive to make a difference in the world, with a visionary, business mindset and ability to deal diplomatically and neutrally with a wide variety of stakeholders and cultural groups with compassion and respect.

Skills & Qualifications

- Senior executive experience at a Director-level or relevant role
- Chartered Professional Accountant (CPA) designation is a requirement
- Deep understanding of business functions such as finance, administration, and human resources
- University degree in business administration or related field
- Experience in financial project budgeting and management and financial reporting, and government grants preferably in a cause-related, not-for-profit or charity context
- Working knowledge of IT/business infrastructure, digital and technology systems that support and enable organizational goals
- Experience reporting to Board of Directors and Finance & Audit Committees
- Critical thinking and analytical skills to diagnose and problem solve
- Experience working internationally an asset
- Experience in fundraising and/or marketing is an asset

If you would like more information about this opportunity or CLWR, please visit <https://bit.ly/CLWR-SDFO> or contact **Lisa Cefali**, Partner, Executive Search, and Strategic Development, Legacy Bowes at (204) 934-8833.

If you believe you can make a strong contribution to this organization as **Senior Director, Finance & Operations**, please submit your resume in confidence to Lisa.Cefali@legacybowes.com quoting position #213230