



## **Call for Applications: Group Head of Accounting**

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*We are looking for a dynamic Head of Accounting for our Group Head Office, sharing our enthusiasm for our mission: to produce the healthiest food that nature can grow, deliver a positive impact on our environment and inspire change across the whole food industry.*

### **Features:**

Job type: full-time

Salary: Competitive

Location: Sint-Katelijne-Waver, Belgium

### **Roles & Responsibilities:**

In this challenging role, the Head of Accounting will be responsible for the accounting of several Belgian and Dutch entities and will take charge of the consolidation process. He or she will report directly to the CFO and work closely with the Group Business Controller.

Specific areas of responsibility include:

- End responsible for the accounting of 11-12 entities
  - Monthly closing
  - VAT returns
  - Processing payroll
  - Recharge of costs/ management fees
  - Preparing the annual accounts
  - Preparing the tax return
  - Any other statutory requirements
- Follow up on intercompany positions (current accounts/ loans/ accrued interests)
- Follow up on financing structure
- Cash planning
- Executing and managing the consolidation process
- Maintaining and assisting the business units with the consolidation tool
- Communicating with business units on reporting requirements
- Assisting in drafting the financial statements (IFRS)
- Preparing and assisting in the audit process
- Ad-hoc analysis of the financial figures
- Contact person for several external stakeholders (banks, auditors, tax authorities, etc.)

### **Skills, Qualifications & Attitude**

We are looking for a team player, confident and happy to work hard to accomplish a purposeful goal. The following skills are the most important:

- 5-6 years of relevant experience in accounting and tax management
- Detailed knowledge of Belgian GAAP and knowledge of IFRS. Notions of Dutch GAAP
- Effective experience in overseeing and executing consolidation
- Effective experience in managing a full audit process with big 4 auditor
- Disciplined, sense of responsibility, discrete, analytical mind-set
- Hands-on and accurate
- Knowledge of SigmaConso is a plus
- Excellent Excel knowledge
- Excellent communication and interpersonal skills
- Fluent in English and Dutch
- Interest in themes such as sustainability, resource efficiency, regenerative or circular business models



### **About The Fruit Farm Group**

The Fruit Farm Group is an international producer and exporter of fresh fruits and vegetables. We grow the most desirable fruit and vegetable varieties and serve a global customer base ([www.thefruitfarmgroup.com](http://www.thefruitfarmgroup.com)).

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