

Are you up to the Challenge?

Seylan Bank PLC is one of the largest private Commercial Banks in Sri Lanka, operating with a network of 117 fully automated on-line branches throughout the island. Since its inception 23 years ago, the Bank continues to pioneer innovative banking products and solutions to the Financial Services Market of the country, living up to its motto "The Bank with a Heart".

We are delighted to have dedicated, multi-talented individuals with passion for teamwork and leadership, who enjoy problem solving, demonstrate initiative and take pride in delivering commitment. If this sounds like you, then you will thrive with us.

HEAD OF RISK MANAGEMENT / CHIEF RISK OFFICER

The Job

Reporting directly to the Board of Directors, your challenge would be to formulate strategies;

- To identify, measure and mitigate inherent Risks in Banking Operations
- In your capacity you will be responsible in designing and implementation of a standard methodology to manage risk in areas of Bank Operations, Credit, Markets, Trade, Treasury, IT, Finance and any other relevant/ applicable area, Assessment and Data collection, Analysis, Reporting and making recommendations on Risk Management measures to the Senior Management and the Board of Directors.
- Co-ordinate with all Branches/Strategic Business Units and Departments of the Bank and support the promotion of sound Knowledge of risk across the organization through maintenance of effective Risk Policies and Procedures, providing relevant Risk Management Training and serving as an expert in Risk Assessment and Management Methodologies and Tools.
- Be vigilant to Industry Best Practices of Risk Management and constantly update relevant methodology/approach and thereby ensure that the Strategic Objectives of the Bank are being achieved.

The Person

- A University degree in Finance or equivalent and/or Full Qualification/Membership in CIMA/ICASL/ACCA or CFA. An MBA with a specialisation in Banking and Finance would be advantageous.
- Sound understanding of Accounting/Auditing principles, Risk and Control Standards, Basel II requirements and the Best Practices in Risk Management.
- Strong Critical and Analytical skills, Discretion, Good Judgement and Good Business acumen for the purpose of identifying/balancing business opportunities against risks and making recommendations for improvement.
- Excellent Written and Verbal Communication, Negotiation and Inter-personal skills coupled with sound Administrative and Leadership abilities.
- Minimum of 10 years experience in Risk Management or related area with at least 05 years at a Senior Management Level, preferably in a Financial Service Organisation.
- Age preferably below 50 years.

Remuneration: An attractive and negotiable remuneration package commensurate with qualifications and experience in keeping with Financial Service Industrial norms. In addition a company maintained vehicle will be provided for the right candidate

If you believe you have got what we are looking for, please send in your profile/CV along with contact details of two non-related referees within 07 days of this advertisement to reach

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