Christophe Gharios

Finance Management Growth

Contact

Summary

Beirut, Lebanon +961 71 178 933 christophe.gharios@hotmail.com Christophe Gharios is an experienced accounting professional with a strong background in accounting and management. He has expertise in financial reporting, cash, and operations management. Beyond finance, he is the founder and manager of The Bookshop LB, reflecting his love for books and reading. Passionate about discovery, he also shares engaging content on his Instagram page, @DiscoverWithChris. Fluent in multiple languages and highly adaptable, Christophe combines financial expertise with entrepreneurial and creative pursuits.

Education

Experience

Sagesse University MS: Accounting and Auditing 2017 – 2021 (Without the Thesis) Accountant / Financial Analyst • Equitum Capital Partners sal Sep 2024 - Present

BS: Accounting and Auditing

- Prepare and review financial statements (balance sheets, income

2014 - 2017 (With Distinction,

statements, and cash flow statements) and conduct financial analysis to support strategic decision-making. - Ensure the accuracy and completeness of financial reports, maintain the

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general ledger, and oversee accounts payable and receivable processes. - Manage cash flow to ensure timely payments and collections. Prepare required data for external audits while ensuring operational compliance with regulations and internal controls.

Sagesse School, Ashrafieh Bacc two, Life Science

- Collaborate in identifying process improvements and work with crossfunctional teams to enhance financial efficiency.

1999-2014

Founder and Manager • The Bookshop LB

July 2020 - Present

- Personally select, purchase, curate, and display the books on all pages of the online bookshop. Furthermore,
- Handle all business aspects of the bookshop.
- Provide all necessary assistance for readers to choose the books that best suit their requirements and add value to their knowledge.

Additional Experience Content Creator of

instagram.com/chrisgharios_/

@DiscoverWithChris

Business Support, Accounting • Freelance

January 2018 - 2022

Accountant • Berytech SCAL

April 2018 - October 2019

Internal Auditor • BLC Bank sal

November 2017 - January 2018

Accountant • VIP Parking Control sarl

September 2017 – October 2017

Stock Controller • Zizette sal

February 2015 – August 2017

Credit Officer • Zizette sal

September 2014 – February 2015

Key Skills

Trainings

Accounting Financial Reporting Corporate Finance Financial Statement Analysis Analytical Skills

EMDE01x: Unlocking Investment and Finance in Emerging Markets and Developing Economies (EMDEs)

February 26, 2025 • edX

World Bank Group - Open Learning Campus

Corporate Financial Statement Analysis

February 14, 2025 • LinkedIn Learning

National Association of State Boards of Accountancy (NASBA)

Budgeting and Forecasting Program Management **Project Management Small Business Management** Crisis Management Team Management Change Management Time Management Change Readiness Human Resources (HR) Productivity Improvement Personal Development **Organization Skills** Microsoft Excel Microsoft Word Microsoft PowerPoint Microsoft OneNote Communication / Active Listening **Customer Service** Professional Phone Skills Workplace Relations **Building Trust** Open Innovation

Payroll & Social Security

February 19 & 21, 2025 • Dagher Audit Rabih Dagher, LACPA

Excel Essential Training (Microsoft 365)

November 11, 2024 • LinkedIn Learning National Association of State Boards of Accountancy (NASBA)

Word 2019 Essential Training

June 12, 2020 • LinkedIn Learning

National Association of State Boards of Accountancy (NASBA)

PowerPoint 2019 Essential Training

June 9, 2020 • LinkedIn Learning

National Association of State Boards of Accountancy (NASBA)

OneNote Essential Training

Jan 14, 2025 • LinkedIn Learning

Digital Marketing Foundations

Nov 27, 2024 • LinkedIn Learning

ISO 9001:2015 Quality Management System Training Course October 30, 2024 • ISO Liban

ISO 19011:2018 Internal Auditor Training Course

July 29, 2019 • ISO Liban

ISO 9001:2008 QMS Foundation Training Course

May 16, 2015 • ISO Liban Inc.

ISO 9001:2015 QMS Essentials Training Course

May 16, 2015 • ISO Liban Inc.

ISO 14001:2015 Environmental Management System

December 10, 2018 • ISO Liban Inc.

ISO 45001:2018 Occupational Health and Safety

December 10, 2018 • ISO Liban Inc.

ISO 9001:2008 Quality Human Resources

June 10, 2015 • ISO Liban Inc.

Administrative Human Resources

Feb 07, 2025 • LinkedIn Learning

Society for Human Resource Management (SHRM®)

HR Certification Institute® (HRCI®)

Young Leaders Program

September 19, 2022 • Saradar Bank

In partnership with ESA Business School

Microsoft Power Platform Fundamentals (PL-900) Cert Prep:

Core Components

November 08, 2024 • LinkedIn Learning

Project Management Foundations: Small Projects

June 13, 2020 • LinkedIn Learning

National Association of State Boards of Accountancy (NASBA)

Project Management Institute (PMI)®

Program Management Foundations

June 14, 2020 • LinkedIn Learning

National Association of State Boards of Accountancy (NASBA)

Project Management Institute (PMI)®

Managing in Difficult Times

May 19, 2020 • LinkedIn Learning

National Association of State Boards of Accountancy (NASBA) Project Management Institute (PMI)®

Effective Listening

June 1, 2020 • LinkedIn Learning

National Association of State Boards of Accountancy (NASBA)

Developing Your Emotional Intelligence

May 23, 2020 • LinkedIn Learning Project Management Institute (PMI)®

Phone-Based Customer Service

May 16, 2020 • LinkedIn Learning

Embracing Unexpected Change

May 23, 2020 • LinkedIn Learning

How to Survive Difficult Coworkers

May 18, 2020 • LinkedIn Learning

Psychological Safety: Clear Blocks to Innovation, Collaboration, and Risk-Taking

May 21, 2020 • LinkedIn Learning

Leading in Crisis

May 16, 2020 • LinkedIn Learning

Bill George on Self-Awareness, Authenticity, and Leadership

May 17, 2020 • LinkedIn Learning

The Practical Workshop in Value Added Tax

March 21, 2019 • Nada Khater – CPA Colorado State

The Practical Workshop in NSSF & Payroll Tax

March 22, 2019 • Nada Khater - CPA Colorado State

French Language Courses

Level B1.2

March 05, 2019 • Institut Français du Liban

Level B1.3

May 09, 2019 • Institut Français du Liban

Level B2.2

June 26, 2019 • Institut Francais du Liban

Journalism

February 24, 2018 • Journalist Mr. Yazbek Wehbe Sponsored by Blom Shabe

Branding

May 19, 2018 • Designer / Entrepreneur Fady Aziz Sponsored by Blom Shabe

HOBBIES

LANGUAGES AND TECHNICAL SKILLS

Stamps and Books collector since 2016

Languages: Fluent in Arabic, English, and French

Computer Literacy: Experience in Libib (Library management web app), Microsoft Office, Manager accounting software, Photoshop (Basic Knowledge)

References

Available upon request.