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## Financial Controller – Maternity Cover (6-Month FTC)

### Description

London (Fully On-Site) | Technology Business | Immediate Start

A fast-growing London technology business is looking for an experienced Financial Controller to join on a 6-month fixed-term contract, covering a period of maternity leave. This is a fully on-site role based at their London offices, offering the chance to take ownership of a well-run finance function during an important period for the business.

#### The Role

Reporting to the CFO, you will take day-to-day responsibility for the finance function, ensuring continuity and control throughout the cover period. Key responsibilities include:

- Ownership of month-end close, management accounts, and board reporting packs
- Managing cash flow forecasting, working capital, and treasury
- Overseeing accounts payable, receivable, and payroll processes
- Maintaining a robust control environment and balance sheet integrity
- VAT returns, statutory compliance, and liaison with external accountants and auditors
- Supporting budgeting, reforecasting, and ad hoc analysis for the leadership team
- Managing and developing a small transactional finance team

### Qualifications

#### About You

- Fully qualified accountant (ACA, ACCA or CIMA)
- Proven experience as a Financial Controller or strong Finance Manager ready to step up
- Prior experience in a technology, SaaS, or fast-growth environment strongly preferred
- Hands-on and comfortable owning the detail while communicating clearly with senior stakeholders
- Systems-savvy — experience with cloud accounting platforms (e.g. Xero, NetSuite) an advantage
- Available at short notice and able to commit to the full 6-month term, five days a week on site in London

### Job Benefits

#### What's on Offer

- 6-month fixed-term contract with a competitive salary (pro rata) or day-rate equivalent
- High-visibility role with genuine ownership from day one
- A collaborative, energetic office environment in central London
- Potential for the engagement to open doors within a growing business

### Hiring organization

Accountancy Capital

### Employment Type

Temporary

### Beginning of employment

1st August 2026

### Duration of employment

Six months

### Industry

Technology

### Job Location

London, South East, United Kingdom

### Working Hours

9-5

### Base Salary

£ 85,000 - £ 90,000

### Date posted

July 10, 2026