

# DIRECTOR, FINANCE

TEACHERS' RETIREMENT ALLOWANCES FUND (TRAF) - WINNIPEG, MANITOBA



Our client, The Teachers' Retirement Allowances Fund (TRAF), is the pension plan for public school teachers and other eligible employees in the Province of Manitoba. As TRAF looks to invest and modernize their technologies and look to new strategies for evolution and growth, this newly created role will work closely with the Vice President, Finance in a number of value-add and strategic projects.

Reporting to the Vice President, Finance, the Director, Finance will also collaborate on the development and implementation of accounting, finance, tax, risk and investment strategies, as well as provide leadership to an accounting and finance team.

## THE ROLE

- Provide leadership, mentorship and direction to the finance team.
- Oversee the day-to-day operations of the finance department.
- Participate in the development of annual and long-term departmental objectives.
- Provide oversight to the annual audit process.
- Preparation of financial statements and budgeting.
- Play a significant role in the modernization of accounting and finance systems.
- In collaboration with the Vice President, Finance, develop and maintain policies and procedures, as well as internal controls.
- Evolve and maintain risk management strategies for the finance department and partner with the Chief Risk Officer in monitoring and assessing financial risk.



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# YOU & YOUR EXPERIENCE

- You have completed a Bachelor's degree in Accounting or Finance supported by a professional CPA designation (CMA, CGA or CA).
- You have 8- 12 years of experience in accounting and finance and are an experienced leader, having managed finance and accounting teams.
- You are a clear and concise communicator who can build relationships both internally and externally.
- You're a strong believer in collaboration and can work with stakeholders, employees and colleagues to bring major initiatives to a successful conclusion.
- You are a mentor and leader who promotes a highly accountable team that works towards productive goals and achievements.

## ABOUT TRAF

The Teachers' Retirement Allowances Fund (TRAF) Board administers the pension plan for over 38,000 active, former and retired teachers in the public school system in Manitoba. The total assets managed to support the pension plan are approximately \$6.6 Billion.

TRAF is governed by a Board which oversees its operations. The Board acts as trustee of the Fund and is ultimately responsible for the proper administration of The Teachers' Pensions Act.

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## TRAF

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