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**PROFESSIONAL PROFILE:**

Skilled accounting professional with 10+ years of accounting experience, including 8+ years of experience with the Milwaukee Bucks. Possess strong work ethic and excellent analytical, problem solving, and communication skills. Collaborative worker with a deep understanding of financial management and strategy.

**EXPERIENCE:**

Milwaukee Bucks, Milwaukee, Wisconsin July 2019 – Present  
Director of Accounting and Financial Reporting

- Spearhead annual GAAP audit and completion of Company's yearend financial statements and corresponding footnotes
- Bridge GAAP financial statements to annual leaguewide Basketball Related Income and Combined Financial Statement submissions and lead associated audits
- Manage departmental and companywide budget and reforecast process and assist Chief Financial Officer with associated financial modeling and cash projections
- Oversee monthly, quarterly, and annual general ledger close process
- Complete and review reconciliations and analyze financials to ensure accurate and timely periodic closes
- Collaborate with ticket operations and sales departments to develop a streamlined and accurate home game ticket reporting and reconciliation process to the League
- Manage, coach, and evaluate accounting staff, providing feedback to ensure accurate work and influence continuous development
- Assist Senior Vice President of Finance and Administration with preparation of annual income tax reporting package
- Analyze monthly expense detail with department heads to ensure accurate reporting and identify company-wide cost saving opportunities
- Ensure compliance with company and league-wide debt agreements through completion of quarterly financial statements and other reporting requirements

**Previously held positions with company:**

Senior Manager July 2017-July 2019  
Accounting Manager July 2015-July 2017  
Senior Accountant February 2014-July 2015

Deloitte and Touche, Milwaukee, Wisconsin September 2011-February 2014  
Senior Auditor

- Planned and executed financial statement audits of public and privately held companies in a range of industries: Retail, Power and Utilities, Manufacturing, Real Estate
- Supervised engagement teams and served as key client contact. This included coordinating and communicating with Controllers and key accounting personnel regarding deadlines, deliverables, and issues as well as maintaining key client relationships.
- Managed trained, and led audit teams in the completion of quarterly, interim, and annual audit procedures

**EDUCATION AND PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT:**

University of Wisconsin - Madison  
Masters of Accountancy May 2011  
Bachelors of Business Administration May 2010

The State of Wisconsin Department of Safety and Professional Services  
Certified Public Accountant License Nov 2011