



## EMPLOYEMENT AT PACRA FINANCIAL ANALYST



The Pakistan Credit Rating Agency (PACRA) offers immense opportunity to young individuals who wish to pursue a career in the financial sector. PACRA, is a **knowledge organization**, one of the very few institutions in Pakistan which provides opportunity to engage in research and analyses of the economy and corporate sector. You have access to magazines, newspapers, sector studies and individual company reports. Every day there is at least one presentation on current affairs and each month several other presentations including industrial sector studies.

Most analysts are young in their 20s, hence organization culture is youthful. We have regular celebrations and parties, annual trip to northern areas, gym membership and guest house facility in Karachi. Pacra is a great place to work.

PACRA is equal opportunity employer and has a healthy mix of both genders.

### WHAT WILL THE JOB ENTAIL?

The **Financial Analyst** will be assigned a client portfolio. They will be responsible for their credit rating. This will entail studying their accounts, digging deeper into the ownership structure, and management quality. Comparing the company with financial result and ratios of comparable companies in the same industry. Together with their team leader analyst will be required to travel regularly to interview client's top management including CEO of Corporates and President of Banks - to build understanding of the ever-changing business dynamics, challenges faced by the company and the strategies CEOs have carved for their institution.

PACRA offers intense exposure to a very large cross section of financial and corporate sectors of Pakistan. It helps develop analytical thinking, presentation and research skills. In time analyst will be assigned to prepare sector reports, and build financial models and methodologies.

### WHO ARE WE LOOKING FOR?

A person:

- Who likes to read and keep abreast of economic affairs, strategic issues and corporate development.
- Who enjoys researching and analyzing companies; predicting their future performances.
- Who values developing knowledge and improving presentation skills (at PACRA you will have to regularly make brief to Rating Committee and give presentation to fellow colleagues)
- With ability to develop rapport with senior officials of the clients.

### WE WOULD LIKE TO HEAR FROM YOU IF YOU ARE A:

- Professional (**CA Finalist, CFA, ACCA**) with a minimum of 3 years' experience.
- MBA, Masters in Accounting/ Finance/Mathematics with a strong CGPA.
- B.Sc. Hons from a top University (**with interest in Accounting, Finance, Statistics, Economics or Mathematics**).
- Non-accounting degree holders must develop good grasp of basic accounting concepts.

If you believe that you fit our criteria, please email your detailed **curriculum vitae** including your academic qualifications and work experience, a **recent photograph**, current and expected salaries, and contact details at: [careers@pacra.com](mailto:careers@pacra.com) **Kindly apply by 4 Sep, 2017.**