### Schedule "A" TOURISM VANCOUVER METRO VANCOUVER CONVENTION & VISITORS BUREAU

# **POSITION DESCRIPTION**

## **IDENTIFICATION**

Position Title: Department: Reporting to: Date Prepared: Intermediate Accountant Corporate Services Controller February 2017

#### **POSITION SUMMARY**

The Intermediate Accountant will assist the Controller in overseeing the day to day accounting activities of the Finance department to ensure the daily accounting and financial processes are accomplished in a timely and accurate manner. In addition, this position will oversee and support the accounts payable and receivable functions of the Finance Assistants.

## **POSITION RESPONSIBILITIES**

The responsibilities include but are not limited to the following:

- Assist the Controller in overseeing the payables and receivables functions;
- Responsible and oversees payroll processing including related journal entries, ensuring compliance, reconciliation and coordination of applicable benefits related to payroll and T4 calculations;
- Responsible for monthly bank and balance sheet accounts reconciliation;
- Administers the corporate credit card(s) program;
- Assists the Controller with analysis and preparation of various financial reporting needs;
- Assists the Controller with month end general journal entries and year end entries including overseeing and maintaining the chart of accounts;
- Assists and works with the Controller to ensure internal controls are effective;
- Assists the Controller with the annual financial audit including preparation of lead sheets, account reconciliations, and responding to auditors' requests;
- Works with the Controller to improve general financial related systems and processes.

Provides training to new finance staff (A/P and A/R) as part of new employee orientation.

Other duties as assigned from time to time by the Controller, Chief Financial Officer or by Tourism Vancouver.

## **WORKING CONDITIONS**

Attendance and/or assistance at occasional after-hours functions.

## **QUALIFICATIONS**

- 2 4 years of experience in a similar role including at least two years working experience in a supervisory capacity with strong leadership skills
- Must have achieved higher levels of professional accounting program
- A solid understanding of the full accounting cycle up to preparation of financial statements
- Demonstrated ability to be well organized with a high degree of accuracy and attention to detail; excellent time management; able to prioritize competing responsibilities and meet tight timelines
- Ability to think critically/analytically with excellent judgement and skill in decision making
- Able to work independently and committed to team excellence
- Strong working knowledge with Microsoft Excel and experience with other Microsoft Office applications an asset.
- Experience with established accounting and related software an asset
- Demonstrated effective written and verbal communication and interpersonal skills with all levels of the organization
- Experience with absolute discretion and management of confidential information
- Passionate about Vancouver as an international travel destination