



Job Title:	Sr. Financial Analyst
Location:	Houston, TX
Employment Status:	Full-time
Reports To:	This position will report to Director, Commercial Finance
Travel (%):	< 5 %
<u>Major Roles & Responsibilities</u>	<p>Kraton Corporation is looking to hire a new member of our Finance team. This FP&A Senior Analyst role is created to provide financial support to Kraton's management. The FP&A Senior Analyst will ensure that best-in-class financial support is provided to internal and external stakeholders; compliance with the required United States Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (US GAAP); drive Kraton's ability to report reliable and accurate information about the business; and partner with the commercial and operating teams to derive shareholder value.</p> <p><u>Major Roles & Responsibilities:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Support in the preparation of budgets, operating plans, forecasts, and investment strategies. • Provide timely, relevant and accurate reporting & analysis of the results of the company's performance against historical, budgeted, forecasted and strategic planning results to facilitate decision-making toward the achievement of the budget and strategic plan. • Liaise directly with Segment Controllers for financial insight on both current period analytics as well as point of view development for forecast builds. • Manage delivery of key reporting metrics for Kraton Leadership Team. • Assist FP&A Manager in management of corporate financial forecasting model. • Key contributor for preparation of quarterly Board of Director presentations. • Key contributor for preparation of quarterly and annual public filings. • Global owner of SG&A and R&D fixed cost reporting. • Perform ad hoc reports and other analyses and special projects as requested <p><i>The statements above are intended to describe the general nature and level of work performed by employees assigned to this classification. Statements are not intended to be construed as an exhaustive list of all duties, responsibilities and skills required for this position.</i></p> <p><i>Kraton's internal talent acquisition team manages our recruiting efforts and from time to time works with pre-selected/pre-approved external staffing agencies. We do NOT accept unsolicited resumes or candidate referrals from recruiters and/or agencies who are not pre-selected/pre-approved.</i></p>
<u>Skills and Experience</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bachelors or Masters degree from an accredited college or university in finance or accounting • Minimum of 5 to 10 years of experience in finance and accounting in a chemical or manufacturing environment with a publicly traded company • Certified Public Accountant (CPA) credentials preferred • Excellent problem solving skills, detailed oriented with focus on quality and accuracy • Strong knowledge of MS Office applications, advanced Excel and PowerPoint skills • Ability to multi-task and work in a challenging fast paced environment SAP experience (FI/COPA/BI) preferred. • Strong financial analysis experience and cost accounting experience is preferred. • Ability to work in a highly automated environment and pull data and translate it into meaningful business information. • Effective communication skills – written, verbal, interpersonal, and presentation. • Solid judgment and decision-making skills • Experience working collaboratively within a matrix work environment and team structure across geographic boundaries.
<u>How to Apply</u>	Submit your resume to jobs@kraton.com