



# Group Chief Finance Officer

*We are looking for our Group Chief Finance Officer to structure and manage the finances of a fast-growing multi-country African business. This role is ideal for ambitious professionals looking to play a pivotal role in shaping a growing organisation's finance department.*

## Your scope of activity will include:

- Impulse the leadership to achieve company's ambitious financial target
- Structure the finance teams of the group at central and local level
- Become the business partner of schools and subsidiaries to improve financial monitoring and support their development projects
- Supervise main financial processes (including but not limited to monthly management accounting, financial planning & analysis, reporting, compliance, HR management ...)
- Define and implement relevant finance optimisation strategies (taxes, cash pooling, ...)
- Forecast cash flow carefully to ensure constant adequate funding of school operations
- Educate stakeholders on the importance of financial management to achieve growth
- Contribute to fund raising in close collaboration with the CEO
- Support due diligences on potential acquisitions

The Head of Finance will report to the CEO and lead the Finance committee reporting to Enko Education Board. Position is based in Johannesburg, South Africa.

## As an ideal candidate, you:

- Share our excitement to offer a top-notch international education to the African middle-class and understands the affordability challenges we face
- Embrace the Enko values like no one
- Have the required empathy and leadership to deal with an incredible diversity of stakeholders
- Speak perfectly French and English. Portuguese is a plus.
- Share our excitement to offer a top-notch education to the African middle-class
- Demonstrates passion for Sub-Saharan Africa

## About Enko Education

Young African talent is **under-represented in the world's best universities**. In the United States alone, a census by UNESCO reveals 900,000 foreign students, of which only 31,000 originate from sub-Saharan Africa. Meanwhile, 100,000 students come from India, a country whose population size and GDP per capita are similar to that of sub-Saharan region. This discrepancy is explained by the **inadequacy of traditional education to prepare learners to enrol in such universities**.

Enko Education is an **Africa-wide fast-growing network of international schools**, preparing learners across Africa for admission to the world's best universities.

To that end, Enko Education develops an innovative education model relying on internationally-recognized curriculum, such as the **International Baccalaureate Diploma Programme**. By adopting an asset-light strategy and relying on extensively trained local teachers, Enko Education operates with **schools fees which are on average a quarter of those charged by other international schools** in Africa, thus enlarging drastically the population eligible to such quality education. Early results have been impressive as Enko learners have joined top universities like Yale University (USA), Sciences Po (Fr), University of Toronto (Canada), African Leadership University (Rwanda) and many more.

In four years, Enko Education has opened **twelve schools in Senegal, Cameroon, Mozambique, Côte d'Ivoire, Mali, Burkina Faso and South Africa** and will now accelerate its development with an objective of running 40 schools in the next five years. World-renowned financing institutions, including Proparco (Groupe AFD), I & P, Oiko Credit and LiquidAfrica, support Enko Education's ambition.

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