

## From Treasurer to Managing Director Global Trading

In 1999, the world's most famous auction house commissioned us to look for an international treasurer and, at the same time, a temporary senior corporate treasurer to set up the newly founded company in Zurich. The aim of the newly founded company was to coordinate the global cash management activities and operate a modern treasury system. We found a temporary treasury specialist who laid the structures for a successful start of the newly formed company. But we also found the treasurer, who took over the role firmly. He built up the global treasury activities and established them within the Group. After hiring additional employees, he was promoted to Managing Director. He held this position until his retirement in 2012.

As if this was not enough, we not only optimally established this situation with two specialists, but also ensured long-term succession (see below):

## From Accountant / Assistant Treasurer to Managing Director Global Trading

In the course of further strengthening the team we were commissioned in 2001 to look for a person as Accountant / Assistant Treasurer. We found a young, ambitious and dedicated woman with the appropriate experience and personality. She quickly and effectively built up accounting and, over the years, became increasingly involved in treasury tasks as planned. When the acting Managing Director retired in 2012, she took on the role of the managing director and she still holds it successfully. With a small team she oversees the worldwide activities of the group.

It was a good decision of our customer to trust us with the recruitment.

**SOTHEBY'S**  
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are the world's leading international fine art auctioneers. We are currently seeking two treasury specialists:

**Temporary  
Senior Corporate Treasurer**

We are looking for an experienced Treasurer to design and implement treasury systems for the newly formed Sotheby's Global Trading Company in Zurich and to manage the hand over to the permanent International Treasurer.

It is anticipated that this role will be for 3 months and we are looking for someone who can bring experience of start up situations to ensure our treasury function is set up in the most efficient way with sufficient internal control procedures.

**International Treasurer**

We are looking for a well-educated Treasurer to build up and run Sotheby's Global Trading Company in Zurich.

You will have experience in a banking/finance or corporate treasury function including:

- The management of foreign exchange risk and cash flows in a multi currency treasury environment
- Maintenance and development of banking relationships
- Day to day treasury functions

This role will also include some accounting and legal work, so experience in these areas is preferred.

Are you interested in one of these challenging positions? Please contact

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**Accountant /  
Assistant Treasurer**

for the recently formed Sotheby's Global Trading Company in Zurich.

You are working in a small team, building up the accounting system according to US-GAAP and manage the reporting. In addition, you support the Treasurer in the management of foreign exchange risk and cash flows in a multi currency treasury environment, in the maintenance and development of banking relationships and in the day to day treasury and administration functions.

We are looking for a young, well experienced and open-minded personality with accounting- and treasury-knowledge.

Are you interested in this interesting and challenging position? Please contact

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