

#### About LankaBangla Finance PLC.

LankaBangla Finance PLC. is a non-banking leading financial services Company in Bangladesh, committed to providing innovative and diverse solutions for individuals and businesses. As part of our ongoing growth and offering commitment to comprehensive financial products, we are launching a dedicated Islamic Financing Division. To lead this transformation, we are seeking a visionary and dynamic individual to join us as the Head of Islamic Financing.

**JOB TITLE** Head of Islamic Financing

> **LOCATION** Dhaka, Bangladesh

**DEPARTMENT** Islamic Financing

**REPORTS TO** Managing Director

**POSITION** Up to EVP/SEVP

**POSITION TYPE** Full-Time, Permanent

#### **Role & Responsibilities**

As the Head of Islamic Financing, you will be responsible for overseeing the strategic direction, growth and profitability of the Islamic Financing Division. You will lead the development and execution of the business strategy for Islamic Financing products, ensuring compliance with Islamic principles and regulatory guidelines, while delivering exceptional service to customers.

#### **Key Responsibilities Include**

- Develop and execute the strategic plan for Islamic Financing to drive growth and profitability in line with the commands of Allah and his Prophet (SWT).
- Establish and manage Islamic Financing products and services in line with Shariah principles.
- Oversee day-to-day operations, including product development, marketing and risk management, compliance and customer service.
- Collaborate with key stakeholders, including Shariah Board, the Executive Committee, Board and external regulatory bodies, to ensure adherence to all relevant regulations.
- Foster a culture of excellence and continuous improvement across the Islamic Financing Division.
- Lead and develop a high-performing team of Islamic Financing professionals.
- Establish and maintain strong relationships with customers, partners and stakeholders.

- Ensure adherence to Islamic Financing laws and regulations, as well as global best practices.
- Monitor the competitive landscape and identify opportunities for innovation and growth.

## **Required Education**

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- Master's Degree in Finance, Business Administration, Economics or a related field.
- Additional certifications in Islamic Financing or Islamic Banking (e.g., CIB, CIBFP) will be highly advantageous.

## **Skills & Competencies**

- **Expertise in Islamic Financing:** In-depth understanding of Islamic finance products, principles (like Musharakah, Mudarabah, Ijarah, etc.) and regulations.
- Leadership Skills: Proven ability to lead and inspire a cross-functional team, manage multiple stakeholders and drive change at an executive level.
- **Strategic Vision:** Strong business acumen with the ability to craft and execute long-term strategic plans for Islamic Financing.
- **Risk Management:** Experience in identifying, assessing and mitigating risks specific to Islamic finance.
- **Regulatory Knowledge:** Thorough understanding of local and international Islamic Financing regulations, compliance standards and Shariah governance.
- **Financial Expertise:** Strong financial analysis skills, including budgeting, forecasting and financial reporting.
- **Relationship Management:** Ability to establish and maintain relationships with high-profile clients, partners and regulatory authorities.
- **Communication Skills:** Strong verbal and written communication skills, with the ability to communicate effectively with diverse audiences.
- Innovation & Problem-Solving: Ability to think strategically and innovate within the confines of Islamic finance while solving complex challenges.
- **Customer-Centric Approach:** A strong focus on customer satisfaction and providing Shariah-compliant solutions that meet the diverse needs of clients.
- Cultural Fit: Alignment with LankaBangla's values of integrity, innovation and excellence.

# Experience

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- A minimum of 12-15 years of experience in the Financing or Financial Services Sector, with at least 5 years in a leadership role in Islamic Financing or related fields.
- Proven track record in managing Islamic Financing operations, products and teams.

# **How to Apply**

• Interested candidates are invited to submit their résumé and a cover letter detailing their qualifications, experience and vision for the role. Please submit your application via *https://t.ly/cIHN4* or send it directly to *career@lankabangla.com* 

### The deadline for submission is December 21, 2024

LankaBangla Finance PLC. is an equal opportunity employer and we encourage applicants from diverse backgrounds to apply.

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