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### ST. MAARTEN Ministry of Education, Culture, Youth and Sport (MECYS)

The Department of Education of the Ministry of Education, Culture, Youth and Sport is looking for an enthusiastic, dynamic, experienced and qualified professional to fill the following function:

#### Controller

#### The main tasks for this function are:

- Coordination of the preparation of the annual budget of the Public and subsidized schools;
- Gatekeeper for the financial management and accounting;
- Periodical analyses and assessments of the budget of the Public and subsidized schools;
- Conduct investigations and audits, assess the legality, efficiency and effectiveness of (proposed) (policy) products and identifies and analyzes (financial) risks;
- Provides a contribution to the preparation of management contracts and SLA's;
- Collects and analyzes budgetary data and assesses this in the long term;
- Advising management on improvements and priorities;
- Examines and advises on the multi-annual year budget.

#### Requirements:

- Master's Degree in finance, accounting or relevant discipline or at least 3 years experience in similar function;
- Broad knowledge of business economics and public finance;
- In-depth knowledge of integrated Planning and Control Cycle;
- Understanding of the financial-economic, political and social context of the organization and its consequences;
- Good communication skills in the Dutch and English language (verbal & written);
- Must be a team player, result-oriented, accurate and confidential.

#### Salary:

The position is valued at scale 12. Depending on the level of knowledge and experience, the salary will vary between minimum Cg 6,185.00 and maximum Cg 10,217.00.

#### Information:

For additional information about this function, please contact the Head of the Department of Education, Mrs. Sidonia Lacorbiniere-Hodge via e-mail: [sidonia.lacorbiniere-hodge@sintmaartengov.org](mailto:sidonia.lacorbiniere-hodge@sintmaartengov.org).

#### Applicants:

If you are interested in this function, please send your application letter, CV and copies of your degrees to the following address: [careers@sintmaartengov.org](mailto:careers@sintmaartengov.org) or submit at the Government Administration Building at Soualiga Road #1, Pond Island, Great Bay, before **July 31, 2025**. Please state your name and the job title in the subject of your application email.

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#### AB 2025, no. 28

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#### Policy Officer:

#### The main tasks for this function are:

- *Developing Policy* regarding the continued development of the Education Sector, to promote the welfare of all members of society through education. Including the development of various policy products such as policy papers, advisory notes, reports, plans, project proposals, etc.
- *Advising on administrative / legal matters* related to the Education Sector. Including consulting with lawyers, analyzing complex issues, contributing to the processing of appeals, proposing regulations and advising regarding relevant changes to legislation.

#### Requirements:

- Master's degree in public administration, political science, education or relevant discipline;
- Relevant work experience in similar function;
- Strong project-management skills,
- Strong general / comparative research skills,
- Solution oriented,
- Team player with strong analytical skills,
- Excellent written and interpersonal communication skills in both English and Dutch.

#### Salary:

Depending on the level of knowledge and experience, the salary will vary between minimum Cg 5,298.00 and maximum Cg 9,011.00.

#### Information:

For additional information about this function, please contact the Head of the Department of Education, Mrs. Sidonia Lacorbiniere-Hodge via e-mail: [sidonia.lacorbiniere-hodge@sintmaartengov.org](mailto:sidonia.lacorbiniere-hodge@sintmaartengov.org).

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## COMMUNITY COUNCIL INFORMATION SESSION

#### Date:

Monday July 28

#### Time:

6.30 PM - 8.30 PM

#### Place:

University of St Martin

Registration closes on  
Thursday, July 24.

Interested person are asked  
to register at  
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or by calling  
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