

Finance Business Partner

At Ecorys, we deliver impactful solutions to complex challenges.

Our clients include national and international governments as well as private parties. We analyse the social effects of policy, monitor investments, and advise on sustainable transitions. Beyond data and analytics, our work thrives on collaboration and developing creative solutions for the challenges of today and tomorrow.

Our Finance team plays a central role in enabling Ecorys' project-driven organisation to deliver high-quality work for clients across the Netherlands and Europe. With over 400 projects per year — ranging from €10k to €22 million — rigorous project control is essential to our success. The Finance Business Partner bridges the worlds of finance and operations, working closely with sector leaders to ensure projects run smoothly, on budget, and on time.

Your Role

As Finance Business Partner at Ecorys Netherlands, you are responsible for the project control of our Dutch operations. You act as a trusted sparring partner for sector leaders, helping them manage complex projects with confidence. You will lead a small team of two project controllers and report directly to the Finance Director. This is a hands-on, senior role that combines financial expertise with commercial insight, in a dynamic consultancy environment. The role is based at our Rotterdam office (3 days per week on-site).

Key responsibilities:

Act as a sparring partner for sector leaders on project finances and business decisions

- Manage budgeting, cash flow and revenue recognition for a portfolio of 400+ projects per year
- Monitor project progress and perform budget-vs-actual evaluations
- Ensure data quality of project master data and timely invoicing and hour registration
- Prepare and coordinate internal and external project audits
- Manage and coach a team of two project controllers
- Collaborate with sector leaders on delegation frameworks and financial reporting

What do you bring to the table?

- HBO+ working and thinking level, preferably in a financial or business direction
- At least 10 years of experience in project control, preferably in a consultancy environment
- Experience managing projects on both the Dutch and EU market
- Proficient in Dutch and English (written and spoken)
- Strong Excel skills and experience with Microsoft Office; knowledge of Unit4 Business World is a plus
- A proactive, communicative personality with the confidence to challenge and advise senior stakeholders

What do we offer you?

At Ecorys, you'll join an international organisation with highly motivated professionals working on key societal challenges.

- A salary of € 5500-6235 gross per month, depending on experience
- A high degree of freedom and flexibility with hybrid working (up to two days remote per week)
- An open culture that welcomes new ideas and collaboration
- 30 days of annual leave with the option to buy or sell days
- Development opportunities through training and knowledge sharing
- A modern, collaborative office in Rotterdam with an informal, social atmosphere

Our Rotterdam office is home to around 100 highly qualified consultants working with both public and private sector clients, nationally and internationally.

Interested?

Apply directly via our online application form with your most recent CV (a cover letter is optional).

Would you like to know more first? Contact us at recruitment@ecorys.com