

Experience report

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I am Feras Yaghmour, 28 years old, and I studied business administration at Stralsund University of Applied Sciences, and I am now a controller.



How did you find us?

During my studies at Stralsund University of Applied Sciences, I realised the regional importance of ml&s as a leading employer. My interest was aroused by recommendations from several professors, who emphasised the close cooperation with ml&s. I had a positive response to the experiences of their graduates at ml&s, which made a lasting impression on me, so I decided to apply for a work placement at ml&s based on these recommendations.

What area did you start in and what were your first tasks?

I joined ml&s as an apprentice in the customer management department, more specifically in the pricing and costing department. In this role, I was instrumental in maintaining prices in the system and actively supported the preparation of quotations that were sent to our customers. This not only gave me a deep insight into the financial aspects of the company, but also allowed me to interact directly with customer issues. During my subsequent employment as a working student, my area of work expanded and I was able to demonstrate my skills in the area of commercial tasks. I assisted with various reporting tasks, which further enhanced my skills in dealing with business processes.

What are you currently doing with us?

I am currently permanently employed as a controller in the commercial department and am responsible for a variety of demanding tasks, including

- » creation of daily, weekly and monthly reports
- » participation in the monthly and annual financial statement activities
- » reporting as part of group controlling
- » participation in overhead planning to support the long-term financial corporate strategy

These varied activities are allowing me to further develop my analytical skills.

How did we convince you of us?

ml&s won me over right from the start with a number of persuasive qualities. In particular, the flexible option of working from home and the adaptable flexitime model have had a positive impact on the way I work and have made it much easier for me to reconcile work and personal commitments. The flat hierarchies at ml&s create an open communication culture that promotes the exchange of ideas and makes for efficient decision-making processes. These aspects not only fulfilled my expectations, but also strengthened my trust in ml&s as an employer.