



We are Sri Lanka's premier private sector commercial bank. Our visionary journey has taken us beyond the realms of business as we have made a conscious effort to go where no bank has dared to go; from downtrodden villages long-forgotten, to the world across the shores. The driving force behind this epoch-making journey is our strong team of achievers, affectionately known as the Hatna Family. As we continue to make history and move ahead, we invite dynamic and ambitious individuals to join us in our trailblazing banking saga.

**We are looking for bright minds to help us create a world of happy experiences.**

## **CHIEF DATA OFFICER (CDO)**

### **Job Role**

The CDO plays a pivotal role in the organization's data ecosystem, with a wide range of responsibilities including but not limited to being a Data Strategist, Data Custodian, Data Evangelist, and Business Enabler. The CDO will manage data strategy, governance, and analytics, working closely with both CIO and CISO.

The selected will be expected to identify opportunities to use data analytics to solve complex business challenges, optimize processes, and uncover new revenue streams whilst establishing and maintaining frameworks that define data ownership, quality standards, and lifecycle management. He/she must ensure that data is treated as a valuable organizational asset.

### **Business Outcomes**

- Create new revenue streams using data (monetize data).
- Improve predictability of the business with data.
- Improve customer experience with data.

### **Duties and Responsibilities**

- Work closely with business leaders to understand their data needs.
- Develop and execute the Bank's data strategy.
- Create data policies, processes, and procedures covering all areas of activity.
- Facilitate the timely and accurate preparation and submission of regulatory and internal management/board reports, ensuring the provision of comprehensive and reliable information for informed decision-making and regulatory compliance.
- Stay abreast of regulatory changes and evolving reporting standards, and proactively implement necessary changes to reporting processes and systems.
- Oversee the translation of analytical findings into compelling narratives and visualization to communicate insights effectively to business heads and other key stakeholders.
- Promote the organization's culture across the team to ensure its alignment with the required and desired data behaviours.

### **Educational Qualifications**

- A degree or recognized professional qualification in IT.
- Preference will be given to any qualification related to Analytics, or Data Architecture
- Knowledge of applicable technologies/platforms relevant to data management and aligned vendor solutions will be an added advantage.

### **Competencies and Experience**

- Domain experience and IT background. (Technocrat)
- Proven experience in a technology leadership role
- Data acumen - a strong sense of the value of data and ability to apply such acumen at a broad, strategic level.
- Quantitative mindset
- Drive to learn and adapt - need to be curious about the latest developments in evolving technology and how the organization can leverage these opportunities.
- Cross organizational team work and collaboration
- Empathetic problem solving and storytelling ability with data and understanding of business perspective.
- Risk and governance expertise.
- Excellent communication and interpersonal skills
- Strong leadership and project management skills to give programme leadership.

**Detailed duties and responsibilities will be provided if shortlisted**

Interested candidates are invited to apply for the position  
All applications must reach us by.

**31<sup>st</sup> May 2024**

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