Contracting out the finance function

Web-sites

The Outsourcing Center web-site includes a journal, forum for discussion and event listings.
http://www.outsourcing-financial-services.com/

This is the web-site of the Outsourcing Institute, an international professional association in the field of outsourcing, which collects together a range of articles and news on outsourcing. Access to the news and articles database is free but requires registration.
http://www.outsourcing.com/

The Finance Function offers a range of services, from managing an existing finance function through to delivering a fully outsourced finance function.
http://www.financefunction.co.uk/

Books


Articles


Reed, K. “Research predicts finance is offshoring’s next big thing”. Accountancy Age, 9 March 2006, p. 11


“Your beans are there to be grown, not counted. Outsourcing the finance function can be a value-adding way of allowing FDs to concentrate on the things that really matter”. Financial Director, February 2002, pp. 41-42.

Reports


This 2,500-word briefing provides an introduction to the theory behind ‘contracting out’ as a strategic option for the delivery of financial services within organisations. It includes a summary of the reasons behind, and potential benefits of, outsourcing (aspects of) the finance function, and observations based on a case study example.


Presentations


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