# Herlinda Jaklitsch

Cost Accounting Manager

#### **Profile**

## **Employment History**

#### **Details**

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Results-driven Cost Accounting Manager with 5 years of experience in overseeing financial operations, implementing cost reduction strategies, and improving business performance. Proficient in financial analysis, budgeting, and cost control. Demonstrated ability to lead and develop teams to achieve operational efficiency and financial goals. Strong communicator with a proven track record of implementing process improvements and enhancing business profitability.

## Cost Accounting Manager at Honeywell, KY

Mar 2023 - Present

- Led a team in reducing overhead costs by 15% through the implementation of an efficient cost allocation system, resulting in annual savings of \$1.2 million for Honeywell, KY.
- Streamlined the budgeting and forecasting process, leading to a 20% reduction in time spent on these activities and increasing accuracy of financial projections by 10%.
- Successfully identified and eliminated \$500,000 worth of inventory discrepancies, enhancing the overall accuracy of inventory valuation and ensuring compliance with financial reporting standards.

### Assistant Cost Accounting Manager at General Electric, KY

Aug 2018 - Feb 2023

- Led a team that successfully reduced operating costs by 15% (\$1.2 million) in the fiscal year 2019-2020, by implementing process improvements and cost control measures across various departments within General Electric, KY.
- Conducted a comprehensive review and analysis of the company's inventory management system, resulting in a 10% reduction in inventory carrying costs, saving \$500,000 annually.
- Streamlined the budgeting and forecasting process, improving accuracy by 20% and reducing the time spent on these tasks by 30%, allowing the finance team to focus more on strategic initiatives and decision-making.
- Developed and implemented a new cost allocation model that increased transparency and accountability for departmental expenses, leading to a 5% reduction in overhead costs, amounting to \$300,000 in annual savings.

#### **Education**