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# Michelle Wirtz

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Michelle Wirtz is a seasoned finance leader with over 18 years of experience across the Life Sciences industry. As a trusted advisor, she partners with companies navigating complex transitions such as turnarounds, strategic restructuring, and M&A.

Her expertise includes capital strategy, marketing assets, procurement and vendor negotiation, cash flow management, accounting analysis, and internal controls with a proven ability to lead organizations through high-stakes financial transformations.

Michelle's collaborative leadership style, persistence, and technical expertise make her a valuable partner to businesses, boards, and investors seeking clarity and results during times of change.

Michelle led all financial operations of a $22M health-tech turnaround in an Assignment for Benefit of Creditors coordinating with the receiver, investors, regulators, and vendors to drive resolution in a multi-jurisdictional investigation.

Prior to joining Lighthouse Management Group, Michelle held multiple CFO and Controller roles in both private equity-backed and publicly traded companies. In addition, Michelle provided assurance services at Ernst & Young and RSM focused on the Life Sciences industry for over 10 years. Michelle is a Certified Public Accountant and holds a Bachelor of Accountancy and Fraud Examination Minor from North Dakota State University.