

# ERIC BENAGE

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## EDUCATION/CERTIFICATIONS

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### EDUCATION

Lexington High School – Lexington, SC ▪ Graduation Date: May 2005

### CERTIFICATIONS

CPR/AED for Professional Rescuers and Healthcare Providers – City of Columbia Fire Dept ▪ June 2011  
Bloodborne Pathogens Training: PDT – City of Columbia Fire Dept ▪ June 2011  
Administering Emergency Oxygen – City of Columbia Fire Dept ▪ June 2011  
Emergency Response – City of Columbia Fire Dept ▪ June 2011  
National Incident Management System – City of Columbia Fire Dept ▪ August 2011  
Incident Command System – City of Columbia Fire Dept ▪ September 2011  
National Response Framework – City of Columbia Fire Dept ▪ September 2011  
1152-OSHA – City of Columbia Fire Dept ▪ October 2011  
Hazardous Materials Awareness – City of Columbia Fire Dept ▪ November 2011

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## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

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### ARMY NATIONAL GUARD

Oct 2013 – CURRENT

- MOS 11B Infantry – Ranking E2

### AMAZON – LEBANON, TN/COLUMBIA, SC

AUG 2012 – CURRENT

#### WAREHOUSE ASSOCIATE

- Highly skilled in inspecting, operating and handling equipment (Fork Lift, Reach Truck, Order Picker, Double Walkie) safely and efficiently
- Act as an Amazon Ambassador to train new and current employees on work equipment
- Pull inventory for proper packaging and shipping in an accurate and time efficient manner
- Inspect inventory for defects and damages
- Responsible for making sure workplace is a safe environment

### COLUMBIA FIRE DEPARTMENT – COLUMBIA, SC

APRIL 2010 – MAY 2013

#### VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTER

- Responded to all alarms and calls for emergency medical services and rendered first aid
- Performed salvage operations such as throwing salvage covers, sweeping water and removing debris
- Responded to and rendered assistance in all emergency cases
- Inspected equipment and apparatus and made minor repairs as needed
- Participated in numerous training activities and instruction classes
- Assisted with written records, reports and other incident related documentation
- Performed all work duties and activities in accordance with City policies and procedures including City-wide safety and practice

### SUPERIOR GROUNDS, LLC – COLUMBIA, SC

MAY 2010 – AUG 2012

#### LANDSCAPING SUPERVISOR

- Supervised and coordinated all activities of workers engaged in maintenance of all residential, commercial and other communities
- Provided workers with leadership and assistance in performing duties as necessary to meet deadlines
- Established and enforced operating procedures and work standards that provided adequate performance and personal safety
- Acted proactively to create opportunities for new business
- Maintained work in progress reports, timesheets for employees, contracts, etc.

### MUNGO COMPANY – COLUMBIA, SC

OCTOBER 2006 – MAY 2010

#### LANDSCAPING SUPERVISOR

- Provided landscape installations and maintenance services for various residential clients while supervising and leading a team of an average of 10 employees
- Point of contact for all client communications
- Responsible for scheduling and planning all job tasks
- Ensured proper use and safe keeping of company resources and equipment while making repairs to equipment as needed
- Worked in extreme weather conditions
- Maintained work in progress reports, timesheets for employees, contracts, etc.

### H & H WOODWORKS – COLUMBIA, SC

MAY 2005 – OCTOBER 2006

#### CARPENTER

- Built and repaired cabinets, doors, frameworks, floors, tiles, decks and other fixtures used in buildings using woodworking machines, carpenter's hand tools and power tools
- Installed structures and fixtures, such as cabinets, frames, floorings, windows, trim and hardware
- Inspected ceiling or floor tile, wall coverings, siding, glass or woodwork to detect broken or damaged structures
- Worked with and/or removed hazardous materials