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Objective: Seeking a full time position that exploits my welding and fabrication education and experience of Mig, TIG, Stick and or ARC welding as wells as other skills in a manufacturing environment.

Skills Summary

- Strong knowledge of mechanical systems, fabrication, and welding
- Profound knowledge of welding theory and principles
- Exceptional capability to work with a variety of welding tools in a secure and efficient way
- Forklift Certified

Welding Experience

Leaf Industries, Plymouth, MN

October 2010 – Current

MIG and TIG Welder

- Welds production & prototypes in various materials including stainless steel, precious & semi-precious metals
- Fabricates and assembles complete pieces of equipment by using metal forming and cutting tools
- Maintain workload within timelines allocated while producing high quality products
- Sets up fixtures and lays out work for production and prototype piece parts
- Interpret mechanical drawings/blueprints, including weld symbols
- Responsible for` maintaining welding equipment maintenance
- Comply with all safety and housekeeping regulations

Atlas Metals, Miami, FL

February 2006 – June 2010

TIG Welder

- Weld water channels, modular units and accessories for units
- Work with aluminum, stainless steel, and sheet metal
- Review layouts, blueprints, diagrams, or work orders in preparation for welding or cutting metal components.
- Responsible for training new welding employees
- Conduct prototypes for different products used for the company
- Repair broken or cracked parts, fill holes and increase size of metal parts, using welding equipment.
- Weld in flat, horizontal, vertical, or overhead position
- Supported company with quarterly inventory counts

Additional Experience

Publix, Aventura, FL

May 2001 – November 2002

Seafood Clerk

- Assisted customers at seafood counter
- Cut, scaled and weighed seafood
- Helped butcher red meats
- Worked in a team effort environment

Education

Central Lakes College, Brainerd, MN

September 2003 - December 2005

- Welding and Fabrication Program
- Certified Graduate in MIG, TIG, Stick and ARC Welding