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## Professional Summary

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I would like to find a career in which I can excel and utilize my abilities and knowledge I've learned over the past two decades. I've been part of many safety committees and programs which provided input and put systems in place to make workplaces more safe and efficient. I've done warehousing, manufacturing, and shipping/receiving for many years. I feel I can bring a lot to the table in my future career.

## Work Experience

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### **Global Supply Chain Operator-Shipping and Receiving-Forklift**

Sherwin-Williams-Aurora, CO

February 2022 to Present

My current role here at Sherwin consists of many tasks. My primary function is unloading/loading various types of paint; i.e enamel, primers, latex, etc. When doing this function, I ensure I'm using the FIFO method so that the rotation of product consistently is being stored and shipped properly for customer satisfaction. I use two systems to maintain the quality of the product. One is AWCS. This system keeps track of where I'm warehousing/staging our product. The other system is LMS, which keeps track of where I've been and times each load/unload I do. Twice a week I also build orders for stores. This can be anywhere from various sizes of paint to raw materials. During my tenure, I've also been nominated for safety employee of the month 3 times. This exemplifies my work safety on and off the floor. I'm currently part of our safety committee as well. As a committee, we meet once a month to go over any hazards, concerns, or things that can be improved or worked on for employee safety. Although this environment is very fast-paced and many employees moving fast as well, I do my part to maintain the safest and cleanest possible environment.

### **Dock Technician-Forklift/Production & Manufacturing**

PepsiCo-Denver, CO

January 2017 to February 2022

In this role, I was responsible for unloading various machines such as coolers, vending equipment, fountain equipment, and ice makers. These were returned from customers that were either damaged or not working properly. I'd take said equipment and load it onto trailers to be sent out to be repaired or damaged out. I then loaded new or refurbished equipment to replace the returned. I was responsible for loading trailers as they were scheduled to go out. I also moved trucks in the order that they were going to be sent out. This meant driving fountain trucks to and from my section of the warehouse. The fountain equipment that was returned often needed to be bled out so that was another function I was responsible for. When loading new equipment to be sent out, I loaded the trailer in order to ensure the delivery driver could start at the tail for the first stop and end at the nose for the last stop. This was helpful and time-saving for the driver. I did this function efficiently and safely.

### **Production/Manufacturing**

The Coca-Cola Company-Denver, CO

April 2014 to January 2017

My role at Coca Cola was a breaks/relief man. There were 5 functions I was responsible for. There was blow molding (making of the bottles), labeling, filling, packaging, palletizing, and warehousing. I was responsible for covering these machines when someone was on break, lunch, or vacation. I was certified to run all machines enabling me to be a relief man. This was a very high-paced environment which I excelled in. I also was responsible for checking in/out raw materials. All while maintaining a safe and clean environment for my coworkers and myself.

## **Order Picker-Production**

PepsiCo-Denver, CO

August 2008 to April 2014

When I first started at Pepsi, I was an Order Builder. I built orders for the major stores; i.e Walmart, Target, Kings Soopers, Sam's Club, Costco, and Safeway. These orders consisted of cans, bottles, Starbucks coffee, various energy drinks, and Gatorade. I'd have to build orders in a timely and efficient manner all while maintaining a safe environment. After a year of order building, I then transferred to the manufacturing side of the business. I then learned how to run all functions/machines on both the can and bottle side of this department. This then led to being a relief man. I was responsible for providing breaks and lunch for employees manning different machines. There was blow molding, labeling, filling, packaging, palletizing, and warehousing. I also responsible for helping in packaging changes. An example would be 20 oz to 2 liter. We were allotted 2 hrs each change and our team would always meet that mark. All while maintaining a safe and clean environment.

## **Flow Team Member-Receiving**

Target-Westminster, CO

April 2006 to August 2008

As a flow team member, I was responsible for the unloading of incoming trailers that contained the store's merchandise and product. As a team, we then palletized this product according to the department in which they were to be stocked. When we finished the trailer, we then went to the floor to stock the shelves. If there was back stock, that product was sent to the back room to be shelved until a later time. I worked this function for about a year until a transferred to receiving. I feel I excelled in this role because I was very attentive to detail to ensure product that was incoming was in the correct date and temperature, depending on the product. I received everything from dairy, various foods, electronics, and packages. I was also responsible for damaging out product that was damaged or out of date. Whether that be to damage it out completely or sending product to various food banks or even the zoo- (out of date meat) for example. All while maintaining a clean and safe environment.

## **Education**

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### **Stenography-General Studies (Associate's degree)**

Denver Academy of Court Reporting-Westminster, CO

June 2003 to July 2005

## **Skills**

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- Time management (10+ years)
- iOS
- Demand planning
- Organizational skills
- Order picker
- Carrying
- Self-directed learning
- Hand tools
- Machine operator experience
- Logistics
- Machine learning
- Microsoft Word
- Pallet jack

- Manual handling
- Machine loading
- Blueprint reading (5 years)
- Calipers
- Warehouse management system
- Six Sigma
- Technical Proficiency
- Plastics Blow Molding
- Carrier management
- Working with people with disabilities
- Factory
- Microsoft Excel
- Precision measuring instruments
- Manufacturing facility
- Shipping and receiving discrepancy reporting
- Production planning
- Lifting
- Electric pallet jack
- Plastics injection molding
- Data entry
- MRP
- Computer skills
- Inventory control
- Laboratory experience
- Communication skills
- Machine operation (10+ years)
- Manufacturing
- Data collection
- Assembly
- Attention to detail
- Interpersonal communication
- Grocery store
- GMP
- Forklift
- Docker
- Inventory management
- Leadership
- Sourcing
- Packaging
- Heavy lifting (10+ years)

- Quality control
- English (10+ years)
- RF scanner
- Basic math
- Micrometer
- Quality assurance
- Procurement
- On-time delivery targets
- Quality inspection
- Writing skills (10+ years)
- Supply Chain
- 5S
- Agile
- ERP systems
- Math
- Power tools (10+ years)
- Order fulfillment
- Analysis skills (5 years)
- Shipping documentation
- Forecasting
- Teamwork
- Clear language communication

## Certifications and Licenses

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### **Six Sigma Certification**