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PRODUCTION SUPERVISOR

Results-driven Facility Technician with 10+ years' of experience in the plant production/operations industry. Currently finishing a Bachelors degree in Business Administration from Indiana Wesleyan University. Proficiencies include: quality assurance, production manufacturing, team management, molding, and oil operations. Former experience in the United States Navy stationed at Pearl Harbor, HI. Currently targeting a new full-time position in a similar field.

CORE PROFICIENCIES

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Mold Operations• Product Testing• Regulatory Compliance | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Waste Management• Safety Management• Machine Maintenance | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Facility/Plant Maintenance• Staff Training & Development• Inventory & Quality Assurance |
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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

MOLD SETTER | Metro Plastics Technologies Inc. | 2012-Present

- Perform the injection molding process, which includes set-up and tear down, troubleshooting, equipment maintenance and workflow optimization.
- Ensure molded components meet requirements and make adjustments as needed.
- Partner with outside vendors to develop tooling and fixtures that result in high quality products.
- Handle carefully raw molding materials as to prevent contamination.
- Process documentation on molding runs to ensure reproducibility. Draft and perform mold validations.
- Collaborate with R&D, marketing, quality control and manufacturing for the conceptualization, prototyping and release of new products.
- Follow procedures in order to maintain a clean and safe environment for all workers.

SUPPORT OPERATOR | Quaker Oats/Tropicana/Gatorade | 2006-2012

- Performed the formulation of all flavors in batching rooms in a seven-line hot-fill facility adhering to all GMP, FDA, HAACP, and other quality assurance guidelines.
- Operated and maintained all 20, 32, 64 and 128 ounce automated filler machines.
- Confirmed the correct usage of all materials using SAP and MARS.
- Operated and maintained the following automated units: Palletizers, Depalletizers, Kisters, Global Packers, and Erectors.
- Tested product on-site in the laboratory. Trained on 5S, CIL, Centerlines, OPL, and Kaizens for continuous improvement efforts.

OIL TECHNICIAN/FIELD SERVICE TECHNICIAN | Ecological Systems Inc. | 2004-2006

- Operated in a fast-paced ISO 14001 Industrial Wastewater Treatment facility with compliance of all CWT, EPA, and Environmental standards servicing customers representing every facet of American Industry.

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- Tasked with adding acids and demulsification polymers used to filter and transfer to million gallon storage tanks for outbound shipment.
- Conducted bench test study testing to create the perfect blend of chemicals used in the oil treatment process for outbound oil shipments.
- Evaluated the profile of each customer in fully equipped on-site laboratory for compatibility with treatment and oil distributions processes.
- Collaborated on the solidification of solids stabilized using Calcium Oxide testing and transferring material to off-site Subtitle D landfill.
- Operated four 25,000-gallon dehydration tanks vital to the oil treatment process.
- Governed various logs, lab analysis and bill of ladings submitted to the corporate office.
- Partnered in the receiving and unloading facility processing for more than one million gallons of wastewater per day.
- Operated semi-truck tractors, trailers, tankers and vacuum trucks performing various outbound and inbound shipping activities.
- Cleaned tanks, worked with plant shutdowns, performing lab packing, industrial cleaning, maintenance cleaning, machine flushing and decontamination, and waste management.

ASSISTANT DEPARTMENT MANAGER | Menards Inc. | 2004-2006

- Collaborated in with the new department setup in new store.
- Championed the success of the sales team in surmounting departmental sales goals.
- Scheduled employees for work and delegated daily tasks and assignments therein. Monitored team productivity.
- Facilitated intensive sales training and implemented incentive programs to produce greater team cohesion and overall productivity.
- Created sales and inventory reports for company budget audits. Entered data for shipping and receiving tracking.
- Resolved customer complaints timely and professionally in an effort to de-escalate matters related to service, products and employees.
- Planned sales promotional activities and organized in-store POP displays.

ACHIEVEMENTS

- Received promotion from Team Member to First Assistant Department Manager in less than one year transitioning to a store with higher volume and merchandise.
- Awarded numerous **Guest Service Awards** for excellent customer service. Received several merit pay raises for productivity.

ADDITIONAL TENURES

CARRIER UNITED TECHNOLOGIES CO - Production Manufacturing, 2003-2004

HEWLETT PACKARD - Production/Quality Assurance, 2002-2003

UNITED STATES NAVY - Ship Serviceman, Pearl Harbor, HI

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

Bachelor of Science in Business Management
Indiana Wesleyan University

Certifications

OSHA HAZWOPER (29CFR 1910.120)

CONFINED SPACE ENTRY (CFR 1910.146)

DOT HAZARDOUS MATERIAL TRANSPORTATION TRAINING (49 CFR 172.704)

BASELINE/ANNUAL PHYSICAL FOR 40HR. HAZWOPER, FIT TESTED/APPROVED FOR AIR PURIFYING,
SUPPLIED AIR, AND SCBA RESPIRATORS
DOT DRUG AND ALCOHOL TRAINING
PIT OPERATOR CERTIFIED
LAB PACK TRAINING (49 CFR 172.704, 173.12, 172.101)