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Chemical Manufacturing Technician

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Professional Summary

To obtain a position in which I can utilize my talents and skills to grow and expand within a company. I am very motivated, loyal, dedicated, and dependable. With a passion and willingness to learn and tackle any task that is set in front of me. I am people oriented and fit well with any culture.

Work Experience

Operations Technician II

Electra Steel-Boulder, CO

April 2024 to November 2024

- Interview potential candidates and deliberate their eligibility
- Train new team members and ensure their success within our company
- Write and review Standard Operating Procedures (SOP's)
- Coordinate with several departments to ensure daily test plans are successful
- Operate a variety of chemical and hydrometallurgical process equipment, including tanks, pumps, mixers, filtration, heat exchangers, cranes, and conveyors
- Enable and monitor electrical tests, including managing connections, overseeing program runs, and supervising live-time data collection
- Collect experimental data, including taking measurements of pressure, temperature, pH, conductivity, etc. as well as collect samples from the process stream for additional analysis
- Assist with safety reviews and identifies opportunities of improvement
- Troubleshoot equipment and make recommendations to improve the robustness, reliability, and efficiency of equipment
- Calibrate and perform routine maintenance tasks as needed
- Collaborate with internal teams, vendors, and outside agencies as needed

Chemical Operator

Corden Pharma Colorado-Boulder, CO

November 2021 to September 2023

- Has in depth knowledge of operating machinery and performing basic maintenance
- Establishes and maintains strong, transparent, and effective day-to-day working relationships between Manufacturing, Maintenance & Facilities, R&D, internal support, regulatory groups, and CPC customers related to assigned duties
- Work closely with fellow crew members, supervision, and support groups to safely achieve manufacturing goals
- Demonstrate progressive understanding of plant equipment, plant infrastructure systems, and chemical processing principles in one or more CPC Centers of Excellence
- Thoroughly follows written procedures; accurately and completely documents operations as executed according to cGMP and Corden Pharma Colorado SOPs
- Double checks the work of other operators

- Demonstrates the ability to set up and perform operations properly and efficiently, along with understanding computer systems (DCS, LIMS, etc.) related to standard operations in the area
- Receives Emergency Brigade training and participates in the brigade as hazmat technical, firefighter, and first aid responder, including EMT and/or full emergency brigade member
- Trained in First Aid/CPR
- Respond as appropriate to plant upset and/or emergency situations as a brigade member
- Demonstrate ability to detect and respond to potential hazards and/or emergency situations in daily operations
- Attends all required GMP training sessions and displays an understanding of current Corden GMP, SOPs, and Chemical Operator Training Program
- Adhere to housekeeping and safety practices; participate in safety programs offered through the organization
- Responsible for properly managing the generation and accumulation of hazardous and non-hazardous waste, and monitors plant environmental systems
- Perform training sessions for subordinate/peers within the work environment to accurately meet production needs and timing
- Read and comprehend safety rules and instructions in the use of maintenance, in the use of shop tools and equipment, and in methods and procedures in mechanical drawing and layout work
- Shows knowledge for chemical processing
- Demonstrates mechanical aptitude related to this industry daily on the job

Carbon and Whetlerite Technician Weekend Shift Lead

Molecular Products-Louisville, CO

April 2019 to September 2020

- Communicated effectively with other team leads and employees on several shifts
- Performed daily maintenance checks on machinery and devices that assisted our work
- Prepared a plan to follow to have an efficient shift each day
- Operated forklifts, chemical tanks with manual controls, chemical tanks with automatic controls, large FAB for impregnating materials with chemical builds, and large material mixers
- Performed phase separations
- Showed the ability to work safely with hazardous chemicals and large machines
- Trained new employees on how to perform all functions of the role we fulfill
- Able to work effectively with a team and delegate tasks as needed
- Was able to spend extended periods of time monitoring machines and employees as they performed a process recipe
- Monitored processes closely to ensure there are no failures or emergency responses needed
- Worked proactively to minimize the chance of an emergency
- Responded to all emergencies by preventing catastrophic failure and implementing future mitigations for those emergencies
- Multitasked with multiple different employees, machines, and processes, monitoring each of them closely

Chemical Manufacturing Technician

AAA Molybdenum

June 2017 to December 2017

- Monthly maintenance check on machines, scales, boilers, water drainage and air compressor.
- Manage chemical production and pay attention to stock of chemicals.
- Basic mill to make sure there are no issues with machines or milling process
- Time management on loading/unloading furnaces.
- Cleaning multiple times a week for sanitary work environment.
- Prepping areas of work for production.

- Disassembly and reassembly of mills for cleaning and maintenance.
- Communication between team to make sure there were no mistakes for customers or the chemical making process.
- Using metric system for weighing out chemicals to have them ready to be mixed.
- Organizing the work area for an efficient use of all chemicals/tools.
- Milling chemicals before/after mixing.
- Working quickly with a tight time frame to keep production moving.
- Quality control.

Education

SILVER CREEK HIGH SCHOOL

Skills

- Customer Service (Less than 1 year)
- Excel (Less than 1 year)
- forklift (1 year)
- picker (Less than 1 year)
- Powerpoint (Less than 1 year)
- Lab Tech
- Lab Technician
- Chemistry
- Mixer
- Reach Truck
- Order Picker
- Load & Unload
- Materials Handling
- Warehouse Experience
- Pallet Jack
- Manufacturing
- CGMP
- Wastewater treatment
- Staff training
- Hazardous energy control
- Laboratory experience
- Quality control
- Customer service
- Forklift
- Project management
- Leadership
- Windows

- Microsoft Office
- Technical writing
- Communication skills
- Management
- Supervising experience
- Team management
- Quality management
- Time management
- Maintenance
- Heavy equipment operation
- Writing skills
- Contamination control
- Data management
- Environmental monitoring
- Mechanical knowledge
- Quality assurance
- Training & development
- Cleanroom
- Computer skills
- Computer literacy
- Microsoft Word
- Microsoft Excel
- Microsoft Powerpoint
- SharePoint

Certifications and Licenses

Forklift Certification

January 2022 to December 2023

First Aid Certification

December 2022 to December 2024

CPR Certification

December 2022 to December 2024

AED Certification

December 2022 to December 2024

Driver's License

Additional Information

Computer Skills: Excel, Powerpoint, Word

Certified in: Forklift, Order picker, Reach truck, Standing lift, Electric pallet jack.

Excellent to identify patterns and trends.

Good with mathematics, problem solving

Customer Service. Time management.