

Michael Hawkins

Welder/Fabricator

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Certified welder, skilled in Oxy-acetylene, Shielded Metal Arc Welding (SMAW), and MIG. Also skilled with metal cutting and heavy equipment. Strong operations professional with a Associate of Science - AS focused in Welding Technology/Welder from Aims Community College.

Willing to relocate: Anywhere

Authorized to work in the US for any employer

Work Experience

Welder/Fabricator

Boney Metal Works - Loveland, CO

December 2021 to March 2023

1. Interpret complex blueprints for machining and fabrication purposes
2. Machine, cut and bend materials to standards set by blueprints for assembly
3. Fabricate and weld assembly to the desired standards using MIG and stick applications
4. Use oxyacetylene torch for heat straightening after welding process is complete
5. Inspect all finished products to make sure they hit all measurements and weld requirements
6. Use of forklift to load and unload material and finished products from flatbed trailers

Shop Lead

Beatty Construction Services - Loveland, CO

September 2019 to September 2021

1. Interpret and review blueprints for fabrication purposes
2. Use mostly MIG welding processes to complete fabrication on steel, aluminum and Corten metals
3. Assign workers to complete tasks (monthly, weekly and daily) according to ability
4. Check all work for quality and correctness at all required check points
5. Assist with all stages of getting projects completed on time, from quotes all the way to shipping
6. Use problem solving skills constantly to keep the shop moving along in a timely manner

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Cross Creek Ranch - Hesperus, CO

July 2017 to August 2019

1. Use MIG and Stick welding daily to repair large tractors and other farming equipment.
2. Operate heavy equipment such as, loaders, skid steer fork lifts, excavators, etc.
3. Fabricate custom gates, fences, and structures including barns and sheds
4. Weld and fabricate anything requested

Concrete Laborer

Snooks Concrete - Durango, CO

2015 to 2016

1. Finish concrete
2. Pour concrete from a truck, crane pump, skid steer
3. Look at blueprints and layout and build footings and foundations

Education

Associate in Welding

Aims Community College - Greeley, CO

May 2015 to May 2017

High school

Bayfield High School - Bayfield, CO

May 2009 to May 2013

Skills

- Welder Fabricator
- MIG
- Sheet Metal
- Heavy Equipment (2 years)
- Mechanic Experience
- Blueprint Reading
- Construction
- Plasma Cutting
- Mechanical Knowledge
- Forklift
- Assembly
- MIG welding
- Backhoe operation
- Handyman experience
- Concrete finishing
- Excavator
- FCAW
- Calipers
- Crane
- Stick welding
- Hand tools
- Fabrication
- Power tools