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OBJECTIVE

To expand my knowledge and skills to the best of my ability. Continue to grow as a valuable employee to a world class organization

SKILLS

Quick and eager to learn, I have proven myself as someone willing and able to move up within a company. Great personality and communication that shows that I can work in almost any environment and not only retain

EXPERIENCE

MOTHERLODE CO-PACKING

03/25 – Present

Production Supervisor

- Overseeing 14 operators as they produce over 55 different products that is made, bottled and packaged per customers' request.
- Overseeing start-up, in-process, shutdown and clean up for each days run and verifying all products are in compliance with federal, state, local laws and customer satisfaction.
- Works closely with all operators to ensure they have the proper training and help develop each individual whether it be to increase their technical knowledge on the operation they are certified to do or work with them on learning other operations. Also make certain that all operators are following company policies and having discussions with individuals that are not.
- Maintaining Production SOP's (Standard Operating Procedures) and WI's (Work Instruction) for all production positions by utilizing MS Word, Excel and Power Point.
- Work with the Production Managers and Team Leads on continuous improvements to achieve the best way to prevent quality issues for our customers.
- Enforcing and maintaining the company's Safety. Includes ensuring all employees are adhering GMP guidelines, continuously wearing safety glasses, safety shoes in required areas and hearing protection in required areas.



what is being taught to me but
willingness to pass on my
experiences to others

LEPRINO FOODS

11/12 – 03/25

Production Supervisor

- Oversee 9 operations and 12 operators in our cheese make process
- Verifies all equipment are working properly and troubleshoots/repair when needed
- Assures that process is within customer specifications and make decisions to adjust when needed
- Attended monthly and quarterly meetings with upper management and pass on all significant information to my operators
- Trained over 70 operators how to run 9 different operations
- Developed and reviewed/updated Plant SOP's (Standard Operating Procedures)
- Worked with various departments within the plant on continuous improvements to achieve the best way to develop and maintain customer satisfaction.
- Worked closely with the Safety Department to have the best and safest practices from the beginning of operators training to season veterans.

Quality Technician

- Testing of our product for chemistry designed for customer specifications including target moisture, fat, salinity and pH.
- Perform testing for any extraneous or foreign objects that can occur in the making process prior to going to the customer
- Developed and reviewed/updated QE SOP's (Standard Operating Procedures) for my current lab position because of my expertise when I was a technical trainer.
- Work with the cheese department on continuous improvements to achieve the best way to prevent quality issues for our customers because of my expertise as a trainer and a team lead.
- Worked closely with the Safety Department to have the best and safest practices when testing each product.



Reliability Tech

- Inspect, rebuild and maintain working conditions on numerous valves including single seat, PMO's and Definox to name a few
- Assisted maintenance on other types of repairs and PMO's including pumps, solenoids in AOB cabinets, motors and gear boxes
- Developed and worked on Reliability projects including, new spray piping for the DMC sump to alleviate curd plugs and my current project of valve operation during CIP to help with extraneous events

Team Lead

- Covered for 9 operations while operators went to break and lunch
- Learned each operation from start up to shutdown
- Troubleshoot issues with each operation as they arise
- Was called upon when needed as problems occurred

Mixer Operator

- Ran and overlooked equipment that formed curd into mozzarella cheese
- Applied necessary ingredients to the cheese per customer requirements
- Maintained in a timely matter the shutdown, clean up and start up for each production day

HOME DEPOT FDC/BDC GENERAL WAREHOUSE ASSOCIATE

02/10 – 10/12

- Certified on Sit Down and Stand-Up Forklift
- Receive bulk products from Railcar (A-Frame and Boxcar) and "Live Load" flatbed trailers
- Store products in designated locations and follow FIFO (First In First Out) method
- Load flatbed trailers with products that are ordered from store or online customer
- Use handheld device for scanning products for storage location and picking order



PETDINE
QUALITY ASSURANCE TECH
01/09 -02/10

- Verify product is within customer specification including correct ingredients, amount of ingredients, batch size, correct container weights, and accurate overall shipment
- Oversee company policies regarding GMP's, SOP's, Safety program
- Confirm all products are safe from any foreign material and/or extraneous events. Utilize internal recalls if any such events arise.
- Input all testing information into SAP for data collection and escalate any deviations.

CARESTREAM/KODAK
02/02 – 10/08

Polymer/Chemical/Roll Handling Operator

- LDR (Leadership Development Role): Training for group leader back up position
- Unloaded railcars of polymer and stored them in silos
- Cooked polymer until the right viscosity was achieved to make x-ray film
- Made and added chemicals and other ingredients to the base of the x-ray film as SOP instructed
- Shipped outgoing product and received incoming
- certified with Forklift and platform truck



EDUCATION

GED

Aims Community College

August 1996

Greeley Central High School

1993-1996

Maintained a 2.8 GPA

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE OR LEADERSHIP

-Coached Little League Baseball for 6 years teaching kids the aspects and fundamentals of the game

-Volunteered for a homeless shelter that my sister was a director of. Ran fundraisers and clothing drives for this organization

-Member of Local PTA during my child's elementary and middle school days

