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OBJECTIVE

To obtain a career position as a welder, metal fabricator, Industrial painter, equipment maintenance, or general labor. Aside from my current position as a welder with McNeilus Truck and Manufacturing, much of my recent experience has been in the printing and sign making industry since graduating from college in 1998. However, I recently decided to make a career change and return to being a welder/fabricator. In addition to the work history listed below, from 1988 to 1998 I worked at various welding, fabrication and painting positions. Additionally, I have always been very mechanically inclined and have always remained a hobby level welder, fabricator, machinist and painter.

EQUIPMENT Experience

Stick welding, MIG, oxy-actelyne, aluminum, blue print reading, light gage sheet metal, press brakes, Shear, Iron worker, Non-CNC lathe, Non-CNC mill, forklift, HVLP pressure feed and siphon feed spray equipment, sand blasting, plasma cutters, crane operator, band saws, and much more.

PREVIOUS EMPLOYMENT

MCNEILUS TRUCK AND MANUFACTURING • Sept 2012 -Present • Welder

AMERICAN GRAPHIC • May 1987- Present • Sole Proprietor/ Production/ Design

SIGN HERE • Feb. 2011 -April 2012 • Designer/ Instalation / Customer Service

DAILY JOURNAL/NORTHSTAR PUBLISHING • Sept.07 - March 2010 • Designer/Pre-press

NORTHSITE SCREEN PRINT AND EMBROIDERY • Nov.04 - Sept.07 • General Manager

DENVER ATHLETIC • Nov.01 - Nov.04 • Art Department Manager

KINKO'S • Sept.98 - Dec.01 • Computer Services Manager/ Overnight Production.

EDUCATION

ST. CLOUD STATE UNIVERSITY

• Bachelors of Fine Art in Graphic Design (honors) • June 1998

WILLMAR COMMUNITY COLLEGE

• Associate of Arts • August 1996

MILITARY EXPERIENCE

ARMY NATIONAL GUARD • March 1988 - March 2001

Positions held: Infantry and Artillery. Driver and Rifelman.

Numerous citations and awards.