

Theresa Wolthoff

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Summary

Experienced Laboratory Technician with strong leadership and relationship-building skills.

Summary of Qualifications

- Production procedures
- Fast learner
- Organizational skills
- Interpersonal skills
- Initiative to work independently
- Microsoft applications skills
- Strategic thinker

Accomplishments

- Trained all new laboratory technicians on safe and efficient handling of equipment and chemicals.
- Service equipment daily, reducing the need for annual new equipment, leading to cost savings.
- Developed trend tracking data base for micro based non-conformance issues to find the source of high counts.
- Uses operational knowledge of systems, parts and components to solve problems that arise during production.
- Led and helped develop monthly auditing plan for the plant and premises.
- Participates in CORE team to reduce operational costs and improve productivity.

Experience

Laboratory Technician

September 2005 to Current

Grain Millers, Inc – Saint Ansgar, Iowa

Works with and helps develop production tracking and quality control systems, analyzing production, quality control, maintenance and other operational reports, to detect production problems. Maintains necessary level of communications between shifts. Ensures that all health and safety guidelines were followed. Monitors product standards and quality-control programs. Plans and laid out work to meet production and schedule requirements. Works with managers to implement the company's policies and goals. Testing knowledge includes: Leco and kjeldahl protein, rapid viscosity, non-digestible, fat, moisture, particle size, mycotoxin, micro and micro interpretation, thickness, ash, pH, filth and fragment. Limited HPLC experience.

Chemist

April 2003 to September 2005

Schweigert Foods – Albert Lea, Minnesota

Used statistical information to make adjustments to blend formulations, data entry, nutritional analysis, micro, HACCP verification, worked with supervisors and managers to make changes and improvements in production processes. Calibration, maintenance, and repair of equipment.

Education

NIACC

Mason City, Iowa

Information Technology

currently in progress

References

References available upon request.