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# Brian W. Steele

**Summary of** Oct 2011 - Aug 2014 Bon Appetite Mountain View, CA

**Qualifications** **Lead Cook/Team Safety Ambassador**

- Ordering, receiving and stocking.
- Leading catering team, team training, organizing banquets and food preparation
- Team Safety Ambassador; teaching kitchen safety such as proper equipment use, labeling, cross contamination, time and temperature abuse, sanitation, etc.
- General oversight in presence and absence of Head Chef

Sep 2009 - Sep 2011 Toll House Hotel/Three Degrees Los Gatos, CA

## Catering Chef/Lead Cook

- Leading breakfast operations, prepping, stocking, setup, ordering, scheduling, breakfast service and breakdown
- Catering events such as weddings, business meetings, etc
- Working action stations during catered events and holiday parties
- General oversight of catered events and restaurant operations in absence of Head Chef

Sep 2008 - Mar 2009 Sequoia Placerville, CA

## Line Cook

- Keeping entire line prepped and stocked. Cleaning meats and seafood daily. Preparing sauces and appetizers for dinner. Making any needed misc foods or specials.
- Preparing and carving for banquets, weddings and parties.
- Cooking and plating for Grill, Pantry, and/or Sauté for dinner service.

Mar 2008 - Nov 2008

Café Mahjalc

Lotus, CA

**Line/Prep Cook**

- Harvesting vegetables and prepping fresh stocks, soups and dressings daily. Keeping line ingredients stocked.
- Working Pantry, Grill, and Sautéing veg portion of entrees for dinner. Helped with plating and garnishing. Full breakdown and cleaning of kitchen

Sep 2007 - July 2008

Tomei's

Placerville, CA

**Sous Chef**

- Prepping desserts and dressings for Pantry. Cleaning and Stocking various meats for grill.
- Running Grill and Pantry during lunch & dinner service. Clean up.
- Providing any needed assistance for the Chef

Mar 2007 - Sep 2007

Wolf Den Construction

Pollock Pines, CA

**Laborer**

- General home construction and restoration

Nov 2005 - Mar 2007

Measure Comp

Lathrup Village, MI

**Measure Technician**

- Measuring homes and businesses for flooring in the Sacramento, Placer, El Dorado and Amador Counties out of home office.
- Managing and scheduling customers for Home Depot.

July 2003 - Nov 2005

The Music Trading Post

Placerville, CA

**Store Manager**

- Responsible for inventory, stocking, cleaning and general oversight of store functions.
- General salesperson for goods and services provided by the store.
- Basic instrument repair and tuning.

**Education**

Sep 1996 - Feb 1997 Independence High School Diamond Springs, CA

**High School Diploma**

- Counseling Award.

**Interests and**

Musician and guitar teacher, cooking

**Activities**  
**Languages** Fluent in English, working knowledge of Spanish

**References**

Kevin Patterson	(408) 387 - 3251
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