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Objective:

To employ my knowledge and experience in the kitchen, customer service, sales and management to secure a rewarding career that offers the opportunity for advancement as well as the opportunity to gain knowledge of new skills and expertise.

Education:

AOS - Culinary Arts from I.O.T.
ServSafe Certified

Class of 2013
12/2011-12/2016

Experience:

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| Lincoln Cellar Line Cook | Stockton, CA 01/2015-Current |
| Responsible for contributing to the overall process of the kitchen. Prep food, sauces as well as vinegrettes for lunch/dinner service, hold foods at proper tempatures (hot or cold). Break down and portion proteins (pork tenderloin,steaks,fish and chicken). Maintain a clean workstation/kitchen. Ensure food is plated in a timely matter and is on par with quality standards of the restaurant. | |
| Total Success Staffing Services Cook | San Bruno, CA 06/2013-Current |
| Work multiple outlets and events throughout the bay area. Jobs Ranging anywhere from a prep cook to a station cook. Work consisted of some batch cooking, plated, buffet style anything from simple dishes to fine dining . Events for Nike, HP, Stanford University, The 2013 Americas Cup are just some examples of my assignments with TSS. | |
| Say Grace Catering Cook | Manteca, CA 01/2012-05/2015 |
| Responsible for directing food preparation, cooking and the assembly of food. Ensuring the quality of product meets our standards and that all food was done with a focus on time while maintaining proper temperatures for food that was to be transported without sacrificing quality. | |
| Verizon The Wireless Stores Store Manager | Manteca, CA 12/2010-05/2013 |
| Review price plans with customers to find the best rate plan, maximize each sale with features & accessories, activate new lines of service & upgrade for existing customers. Delegate jobs accordingly, responsible for managing, coaching and training 8-10 employees and creating weekly schedules. Responsible for hitting store quota and employees personal quotas. | |
| Stockton Insurance Services Office Manager/Insurance Broker | Stockton, CA 08/2007-11/2010 |
| Administrative tasks including keeping detailed records, writing new policies, reviewing existing policies, collecting insurance premiums & processing payments. My main focus was generating new customers through referrals, advertising and leads so I could write new auto policies. | |