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EXPERIENCE

Petit Crenn, San Francisco, CA— *Sous Chef*

June 2018 - PRESENT

I am required to have knowledge of and be responsible for all aspects involving the operating of the BOH. This includes costing, managing, sourcing, creative development, and thorough understanding of our kitchen's/restaurant's operations. Also required to operate within the visions of our Chef/Owner Dominique Crenn, who values whole product usage, achieving a minimum of 90% zero waste, and promoting a diverse work environment.

Saison, San Francisco, CA— *Chef de Partie*

October 2017- April 2018

Duties at this restaurant were varied and filled with lots of learning opportunity. My involvement covered running the pastry, breads, preservation, fire, stocks/sauces, and vegetable heavy production.

Alinea Group, Chicago, IL—*Chef de Partie*

September 2015 - February 2016 -- October 2016- March 2017

Began as a culinary extern at Next under Chef Dave Beran, and worked line stations during the Tapas, Terrior, and Alps menu cycles. Returned to the company after school as a CDP at The Aviary, where I also executed The Office's menu.

West Hills Country Club, Middletown, NY—*Event Cook*

March 2015- September 2015 -- March 2016- August 2016

Worked during my time at culinary school in order to gain more experience in large volume production. Roles included preparation, execution, and oversight of all food production for events and club amenities.

A Toda Madre, Glen Ellyn, IL—*Chef de Partie*

October 2014- February 2015

Honey Cafe, Glen Ellyn, IL—*Kitchen Expeditor/Garde Manger*

June 2011- May 2013

EDUCATION

The Culinary Institute of America, Hyde Park, NY— *A.O.S Culinary Arts*

February 2015- October 2016

- Recipient of the President's Scholarship
- Class Graduation Speaker

Indiana University, Bloomington IN

August 2013- May 2014

- Briefly majored in both Physics and Mathematics
- Enrolled in the Hutton Honors program
- Was provided with a solid foundation in the scientific method as well as some computer programming