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CAREER OBJECTIVE

To expand on the training I received through Manufacturing 2000, a program of New Century Careers and earn journeyman status.

EDUCATION

Manufacturing 2000, New Century Careers, Pittsburgh, PA 02/09 - 06/09

- Entry-Level machining skills including manual machining lathes, mills, saws, presses, grinders, CNC mills and lathes, and using blueprints, as well as reading measurement tools.
- Completed a total of 22 projects within tolerance of the Blueprints and Drawings.
- Received certificate from National Institute of Metalworking Skills for measurement, materials, and safety.

South Park High School, South Park, PA 09/03 - 06/07
High School Diploma 2007, GPA 3.0

WORK EXPERIENCE

Property Management Services, Venetia, PA 05/08 - 11/08

Laborer/Landscaping

- Worked as a laborer in the construction field.
- Operated heavy machinery such as a bobcats, excavators and dump trucks.
- Spread mulch and grass seed and operated lawn mowers.
- Removed old roofing and installed new roofing.

Volt Temporary Employment Agency, Pittsburgh, PA 11/07 - 04/08

Client-Pennsylvania American Water Company, McMurray, PA

- Identified locations of water meters at each residence.
- Input current usage meter readings.
- Met quality guidelines.

Prescription Center Plus, South Park, PA 04/07 - 11/07

Sales Associate/Delivery Driver

- Clarified customers' questions and analyzed sales transactions.
- Unpacked and stocked incoming shipments.
- Delivered prescriptions to local residents and businesses.

VOLUNTEER

Broughton Volunteer Fire Department, South Park, PA 07/04 - present

- Completed the Essentials of Firefighting for Pennsylvania of 166 hours.
- Received 20 certificates for activities in the field of Fire Fighting.
- Excelled in people and leadership skills.
- Training from American Heart Association in Heartsaver First Aid.