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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Having always been interested in both the ways of human thinking and being as well as hands-on work fashion, I've educated myself (with the help of the institutions I've attended) to use my critical thinking skills for the improvement of the environment that surrounds me, being that of a restaurant, a corporate coffee shop, or amongst friends and family.

I've also found great interest in the ways of the market. The way it operates and its sometimes (though not always) unpredictability, and how to take best advantage through the use of statistical analysis.

As a self-propelled wheel, I am always ready to get the work done and deal with all challenges ahead in as efficient a manner as possible.

SKILLS

- Kitchen equipment operation and maintenance
- Kitchen staff coordination
- Order accuracy
- Workflow planning
- Sales expertise
- Customer assistance
- Data analysis
- Analytical skills

- Excellent work ethic
- Critical thinking
- Flexible & Adaptable
- Interpersonal Communication
- Relationship-Building
- Cultural awareness
- Leadership

WORK HISTORY

KITCHEN LEAD | 11/2018 to 05/2021

Zolo's Italian Restaurant - Franklin, TN

- Worked on the improvement of the team's morale while having a full restaurant.
- Delivered in-depth training to workers in food preparation and customer-facing roles to promote strong team performance.
- Oversaw food preparation and monitored safety protocols under time pressure
- Applied knowledge of previous supply needs and forecasted business levels to estimate required supplies.
- Checked and tested foods to verify quality and temperature.
- Motivated staff to perform at peak efficiency and quality.

BARISTA | 12/2019 to 10/2020

Starbucks - Franklin, TN

- Maintained supply levels in counter and customer areas to meet typical demands.
- Recommended products based on solid understanding of individual customer needs and preferences.
- Maintained regular and consistent attendance and punctuality.
- Provided in-depth information to customers on beverage preparation and offered samples of latest brews.
- Pleasantly interacted with customers during hectic periods to promote fun, positive environment.
- Prioritized drink requests while managing interruptions.

EDUCATION

Preparatoria Universidad Iberoamericana - Ciudad De Mexico | No Degree

- Member of Robotics Team
- Member of Photography Team

Franklin High School - Franklin, TN | High School Diploma

04/2018

- Awarded Recognition of High Academic Accomplishment in Entrepreneurship
- Awarded the Best Engineered Product Idea at Middle Tennessee State University while enrolled at FHS
- Member of Debate Team
- Member of DECA
- -Principles of Finance State Career Development Contest Winner
- -Principles of Finance National Level Competitor

Columbia State Community College - Columbia, TN | Associate of Arts

Philosophy, Expected in 12/2021

• Received Award of Excellence in Economics

ONLINE TRADING

Born out of an early-age interest in the stock market, I've developed a certain pleasure in online stock trading. Having developed an Excel with over 100 variables (some of which are seemingly confounding), I've managed to increase my portfolio's value in order to improve my and my family's lifestyle.

BILINGUAL

Fluent in both English and Spanish. Working on my French.