**Franklin Upshaw**

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Summary

Highly meticulous and reliable Boilermaker Welder with exceptional attention to detail and a superior work ethic. Adept multitasker able to address a number of simultaneous boilermaker maintenance and repair issues with accuracy and efficiency. Especially knowledgeable in safe and effective handling and repair for an array of potentially hazardous welding equipment.

Highlights

* Extensive boilermaker construction welding background
* Strong familiarity with fresh water distribution systems
* Excellent proficiency with all power and hand tool operation
* Outstanding skills in schematic and blueprint interpretation
* Exceptional maintenance work team management skills
* Superior technical problem-solving ability
* High skills in troubleshooting and performing routine maintenance tasks

Work Experience

**Boilermaker Welder**

**6/1/2011 – Present**

**Holy Toledo Energy Co. Inc.**

**Toledo, OH**

* Cut metal work components using hand shears and power tools.
* Removed rough welding surfaces with portable grinder.
* Transported heavy materials using forklifts and cranes.
* Used precision equipment to measure metal gaps grooves and angles.
* Conducted dimension tolerance and hydrostatic tests.
* Provided assistance with routine repair and maintenance jobs as necessary.

**Boilermaker Welder**

**6/1/2007 – 5/1/2011**

**Greater Cincinnati Industrial Services**

**Cincinnati, OH**

* Conducted welding operations in overhead flat and vertical stances.
* Adjusted rod amperage and speed to fix welding process problems.
* Used calipers and straightedges to align metal welding components.
* Operated gas and shielded arc welding machines safely and efficiently.
* Inspected equipment for problems and flaws and notified supervisors accordingly.
* Corrected any expansion shrinking or warping of materials.

Education

**Bachelor’s Degree – Welding Engineering**

**2007**