# Elliot Erickson

#### TRAINING & ORGANIZATION, PROJECT MANAGEMENT

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## PROFESSIONAL SKILLS

Training Program Management
Agile Development
Waterfall Development
Team Leadership
Project Management
Change Managements
Sales Strategy
Requirements Documentation
Resource Management

#### TECHNOLOGY SKILLS

MS Office Suite
Adobe Captivate
Adobe InDesign
Assima Training Suite
HTML & CSS
WordPress
Druple

#### PROFESSIONAL PROFILE

Experience in diverse industries focused on training and project management Training & Leadership in Hospitality Management and Healthcare

- Record of successful Training program and project management implementation
- High energy, cross functional, strategic and business expertise with a strong record of high performance
- Driven by a passion for operational excellence
- Experience in full project management cycle: Plan, Implement, Track, Improve
- Skilled at working in fast paced, high demand, highly visible environments

#### **EXPERIENCE**

Service and Training Consultant, Three Month Project Boho Restaurant, San Francisco, CA August 2020 – November 2020

- Reviewed service standards and staffing model with owners
- Reorganized staffing model to better align with customer service goals, supported a 20% increases in nightly guests while improving guest service quality
- Advised wine program reorganization to increase wine selections by 40% and increase top end wine prices by \$160 a bottle
- Created staff position training collateral for training new and existing staff
- Implemented staff training plan via nightly training during service

Service Captain (Assistant Manager)
Michael Mina Restaurant, San Francisco, CA
One Michelin Star

December 2019 - May 2020 (Laid-off due to COVID-19 closure)

- Developed a performance improvement plan to achieve two Michelin stars
- Reviewed managements administrative tasks, streamlined inefficient tasks and removed redundant tasks to increase efficiency
- Created and implemented menu training collateral to increase staff knowledge
- Assisted general manager in monitoring service and guest needs, fielding compliments and complaints
- Supported and managed service staff and maintained nightly staffing levels
- Ran, reviewed, and communicated nightly financial reports with general manager and regional VP

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# PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

American Health Insurance Plans (AHIP)

2015-2018

Court of Master Sommeliers, Certified Sommelier 2005-2014

#### **EDUCATION**

University of Minnesota Graduated 2005 BA Philosophy, Business Management

Northwestern University Post-Baccalaureate 2014 Philosophy

#### **EXPERIENCE** continued

Service Captain

Atelier Crenn Restaurant, San Francisco, CA Three Michelin Stars, San Pellegrino World's Best #34

January 2019 - December 2019

- Functioned as team trainer for new front-of-house employees
- Reviewed team member performance with general manager and communicated areas of improvement
- Coordinated a service team of three to direct guest experience
- Reviewed sales method for luxury add-ons (caviar) with general manager and made strategic improvements. We increased add-on sales by 15% with an overall check average increase of \$22 per person

Service Captain

Quince Restaurant, San Francisco, CA

Three Michelin Stars

September 2017 - January 2019

- Created and implemented staff training program and training collateral to increase knowledge and sales of luxury add-ons (cheese, spirits). Successfully increased staff knowledge of goods and saw a 18% increase in add-on sales
- Coordinated a service team of three to direct guest experience
- Functioned as team trainer for front-of-house employees being promoted to higher ranking positions
- Successfully lobbied for a change in pay structure to better support our entry-level team members

Management Consultant Senior Analyst Accenture, Traveled throughout USA, Based in Chicago and San Francisco July 2015 - October 2017

Training and Organization, Training Program Developer Accenture Federal Services Client – Government Healthcare Provider

- Developed and delivered, with Senior Project Leadership, Computer Based Training (CBT) for Cerner Electronic Health Record Systems (EHR). We delivered over 150 individual CBT lessons tailored for multiple end-user roles
- Utilized Assima Training Suite (ATS) to develop CBTs. It is a robust technology suite which allows development of software clones of training systems. HTML and CSS provide the scripting backbone to the software suite
- Managed teams of contractors, three to five members, and oversaw their work quality during the waterfall development process
- Internal development trainer for team members across the partnership
- Managed Quality Management and Debug Cycles. Defined and implemented handoff procedure for delivery cycle. Reported status updates to Senior Project Leadership

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## REFERENCES

Chef Thomas Lents Direct Supervisor Sixteen Restaurant (702) 497-7755 tlents@detroitfoundationhotel.com

> Craig Adams Direct Supervisor Accenture (847) 380-1326 crradams@gmail.com

Nathan Cowan Real Estate Partner (312) 292-1419 ncowan\_80@gmail.com

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## EXPERIENCE continued....

Accenture continued....

Business Services Analyst, Project Management

Accenture LLP Client - Medicare/Medicaid Insurance Payer

- Developed, communicated, and delivered Business and Technical Requirements Documentation on Project Management Team for up to four simultaneous projects
- Ran weekly status calls for project, attended by relevant Senior Engineers, Directors, and Department VPs. Maintained project status and followed up on weekly action items

Relationship Manager - American Health Insurance Plans (AHIP)

- Served as business liaison between Accenture Healthcare and the nation's only Health Insurance policy advocacy and trade organization, AHIP
- Managed the \$500k contract to maximize Accenture's utilization of speaking engagements, white paper releases, and quarterly industry conferences
- Managed two internal contractors on the planning team. Planned research and speaking topics to be released through AHIP with Accenture industry experts and VP level professionals
- Communicated with Accenture and Health Payer Industry VP and C-Level professional, building relationships and partnerships

Co-Founder

Real Estate Investment, Chicago, IL September 2013 - June 2015

- Connected home sellers with contractors for negotiable fee
- Discovered and recorded leads through local Clerk of Courts
- Created and managed Direct Marketing campaign, targeting potential buyers and sellers by utilizing multiple communication channels
- Negotiated selling price with home owner and secured by contract

Manager and Sommelier

Sixteen Restaurant, Chicago, IL, Two Michelin Stars September 2011 - September 2013

- Managed staff of 25+ within six different job functions
- Responsible for staffing, performance evaluation, and scheduling
- Conceived of and implemented social media presence with Marketing Department
- Reorganized staffing structure to increase service standards and decrease payroll hours by 10%
- Developed and implemented training plan to achieve quarterly, weekly, and daily improvement goals. The team earned two Michelin stars within two years
- Developed and implemented beverage knowledge and sales training program for three food and beverage outlets