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WORK EXPERIENCE

UNISTRUT

Avon lake, OH

Head Fabricator

June 2020 – Present

- Lead and sole fabricator for Unistrut Construction
- Cut various material for fit up using band saws
- Create new fixtures for parts to be welded, saving valuable time in the process
- Custom fit and fabricate projects that cannot be made in a fixture
- Machine and mill parts using a bridgeport or drill press
- Fill in at other departments in the shop if ahead on future projects or if a fellow employee is out, such as shipping and receiving or saw operation
- Work with supervisors, sales and engineering to automate processes as to achieve faster production without sacrificing quality
- Keep track of inventory and materials, giving notice as when to order more supplies

NORTH AMERICAN KITCHEN SOLUTIONS

Elyria, OH *Welder/Fabricator* Feb. 2019 – Feb. 2020

- Custom fit and fabricate kitchen exhaust hoods
- Utilize Tig and Mig to fuse and weld hoods from stainless or aluminized steel
- Adapt to project sizes ranging from 2-6ft tall and 4-14ft wide
- Work independently and ensure that daily quota is complete and assist other welders as needed
- Ensure general maintenance on both company and personal tools
- Periodically fill in as temp manager when one is not available

OHIO BLOW PIPE,

Cleveland, OH
Welder/Fabricator & Installation Mechanic
Nov 5, 2016 – Nov 26, 2018

- Mig/Stick welded galvanized & mild steel ranging from 18 gauge to 1/4"
- Operated forklift and overhead chain falls to unload large orders/steel
- Ran the pipe rail, working with material predominantly 10ft in length, ranging from 3 inch diameter to upwards of 60 inch; 18gauge or 14gauge steel
- Managed up to 5 other employees on the rail, delegated work duties and made sure all orders were fulfilled properly and on time

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- Fabricated elbows and duct work while off the rail
- Can operate all manner of man lifts, articulating lifts safely and with precision
- Began leading jobs/installs spring of 2018
- Traveled as far as California to install systems, working a minimum 10 hours per day until job completion
- Created daily plans to adhere to work schedule, guarantee completion within time allotted, and ensure co workers were in positions to produce their best work
- Managed the responsibility of all rental equipment, materials, and customer service while leading installs
- Worked closely with plant overseers, managers and engineers while leading installs
- Clientele included companies such as Campbell's Soup, Georgia Pacific and WestRock

HYDROTUBE ENTERPRISES,

Oberlin, OH Welder/Fabricator Sep. 2013 – Mar. 2015

- Utilized both TIG/MIG to weld a variety of products from mild steel, stainless steel, or aluminum, ranging from 0.031" thick to 1" thick
- Managed the Enthwistle Cell alone, where I completed custom fabrication boilers for military service, welded entirely from 316L
- Met quota for each month as well as effectively packed and shipped the product
- Operated an orbital TIG welder for the production of sanitary tubing, which accompanied the finished boilers
- Operated an overhead crane/tow motor for the purpose of loading/unloading materials for delivery trucks
- Worked closely alongside fellow welders to ensure optimal production rate
- Trained new welders as needed, both on weld quality and overall responsibilities
- Worked alongside engineers to create new jigs and fixtures to make production easier
- Read and interpreted blueprints on all fabricated parts, checking for tolerances after the welding process

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STAINLESS AUTOMATION,

Cleveland, OH Welder/Fabricator Mar. 2015 – Nov. 2015

- Welded parts using both TIG and MIG processes
- Built and tooled various bowl feeding systems using mild steel, stainless steel, and aluminum.
- Read and interpreted schematics for wiring feeding systems
- Used a variety of machinery such as a shear, band saw, drop saw, drill press, bridgeport, sand blaster, and lathe to make custom parts out of raw material.
- Drew up blueprints for all parts I designed/created
- Managed consumable inventory and ordered as necessary
- Performed misc. general labor as needed

EDUCATION

OHIO TECHNICAL COLLEGE,

Cleveland, OH Aug. 2012- Aug. 2013

- Graduated with 3 AWS Certifications;
- AWS D1.1(10) structural steel welding code, 3G SMAW using E7018
- AWS D1.6(07) Structural stainless welding code, 2F GTAW using ER308
- AWS D1.1(10) Structural steel welding code, 3G FCAW using E71T-1

CASE WESTERN RESERVE UNIVERSITY

Cleveland, OH February 2021 - Present

- Currently enrolled in the full-stack web development bootcamp
- Have beginners knowledge of: HTML, CSS, Javascript & Node.js
- Able to use language libraries such as Bootstrap and JQuery

ADDITIONAL SKILLS

- Always take my welding very seriously
- Excellent customer service
- Quality and detail oriented
- Worked for years with various air and power tools
- Possess a tow motor operator's license
- Possess a number of my own tools
- Can lift over 100lbs