# **Jafid Garcia**

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### **Professional Summary**

Experienced Equipment Operator. Excellent work ethic. Making Career Change to Software Development and Web/UX, current Major at Weber State University.

### **Skills**

- Structured Query Language (SQL)
- Strong Communication and Interpersonal Skills
- Proficient in HTML, CSS, and Javascript
- Object-Oriented Programming (C++)
- Adobe Systems
- Adobe Premiere Pro
- Editing Skills
- Producing Videos
- Visual Design
- Digital Enhancements
- Adobe Photoshop
- Event Shoots Web Applications

## **Work History**

#### Freelance Photographer & Videographer - Ogden, Utah

05/2016 to Current

- Edited, toned, captioned and uploaded photographs for publication.
- Photographed high-quality images for various print and digital projects.
- Planned and prepared for on-location and studio shoots.
- Maintained and shared portfolios of artistic work to demonstrate styles, interests and abilities with potential customers.
- Maintained productive professional relationships with models and modeling agencies.

#### Equipment Operator - Compass Minerals - Ogden, Utah

02/2021 to 11/2021

- Trained in diverse pieces of equipment and useful attachments to handle team needs.
- Communicated with ground team members and fellow operators to prevent safety hazards and keep materials moving.
- Used forklifts, hand trucks, scissor lifts and other equipment to move materials around work sites and organized according to need.
- Maintained fueled and fully operational equipment to jump on project requirements and keep teams on tight schedules.
- Met project demands consistently through careful and consistent operation of heavy equipment.
- Adhered to heavy equipment safety and operation protocols, resulting in minimal complaints or incidents.

#### Forklift Operator - Family Dollar DC - St George, Utah

12/2016 to 04/2020

- Unloaded materials and goods at designated locations for best project availability.
- Transported goods between warehouse locations according to shipment and storage needs.
- Wrapped pallets in plastic wrap and attached merchandise tags to prepare for shipping.
- Maneuvered forklift safely in congested and confined areas using precision.
- Coordinated with other lift truck drivers and production personnel to process orders efficiently.
- Communicated with floor managers to determine merchandise placement.
- Changed out forklift batteries and connected batteries to battery charger.
- Inspected equipment for defects and performed repairs or maintenance tasks.
- Verified functionality of forklifts through performance of preventive maintenance and effective troubleshooting of malfunctions.

### **Education**

No Degree: Criminal Justice

Dixie State University - St. George, UT

2012

Associate of Applied Science: Web/UX

Weber State University - Ogden, UT

Expected in 05/2023

High School Diploma

Dixie High School - St. George

05/2012

## Languages

Spanish