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#### PROFILE

Food Technologist with experience in Product Research and Development since college, taking lead in related subjects to develop new food products that can have a huge appeal in the market and positive nutritional impact to the consumers. Microbiologist/Quality Assurance Analyst for 4 years, ensuring that the raw materials are safe to utilize through microbiological analysis and assure good quality products through rheological analysis. Has already earned units in Master of Science in Food Science, and current thesis for product development involves the combination of molecular gastronomy and nutrition.

## **❖** EDUCATION

## Postgraduate

2015 - present

#### Master of Science in Food Science

Philippine Women's University – Manila

- Research and Development: Utilization of Carrageenan on Alcohol-Based Jelly
- Working Thesis: Utilization of Jute Leaves into Micronutrient-Dense Sushi Wrap Alternative

# Tertiary 2009 – 2013

### **Bachelor of Science in Food Technology**

Polytechnic University of the Philippines – Manila

- Thesis: Development of Unripe Mango (*Mangifera indica*) Into Powder as Sinigang Mix Using Dehydration Process
- Product Development Award: Best Commercial Product "Nuggets Ave."
   Utilization of Dulong and Salay-salay into Fish Nuggets
- Activities: Philippine Association of Food Technologists (PAFT) Inc. Theta Chapter, Member, 2009-2014

## **❖** TECHNICAL SKILLS

- Experienced sensory analytical panelist and knowledge in organizing samples and choosing appropriate test methods for sensory analysis
- Capable of creating and developing new and existing food products
- Keen to product quality details, research and experimental processes and broad experience in Quality Assurance and Microbiological Analysis
- Basic knowledge in: finding potential clients through Market Mapping; building rapport and; developing business by providing technical support to clients and understanding their needs

#### ADDITIONAL SKILLS

- Able to communicate well in English and Tagalog and a confident public speaker
- Adept at day-to-day problem solving and time management
- Organized and can work under pressure
- Proficient in MS Word, Excel, and PowerPoint

#### **❖** EXPERIENCE

#### October 2019 – present

#### Freelance – Virtual Assistant

- · Managing emails, making sure client's needs are met
- · Moderating social media accounts
- Fulfilling customer orders

# August 2013 – May 2017 January 2018 – Sep 2019

## **Marcel Trading Corporation**

5/F, First Marcel Tower, 926 Araneta Ave., Quezon City

## Microbiologist / QA Analyst

- Conduct and record microbiological tests of products and sanitation of plant facilities
- Conduct and record rheological, physic-chemical tests of products to ensure quality and safety
- Conduct experiments for product development based on available or required raw materials
- Investigate, analyze nonconformities and recommend correction and corrective action

## October 2012 - August 2013

### **Jollibee Foods Corporation**

5/F Jollibee Plaza, Emerald Ave., Ortigas Center, Pasig City Part-time Project Employee: Sensory Analytical Panelist

- Determine the attributes and measure attribute intensity of food samples during descriptive test session
- Identify odd sample conscientiously during discriminative test session

#### March 26 – May 25, 2012

## **National Food Authority**

Visayas Ave., Quezon City
Internship: Laboratory Analyst

- Conduct sample preparation to determine purity of rice grains using foreign matter analysis, headrice and brokens analysis, defects, damaged and discolored analysis, and age determination analysis
- Perform Moisture Content, Whiteness and Milling Degree Determination

#### **❖** TRAININGS AND SEMINARS

April 24 - 26, 2019

Awareness on current Good Manufacturing Practices

Philippine Trade and Training Center

Roxas Blvd., Pasay City

October 19, 2016 What's In Your Drink? Quench Your Thirst With Functional Beverage

Dairy Beverages (Probiotics) – Speaker Philippine Women's University – Manila

April 20 – 22, 2016 Meat Processing Training

Animal Products Development Center

Marulas, Valenzuela City, Metro Manila, Philippines

References are available upon request.