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Objective To join the Bulletproof team as an Associate Podcast Producer for Bulletproof Radio utilizing my skills and experience while emphasizing my passion for optimum human performance

Education **Iowa State University**, Ames, IA
Pursued Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering (81.5 credit hours completed)
Bellevue High School, Bellevue, IA
High School Diploma and ranked in Top 10% of graduating class

Summary of Qualifications

- Achieved Gold Level in the National Career Readiness Certificate
- Decisive, analytical, creative, and able to problem solve in an ever-changing environment.
- Effective negotiator, able to meet objectives and resolve concerns with tact and diplomacy.
- Works well individually with minimal supervision, or as part of a team.
- Highly motivated self-starter with strong organizational skills.
- Effective communication liaison between personnel and management.
- Proven ability to assess the needs of the team and deliver promised results.
- Energetic and ambitious; very detail oriented; committed to thorough completion of projects.

Employment History

Jan. 2017 to Present **HUSCO International**, Maquoketa, IA
Final Operations

- Assembler skilled at quickly understanding new processes, technologies, and machinery
- Operated CNC honing machine and knowledgeable in troubleshooting and programming techniques
- Tested a variety of hydraulic valves to specifications using computer software and test rack
- Diagnosed problems in failing valves using test data files, schematics, and general knowledge of products produced and their functioning
- Reworked failing product to meet passing standards while minimizing waste
- Kept work area clean and organized
- Followed work scheduler to plan production and adjusted if necessary ensuring consistent flow of product
- Consistently met or exceeded production quota with emphasis on high quality work
- Created cohesive work environment with team members to boost morale and performance
- Constantly learning and expanding capabilities beyond basic requirements of the position
- Maintained presence and awareness of workflow to jump in and help in bottleneck areas when needed
- Explained/taught processes and systems in a clear and concise manner to trainees and visiting customers

June 2015 to Dec. 2016 **Kris-Del Farms**, Davenport, IA
Dairy farm hand

- Operated, maintained, and repaired machinery and equipment
- Optimized tasks to save time and manpower in order to increase productivity
- Created distinct work schedules to meet the varying responsibilities of daily operation with minimal supervision

May 2012 to May 2015 **Irish Land Farms**, Delmar, IA
Herdsmen

- Oversaw all aspects of herd and operation including feed, general health, milk production, and equipment
- Managed new state of the art robotic system, including computer interface
- Generated reports from robotic system to prioritize tasks, improving time management and profitability

References Available upon request