# Lauren Van Cavage

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## **Experience**

PepsiCo September 2015-Present

HR Manager

South Florida

- Lead change management and HR initiatives for 600+ employees
- Drive talent management, managing annual performance reviews, creating succession plans, alleviating staffing concerns, and infusing diverse talent
- Drive performance management: consulting and coaching leaders to improve consistency & build talent
- Develop and own local and regional employee experience (organizational culture) strategies including driving and creating employee health surveys and action plans

#### Senior HR Representative

West Florida

- Managed HR activities for 400 employees in manufacturing and sales functions
- Lead campus recruitment for University of Florida, increasing hires from college by 21%
- Developed capabilities program to increase supervisor skills; topics included advocacy, finance, labor awareness
- Increased diversity hiring by 16% after developing first Affirmative Action and Labor Awareness plans for market

#### Amazon.com

June 2012-September 2015

### Regional Funnel Manager

Texas

- Managed 5-person team who oversaw the Applicant Tracking needs for CA to TX staffing teams
- Implemented a cross over strategy for the network's change in Applicant Tracking Systems (Taleo to Salesforce), impacting 10k+ applicants drove project life
- Acted as consultant and liaison for internal staffing & HR teams to HRIS Center of Excellence team made recommendations to improve functionality, identified defects, and built enhancements that created a more user friendly ATS

### Regional Staffing Specialist

Tennessee / North Carolina

- Site lead for all recruiting and hiring, serving as staffing consultant to sites' operation and senior managers
- Executed a fill rate of 101% and 105% between 2 locations, hiring 1230 employees within 6 months
- Fostered and developed community partnerships with local economic board, colleges and universities, and charitable organizations to strengthen Amazon's public position in the community and meet staffing initiatives

#### Training and Implementation Specialist

Texas

- Created onboarding, training, and process documents on HCM (PeopleSoft, Taleo) and analytics systems for 45+ team members
- Presented and led ongoing training procedures, resulting in 24 sites hiring over 25,000 seasonal hires
- Assisted in network design and testing of new reporting systems, reducing data pull time ~17 minutes

### Onboarding Manager (New Start Coordinator)

Texas

- Launched successful network initiative in recruiting seasonal workforce directly by the company, eliminating need for staffing agencies reducing costs by \$1.2 million, improving associate morale, and lowering overall T/O
- Managed team of 3 responsible for onboarding 1900 seasonal hires within 4 months & offboarding 1200 in 1
- Tested, assisted in development, and launched company's first paperless documentation process/system

## **Education – University of Florida**

- Master of Arts in International Business: Certificates in Global Management, Tourism
- Bachelor of Science in Business Administration: Minor in Mass Communications

### **Skills/Volunteer Work**

- Proficient in multiple HCMs and SaaS including Peoplesoft, Taleo, Salesforce; Experience in Sharepoint, Kronos, AT Server, Hireright, Quest Diagnostics, ADP, Onbase
- Basic Spanish fluency
- Board Member Osceola County YMCA (2016-2017)