# Jacques H. Favre

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# **Summary**

Talented and expert Swiss Ag Technician open for a new technical position.

# **Key Skills**

- Over 25 years of experience as a technician, over 10 years experience of all aspects of facilities management, maintenance, buildings repair, plumbing, electrical.
- Swiss licensed, master mechanic and electro mechanical technician.
- Expert mechanical, electrical and hydraulic knowledge, troubleshoot and repair.
- Talented craftsman, with hand and power tolls, wiring, piping, bodywork, machining and assembly work, ability to read blueprints and follow instructions, good communication.
- Diesel engines and small engines repair, maintenance and overhaul.
- Stick and MIG welding.
- Operations with over \$1.5 MM budget responsibility.
- Experience with oversight and supervision of new and existing projects.
- Highly effective supervisor of staff and volunteer workforce.
- Strong IT knowledge and IT capability creation for new and existing businesses within Mac, PC and Linux environments.
- Skilled in responsive web design, programming, and various programming languages.
- Experienced with drafting, AutoCAD, Fusion 360, FreeCAD, 3D printing
- Creative lateral thinker who enjoys complex functional and logistical design challenges with attention to details, while minimizing cost and complexity.
- French native speaker, excellent English, including writing, good German skills.
- Dedicated, reliable, responsible, self-motivated, self-starter, team player.

#### **Work Experience**

AG-Pro Companies, Ocala FL - 10/2018 - Present

Ag Technician

John Deere tractor and equipment repair and maintenance.

Favre Wagyu Farm, Smarter ABX, Reddick FL - 12/2015 - Present

Owner and Manager

Manage all aspects of a small business.

Gainesville Prosthetics, Gainesville FL - 06/2017 - 11/2017

Technician Intern

Maintain online inventory, assist with fabrication, operate and troubleshoot 3D printer.

## Parelli Natural Horsemanship, Ocala, FL - 04/2012 - 11/2015

**Facilities Manager** 

Responsibilities include: Optimal oversight of 600 acres of facilities, including visitor preparedness, IT and Media support, vehicle, equipment and buildings maintenance. Research, analysis, and advocacy for most cost effective and operationally effective processes and facilities management, including representative on the management Leadership Team. Staff leadership of up to 12 staff, ensuring all work is

done in a safe and timely manner.

### Cleveland Armory Black Beauty Ranch, Murchison, TX - 11/2010 - 03/2012

Ranch Foreman, Equine specialist

Led the build out for a new horse rescue, including on site IT operations , training oversight of staff and volunteers support.

#### Parelli Natural Horsemanship, Ocala, FL and Pagosa Springs CO - 10/2004 - 10/2010

Working Student, Ranch Hand, Ranch Foreman, CDL driver

Fulfill work as needed, suggest improvement, maintain a clean and safe environment.

## Jacques Favre Mechanic, Chateau-d'Oex, Switzerland - 07/1991 - 09/2004

Owner and Manager

Repair and maintain a variety of vehicles, farm and heavy equipment

Participate a special effect mechanic and car stunt driver in the making of Movie and TV shows in Germany. Some off the main ones include: Manta, der film, 1991, Karakum, 1994 Rudy, the Racing Pig, 1995, Cascadeur, 1998.

#### **Matisa, Crissier, Switzerland** - 07/1989 - 06/1991

Technician, Customer Support

Build and maintain railway heavy maintenance equipment, at the plant and at client site.

Assist customers with the "Break-in period".

## Samuel Morier, Farm equipment and fabrication Chateau d'Oex, Switzerland 07/1982 - 06/1989

Technician, Foreman

Repair and maintain farm equipment.

Rebuild of gas and diesel engines.

Troubleshoot and maintain a variety of electrical and hydraulic equipment.

Build and repair utility trailers, fabrication, welding and wiring.

Construction of custom made equipment.

Machining custom parts.

Teach and train staff and apprentices.

#### **Education and Credentials**

- Santa FE College, Gainesville, FL. Honor student, 2 year Vocational Certificate Computer programmer course (2016 2018)
  - o TestOut PC Pro Certification, April 28, 2017
  - o AutoCAD course at College of central Florida, June 08,2016
  - o Agile Training
- Master Mechanic, Associate Degree, SMU/USM, Aarberg, Switzerland
- Farm Equipment Mechanic, Diploma, EPSIC, Lausanne, Switzerland
- Technical College, Ecole Technique et des Metiers, ETML, Lausanne, Switzerland
  - o Bachelor Diploma
  - o Electro-Mechanical Technician, Diploma