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Personal Profile

- Over 10 years of experience in international trade.
- Proficient in 4 languages (Fluent in English and Portuguese, basic in Spanish and French)
- Advanced computer software skills (MS Office, main ERP and OS)
- Strong business sense, teamwork, and proactiveness
- Certified Customs Specialist by CSCB, number: 258331

Education

Business Diploma, St. Lawrence College, Canada, ON, 2014

Post-Graduation in International Trade, Fundação Armando Álvares Penteado, Brazil, 2012 **Bachelor in International Relations**, Faculdades Metropolitanas Unidas, Brazil, SP, 2010

Professional Experience

International Logistics Coordinator, Sure Good Foods, Mississauga, ON, 2020

- Working with challenging emerging markets delivering sensible goods in countries where infrastructure and safety are precarious.
- Exceeding expectation of clients and creating strong bonds with logistical partners.

Trader Assistant, Export Packers Company Inc, Brampton, ON 2017 - 2019

- Being trained to become a commodities trader while managing the international logistics part of the business.
- Creating a better understanding of all the players and the core business to take over a trade lane.

Import Coordinator, ACI Brands Inc, Mississauga, ON

2014 - 2017

- Plan, track and coordinate between shipper, freight forwarders and 3rd party logistics agents.
- Managed and approved ocean/air/truck bookings, communicating and resolving issues.
- Responsible for product receiving and reconciliation applying for customs exams.
- Ensured that North American and offshore vendors met the deadline for timely delivery of goods.

Import and Export Coordinator, Aplus Freight Forwarding, Milton, ON, 2014 -2014

- Successfully managed supply chain contracts within North America.
- Purchased logistics services that fit best company and client's needs.
- Creatively deal with strategic decisions that have high impact in the organization.
- Follow up daily process with strict schedule ensuring a problem free flow.

Resident Advisor at English School of Canada, Toronto, ON,

2014 - 2014

- Promoted a positive living environment by coordinating events aimed at fostering improved resident interaction.
- Created great rapport with students from a wide range of ages from 7 to 17 from different countries and cultures.
- Lead trips to the main tourist attractions of Toronto and the region while providing them safety from external factors.

Resident Advisor, St. Lawrence College, Kingston, ON 2014

2013 -

- Advised students on personal and academic matters helping them achieve their goals, making a positive change in their lives.
- Organised events within budget restraints that promote academic excellence and cultural enhancement.
- Successfully managed crisis situations where students were in danger by assessing them and calling the proper authorities.
- Used teamwork to enforce rules and policies, to ensure that the residence is a safe and productive environment.

International Logistics Analyst, Multilaser Industrial Ltd, Brazil, SP 2011 - 2012

- Predicted the market trends by utilizing historical data and main events in the world, to strike the best deals before price spikes.
- Negotiated with insurance companies, freight forwarder, warehouses, transport companies, armed convoys and factories, achieving great deals below market price.
- Communicated clearly with partners and suppliers around the world to keep logistics flowing on schedule and avoiding unnecessary mistakes, delays and extra expenses.
- Administered large budgets monthly and distributed funds strategically to contractors and partners achieving high productivity.
- Managed the performance of service providers in every trading route, reducing unnecessary costs and maximizing their efficiency.
- Interviewed new logistical service suppliers, partners and interns who matched company's culture and objectives.

Intern in International trade, Multilaser Industrial Ltd, Brazil, SP 2009 - 2010

- Prepared several reports, presentations, Excel spreadsheets and market research studies to improve the understanding of the business and make better choices.
- Researched efficient international trade routes through sea and air achieving great deals and contracts.
- Created follow up for all international shipping processes keeping accurate financial track of costs reducing logistical expenses.

Administrative Assistant, Banco Nossa Caixa S.A, Brazil, SP

2008

- Evaluated customer's ability to take loans, credit cards and other bank services, while avoiding bad payers and improving the company revenue.
- Sold bank services efficiently achieving all sales goals.
- Organized archives allowing easy reference and effective document management.
- Solved general problems for preferential clients receiving good feedback.

Independent Coursework

- Certified Customs specialist (Canadian Society of Customs Brokers 1 year)
- Foundations in International Trade (SENAC 50 hours)
- International Trade Analyst (Aduaneiras 24 hours)
- Techniques in Negotiation by Harvard Business School Methods (Aduaneiras-15 hours)
- Enterprise Logistics (Aduaneiras 16 hours)
- Advanced Excel (Doutores do Excel- 30 hours)
- Summer Course International Affairs, European Crisis (University of Lodz, Poland 70 hours)

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Additional Information

- Volunteer at **Enactus Canada** (2014) Volunteer at **Yellow Bike Action** (2013)
- Member of Toastmaster International (2013-2014)
- Standard First Aid plus CPR A and AED at St. John Ambulance

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