William I. Firestone

Amazon DSP driver with nearly two years of full-time experience and a top performer as a delivery driver. B.S. degree in Accounting from CSUN and experience at a CPA firm specializing in ultra-high-net worth individuals.

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Aug 2019 - Apr 2021

Manteca, CA

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Driver Associate

Northgate Consulting, LLC

Also known as "Angel Prime" -- our team's name.

- Driver for an Amazon delivery service partner (DSP) of Amazon for nearly two years.
- Was consistently a top performer on my team which consisted of over 100 drivers.
- Experience driving the Ford Transit 250 extended van and the Mercedes Sprinter van.

Business Manager

Freelance

Encino, CA May 2015 – May 2019

- Provided tax, bookkeeping, and financial counseling to individuals and small businesses, and implemented accounting procedures for start-ups.
- Reviewed transactions inputted by businesses to ensure accuracy.
- Taught clients to organize and adjust their business practices to reduce tax liabilities, and how to make tax payments.

Account Manager

Meschures, Thompson, Snyder, Pocras & Levin, P.C.

Beverly Hills, CA Mar 2014 – Apr 2015

- Managed finances for ultra-high-net worth clients in the entertainment industry with incomes of more than \$5-10 million per year and net worths of more than \$20 million.
- Specialized in reviewing and preparing financial statements for individuals, joint accounts, corporations, LLCs, trusts, partnerships, estates, and non-profits.
- Trained two Account Managers to process receivables, payables, credit card payments, cash flow reports, and other tasks.
- Reconciled a high volume of investment and bank accounts monthly.
- Projected taxable year-end income and expenses, and drafted reports on taxable long-term and short-term capital gains from investments.
- Helped a wealth management company begin tracking brokerage accounts by drafting a portfolio of investments.
- Prepared payroll, payroll taxes, and issued annual 1099 forms.

Accounting Intern

Jaguar Distribution Corp.

Studio City, CA

April 2011 - March 2014

- Managed the internal accounting for a film distributor to major airlines and cruises.
- Processed minimum guarantees and royalty disbursements using guidance from attorneys and bank representatives such that payments adhere to contract stipulations.
- Provided training to the Accounting Manager.
- Reviewed film contract details to ensure terms and conditions are recorded correctly.
- Scheduled payments for royalties due and issued statements to film production companies on a quarterly basis.
- Submitted anticipated revenue, expenses, and performance of films to licensors and producers on request.
- Tracked film editing expenses to ensure adherence to expense caps.
- Helped auditors with an engagement by preparing deposits and sales reports, and then drafted memoranda expressing opinion of the audit results to a supervisor.
- Performed internal audit of royalty disbursement records.

EDUCATION

California State University, Northridge

Accounting, Bachelor of Science – May 2014 GPA – 3.40. Dean's List Member of Accounting Association **Modesto Junior College**

Associate of Art's – December 2010 GPA – 3.70. President's List