

## Ryan DeShazo

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### Education

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Radford University | August 2009 – May 2013 | **Major:** B.S. Communications | **Concentration:** Production Technology

### Work Experience

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**Bowhead Support (UIC Alaskan Native Corp.) – Dahlgren, VA** | Engineering Technician IV – December 2015 to Present

- Currently holding group lead position for contracting personnel of Experimental Explosive Area
  - Assist in implementing/applying standard processes for scope/change management, risk management, issue management, quality assurance, estimate variances and project communications
  - Submit monthly reports on time and attendance, duties performed, and other requested reports as needed by the Program Manager
  - Work closely with the Program Manager to identify critical success factors and determine management expectations to ensure successful services
- Lead photographer and videographer focused on NATO and MIL STD testing across multiple explosive ranges
- High-speed photography and video development lead of explosive munitions testing
- Government security clearance for past 12 years
- Knowledge of infrastructure diagnostic testing of Fiber Optic networks through the use of Corning and Fluke equipment
- Lead team through multiple explosive testing situations; including mentoring and training set up of high-speed Phantom cameras, data acquisition systems and fiber optic network infrastructure
- Help plan and execute mission critical fiber optic infrastructure between explosive range buildings and testing sites
- Lead, execute and post process multi media range data and deliver to the customer in a cost effective and timely manner
- Increasing the efficiency of data processing, quality control analysis of testing and site utilization throughout the explosive range
- Strive to meet and complete projects before deadlines, while operating in a fast paced and active work environment while focusing on delivering the best possible product
- Working with, and learning with new cutting edge technology in the realm of photography and videography and data analysis

**CBS Radio - Los Angeles, CA** | Promotions Department KERTH101, 94.7 Wave – August 2015 – November 2015

- Conducted onsite and offsite promotions and execution by planning and organizing events and interacted with station listeners.
- Recorded and executed onsite and offsite marketing events (i.e. photos, videos and audio) for station social media.
- Engaged with local businesses to educate them on our brand and the promotions available at that time.

**Kratos Defense and Security Solutions – Dahlgren, VA** | Engineering Aide – May 2013 to Sept 2015

- Worked on multiple testing scenarios, which supported standard hazard class assessment tests, while also working with other non-energetic testing.
- Gained experience regarding instrumentation equipment and acquisition devices such as PCB piezotronic gages, strain gages, accelerometers, phantom high-speed cameras, and high techniques data acquisition systems.

### Skills and Achievements

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- Kratos Rookie Employee of the Year 2014
- Certified team member/team lead in ordnance work, Fork lift operator, aerial basket operator,
- Proficient in Adobe Lightroom, Photoshop, Final Cut Pro, Premier Pro, Avid Media Composer and Microsoft Office Suite, VS Code Editor
- Ability to communicate effectively with all levels of employees including outside parties, and demonstrate skills in oral and written communications