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Highlights of Qualifications

- Efficient, reliable, and diligent.
- Dedicated to a high-quality standard and with a strong attention to detail.
- Very proficient in written and verbal communication skills
- Able to work independently or as a contributing team member

Training and Certificates

- Confined space awareness, entry and rescue
- RKI-GX2009 and GX2012 Gas monitor
- Working at heights and elevated work platforms
- SCBA/SABA training
- Forklift training and certificate

Work Experience

Oil temper operator

Long Carbon Canada, Hamilton, ON

October 2021- August 2025 (plant closure)

- Catching, strapping, transporting and managing wire coils.
- Driving a forklift to move and place coils in the required storage row.
- Using scanners and computer programs to move coils and complete orders.

Bander, Production Team Member

Nova Steel, Stoney Creek, ON

June 2021- October 2021

- Visually inspect each coil for defects to be addressed by quality downstream
- Band coils to customer specifications
- Improving the functionality and efficiency of the banding area
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Rolling operations team member (Contract)

Dofasco, Hamilton, ON

September 2018- March 2021

- Assigning and writing a serial number to production coils
- Final visual inspection of coils for any edge, shape, surface, or other possible defects
- Burning test samples and scrap steel as required
- Operating a crane to perform various tasks throughout the mill, such as inspection tests, scrap removal, maintenance lifts, etc.
- Various shutdown tasks, crane operating, guiding the crane, installing new shims and spacers, inspection of fluid hoses before removal and start up

General Labourer (water blasting, industrial work)

Smits Tank Maintenance, Oakville, ON

June 2016- September 2018

- Power washing, high-pressure water blasting, sandblasting, chiselling/jackhammering or vacuuming, tanks, machinery, cooling towers, industrial areas and equipment, etc. 2000-20,000PSI
- Creating and implementing A water blasting safety and instructional training course in-house.
Troubleshooting in various situations to best complete tasks and issues that come up
- Using various tools, equipment, and instruments to best complete tasks.
- Working alongside various tradesmen (pipefitters, crane operators, electricians, etc.).

High-Pressure Water Blaster

Marine Clean Ltd, Niagara Falls, ON

December 2015- April 2016

- Cleaning holding tanks, cargo bays, sumps, diesel tanks, etc., on marine vessels using 3000-5000PSI
- Job planning and risk assessment.
- Using various tools (hand and power tools) to complete tasks as needed.
- Working at heights, in extreme heat and cold, confined spaces, loud, dark and busy areas.

High-Pressure Water Blaster and Industrial Cleaner

Robinsons Solutions, Kitchener, ON

March 2015- December 2015

- Cleaning industrial machinery at the Toyota plant, including holding tanks, ovens, walls, etc., using a high-pressure water system (40,000 PSI)
- Responsible for training new employees on water blasting
- Determining more efficient ways to complete jobs assigned
- Adapting previous work experience to the current position
- Using hand tools such as chisels, air chisels, pry bar, hammers and other tools as needed to complete the task at hand
- Remove debris left behind using shovels, brooms or a vacuum truck

High-Pressure Water Blaster

Industrial Water Blast Services, Waterloo, ON

December 2014 - December 2015

- Cleaning industrial machinery, holding tanks, ovens, walls, etc. using a high-pressure water system (1500-40,000 PSI)
- Using hand tools such as chisels, air chisels, pry bar, hammers and other tools as needed to complete the task at hand
- Working at heights, in extreme heat and cold, confined spaces, dangerous chemicals, loud, dark and busy areas.
- Working alongside various tradesmen (pipefitters, crane operators, electricians, etc.).

Education

St. Catharines Collegiate

- Ontario Secondary School Diploma
- Graduated June 2009 from the four (4) year Applied Program

Volunteer Work

Treasurer 2024-present.

Member of the executive committee for Ontario Kayak Bassmasters.
Manage all money coming in and out of a province-wide club.

Head Coach - Merritton Baseball

Help teach the fundamentals of baseball to youth aged 8 and under
Ensure that all youth enjoyed their experience
Work with other coaches to develop the skills of all players
Demonstrate creative thinking to achieve the desired outcome from players

Assistant Coach – St. Catharines Collegiate

Assist high school wrestling teams with the development of wrestling skills
Help to run practices and ensure all wrestlers are focused on task at hand