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Objective: Position as Winemaker

Highlights:

- Dedicated to and capable of premium wine production
- 30+ years winemaking experience
- Work well in a team as well as independently
- Very trustworthy and reliable employee

Experience:

Tabor Hill Winery, Round Barn Winery, Free Run Cellars Buchanan, MI
Winemaker August 2016 to January 2021

- Train, direct and supervise cellar staff; pre-harvest vineyard sampling and grape analysis to determine harvest dates; process grapes and other fruit; inoculate juice; monitor fermentations; blend, filter and bottle wine; enter winemaking data into computer database; lab analysis; forecasting for harvest and bulk wine needs; source bulk wine, harvest and bottling supplies; represent winery brands at various events.

Seven Hills Winery Walla Walla, WA Enologist 3/2015 to 5/2016

- Process grapes; inoculate juice; monitor fermentations; blend and filter wine; enter winemaking data into computer database, lab analysis.

Sanjel Miles City, MT Frac Operator 3 11/2013 to 1/2015

- Conduct pre and post trip inspections on tractor/trailer. Drive tractor/trailer to and from job site; rig in/out to well head; operate equipment; transfer chemicals from tanker truck to totes.

David Derstine Trucking Milton-Freewater, OR Driver 3/2013 to 5/2013

- Conduct pre and post-trip inspection on truck and trailers. Load and secure straw bales onto double trailers and deliver to dairy; haul shipping containers to Port of Seattle.

Le Chateau Winery Walla Walla, WA Winemaker 11/2010 to 3/2012

- Source bulk wines, blend, filter and bottle wine
- Process grapes, producing wine from estate vineyard, directing staff as needed
- Represent winery at various events including winemaker dinners
- Maintain and repair equipment; supply procurement

Clair Cellars Pasco, WA Winemaker 12/2009 to 11/2010 and 4/2012 to 10/2012

- Process grapes, blend, filter and bottle wines
- Manage cellar staff
- Maintain records
- Maintain and repair equipment; supply procurement

Cougar Crest Winery Walla Walla, WA Winemaker 9/2005 to 6/2009

- Production Winemaker in charge of daily operations
- I made a number of improvements to the winemaking program including daily operations and work flow, blending, filtration and bottling.

Waterbrook Winery Walla Walla, WA Production Manager 7/1992 to 12/2004

Education: UC Davis Davis, CA Bachelor of Science in Fermentation Science 1988