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Summary of Qualifications

- Experience with data gathering and analysis.
- Proficient in Microsoft Power BI
- ASQ Six Sigma Yellow Belt
- Experience with continuous improvement, lean, and GMP methodologies.

Education

Northern Arizona University — Flagstaff, AZ

Anticipated Graduation June 2024

Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering

- *Formula SAE Club*

Coconino Community College — Flagstaff, AZ

Graduated Dec. 2020

Associate of Arts in General Studies

Employment History

Nestle Purina — Flagstaff, AZ

2022-Present

Manufacturing Excellence Intern

- Created Power BI reports that consolidated data and KPIs between multiple sources, helping reduce data gathering time by 80%.
- Analyzed production data and verified between systems to ensure accuracy and monitor stoppages.
- Collaborated with cross-functional teams on continuous improvement projects to minimize downtime and improve efficiency.
- Trained new employees on continuous excellence pillars to promote a continuous improvement environment.

Single Track Bikes — Flagstaff, AZ

2018-2021

Mechanic & Purchaser

- Maintained up-to-date knowledge of bicycle industry to provide best customer service to a broad range of clients.
- Worked with distributors to bring in unique brands and products which resulted in increased sales and customer satisfaction.
- Achieved company growth by constant evaluation and modification of processes and protocols.
- Used problem-solving techniques to fabricate solutions to get athletes back out training.
- Provided detail-oriented service for professional cyclists.

Eaglecrest Ski Area — Juneau, AK

Winters 2015-2016

Retail & Repair Manager

- Developed 4 new base grinds to improve ski performance based on local conditions.
- Established a new repair area to optimize efficiencies between workstations.
- Collaborated with the marketing and events team to build relationships with the community at local events.