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OBJECTIVE Experienced team player with strong work ethic and attention to detail looking to utilize my computer troubleshooting/repair and diesel engine routine maintenance experience combined with training in wind technology to provide high quality maintenance and repair on wind turbines and to continue my career growth in wind technology.

EXPERIENCE

Deckhand
Kelley's Island Ferry Boat Line, Inc. Marblehead, Ohio
July 2004 – October 2009

- Experienced team player, working with small crews for long hours under strict time constraints to conduct daily ferry boat runs.
- Performed bi-weekly oil changes and other routine maintenance on diesel engines.
- Conducted regular fuel and air filter replacements on diesel engines.
- Responsible for annual ferry boat painting, maintenance, and clean up.
- Monitored overall boat cleanliness and passenger safety daily.

EDUCATION

BZEE Certified Wind Turbine Technician Academy Kalamazoo, MI
Kalamazoo Valley Community College
October 2009 -April 2010
Full-time, 26-week, intensive, hands-on wind turbine technician training in the electrical and mechanical skills required of a wind turbine technician.

University of Toledo Toledo, OH
August 2004 – May 2005
Environmental Science and Business

Terra Community College Fremont, OH
May 2005 – August 2007
Music Technology

CERTIFICATIONS

- OSHA 10 Certified
- Authorized Climber (compliant with 29 CFR, part 1926, subpart M)
- Ability to work at heights, repel, conduct a ladder rescue, and fall arrest
- Standard First Aid w/CPR and AED Certified
- Control of Hazardous Energy (Lock Out/Tag Out)

SKILLS

- Knowledgeable in electrical theory, wiring, motor control, and basic P.L.C.
- Experience in craning & rigging, hydraulics, laser alignment, torching, welding, blade repair and aero dynamics
- Powered Industrial Truck Operator Training
- Strong team player, with experience working in small teams to accomplish time sensitive tasks
- Positive friendly attitude
- Strong work ethic and drive to succeed