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Seeking position to sail / Semi Retied / Full Time Consulting since 2009 / Self Employed

OBJECTIVE STATEMENT

As Consultant, Vessel Master or Mate I will contribute to the overall company's positive image by providing efficient, task oriented services and support.

NOTABLE PERSONAL ACHIEVMENTS

- Assisted team members in upgrading computer systems and installing navigation software allowing efficient and safe vessel navigation saving the company time and money.
- Assisted team leaders with government compliance paperwork there by allowing them to apply their technical skills to needed vessel operations.
- Managed teams of up to 8 members with daily work projects including preventative maintenance and vessel upkeep.

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

CLLS.net, dba.

2009-Present

CLLS.net is the official dba of James W. Hudgens a marine consultant and vessel master, mate and pilot. Since 2009 I have been focusing full time on consulting projects and have worked with Lake Tow, Boat Tow, Redwood Marine and Hunt Tugs. Also IT support for Redwood Lodge on Lake Whitney Texas.

Odyssea Marine, Inc.

2005-2009

Odyssea Marine, Inc. is a marine transportation and vessel support company serving the exploration, drilling, production and construction aspects of the offshore oil and gas industry.

Offshore Oil Services, Inc.

2000-2005

Offshore Oil Services, Inc. is a privately held family owned business which supplies oil service vessels to companies engaged in the exploration and production of oil and gas in the Gulf of Mexico.

Electrotex, Inc.**1998-2000**

Electrotex, Inc. was a local electronics supply vendor and certified RCA reseller in Houston, Texas. They also offered computer parts and equipment for building of bare bones systems.

Live Dive Pacific, Inc.**1996-1998**

Live Dive Pacific, Inc. is the Aggressor Fleet Franchise operating live aboard recreational scuba diving vessels in the Pacific Region.

Beach Divers Hawaii, Inc.**1993-1996**

Beach Divers Hawaii, Inc. was a Scuba charter vessel operator and Scuba training center located on the island of Oahu, Hawaii.

CLLS.net**1993-2010**

CLLS.net is my consulting DBA offering full service web hosting and home office user support. With over 30 years of computer IT and hardware experience, CLLS offers easy, cost effective solutions designed to meet the specific requirements of your home or small business.

TEXACO, Inc. (EPTD)**1983-1993**

Texaco, Inc. finds and produces oil and natural gas; manufactures and markets fuels and lubricants; operates trading, transportation and distribution.

EXPERIENCE**Odyssea Marine, Inc.****2005-2009**

Served as Mate and handled all aspects of safe vessel operation and United States Coast Guard compliance documentation according to established company policies. Daily record keeping, log books and vessel communication systems. Trained new crew members in SOLAS / MARSEC procedures and policy including life saving, fire safety and environmental responsibility.

Offshore Oil Services, Inc.**2000-2005**

Primary function was captain and primary vessel operator while coordinating the daily vessel operations. Oversight of crew and worked with the Mate to insure vessel safety compliance and regulatory conformance. Oversight of the Sophie M. engine repower in the shipyard. Onsite representation of OOSI interests saved the company over 200 man hours. After the vessel returned to service the vessel operated at 100% capacity for 18 months and paid for the vessels acquisition and shipyard expenses.

Electrotex, Inc.**1998-2000**

Counter sales person and system technician. Telephone sales and customer support. Was quickly promoted, from within in the company, to manage the South Houston location computer department. Configured and built systems to specific customer requirements and specifications.

Live Dive Pacific, Inc.

1996-1998

Vessel captain and primary operator of live aboard dive vessel. Oversight of weekly provisioning need of up to 16 guests and 8 crew for the week long trips. Daily maintenance of scuba diving support systems including breathing air compressors and water makers as needed.

Beach Divers Hawaii, Inc.

1993-1996

Lead scuba instructor and vessel captain. Logged 3500 recreational scuba dives and certified 400 students. Operated the first 42' jet powered dive vessel in Hawaiian waters.

CLLS.net

1993-2010

Successfully provided hundreds of home users with recommendations and individualized system installs for the last 15 years. We have been responsible for custom setup and configuration of over 20 systems with specialized Navigation Software applications. We are experienced with Cellular tethering for accessing the internet remotely since 1995. We provide weekly support via telephone for end users regarding application configuration. We are currently a reseller of web hosting and domain registrations.

Texaco, Inc. (EPTD)

1983-1993

Supervised the geologic core repository; directing a staff of up to 6 persons. Provided warehousing oversight; the consolidation of samples from Midland and Bakersfield to the Houston storage location. Provided field trip logistical support in the South West region; including all aspects of transportation, housing and meals. Transferred to the IT department and supported desktop users providing network connectivity and application support. Wrote training guide and conducted classes for basic users in the Windows 3.0 operating system.

PREVIOUS EXPERIENCES AND REFERENCES – available upon request

Technical Skills:

Operating Systems: Windows 7, Vista, XP, Windows 2003, 2000, 98, 95

Applications: Microsoft Office Suite, Outlook, Web Expression, Front page, Explorer, Chrome

Other: Social Networking, Marine Navigation, Satellite Communication, Cellular tethering

ASSOCIATIONS AND CERTIFICATIONS

USCG Vessel Master, Mate/Pilot of Towing, STCW and TWIC

PADI Master Scuba Diver Trainer and Medic First Aid Instructor

FCC Marine Radio operators license and Radar Observer certification

United Way committee chair person (1986-1992)

Non-Profit Board member with two 501-3 Corporations

SELECTED KEYWORDS

Windows Vista XP mobile office html web internet satellite communication cellular technologies DUN system configuration specifications application support help desk customer support supervision management offshore navigation radio license tutoring consulting instructor IT information technology staffing team leader supervisor compliance regulation compliance LAN/WAN banyan token ring home networking Linksys routers