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EDUCATION:

Bachelor of Science, Nutrition and Food Science with Specialization in Food Science and Technology

Sept. 2019- Apr. 2023

University of Alberta, Edmonton AB

Current GPA: 3.0/4.0

Working towards a Certificate in Sustainability

TECHNICAL SKILLS:

- **MS Office:** Word, excel, PowerPoint
- **HACCP Training**
- **Analytical Chemistry**

HIGHLIGHTS OF QUALIFICATIONS:

- **WHMIS, 2020**
- **Food Microbiology Lab handling, 2021**
- **Lab and Chemical Safety, 2021**
- **Biosafety Certification, 2021**

WORK EXPERIENCE:

Sales Associate & Merchandiser

December, 2019-January, 2020

Urban Planet, YM Inc.

Edmonton, Canada

- Merchandising new products on the sales floor and arranging based on its physical qualities.
- Attending minimum 50 customers daily and solving their concerns.
- Maintaining the appearance of the shop.

Business and Warehouse intern

April, 2019 to August, 2019

Jee-Heet Tortilla Pvt. Ltd.

Rajkot, India

- Developed innovative marketing strategies to direct sales of 12 imported snack products in HoReCa division, institutions, modern trade & general trade key accounts with PAN India agreements.
- Designed and implemented three new business strategy promotional campaigns in the areas of marketing, advertising, and social media as part of brand building and market development.
- Set up two new distribution channels, foster communication with clients and register products in retail stores and hotel chains.
- Maintaining stock and placing orders of products to manufacturers, unloading pallets from the deliveries, and loading trucks for vending with the help of hired workers, providing monthly stock reports and sales reports in board meetings along with analysis.

PROJECT EXPERIENCE:

Research paper on “Climate Change and food safety”, 2021: NU FS 442 course

- Studying the socio-economic impacts of Climate change on Food safety

Poster presentation on “Climate Change and food safety”, 2021: NU FS 427 course

- Group presentation on the impact of Climate change on Food safety

Unit Operations in Canola Oil Extraction, 2020: NU FS 283 course

- Group project on identifying the unit operations (process) of Canola oil extraction

Business Communication, 2019: ALES 204 course

- Group project on identifying 3 communication problems and providing its solutions for the non-profit: Indigenous Knowledge and Wisdom Centre (IKWC) as a part of community service Learning (CSL).

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE:

NUFS Representative

May 2021-onwards

Nutrition and Food Science Student Association

- Represent NuFSSA in FAUnA (Faculty of ALES Undergraduate Association)
- Work with VP Academic to organize NuFSSA Industry Night
- Represent the interests of students in the NUFFS general program and voice ideas/problems which NuFSSA can address to help students in the NUFFS general program.

ALES Faculty Leader

April 2021-September 2021

Week of Welcome, University of Alberta Student's Union

- Conduct orientation for first year students and give them campus tours.

VP Fundraising

September 2020-April 2021

Nutrition and Food Science Student Association

- Organizing volunteering events and fundraisers for 73 volunteers in the association.

Member and Volunteer

September 2019- April 2020

Nutrition and Food Science Student Association

- Volunteered at numerous fundraisers hosted by the association like Samosa Sale.
- Represented the association in the Science FUNday event as a demonstrator. The event was hosted by Science Fundamentals club and had around 2750 guests and 350 volunteers.

Awards and scholarships:

- The Mary (Davidson) Howard Bar None Award, 2021
- Jake And Marilyn Ens Ales Bar None Centennial Bursary, 2020
- Sonja Burton Memorial Bursary, 2020

Additional Information:

Languages: English- fluent, Hindi- fluent, Gujarati- fluent

Reference Available Upon Request