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**PROFILE**

Recent graduate of Bioversity’s Biotech Career Foundations Certificate Program taught at UMass Lowell. After 4 years of experience in the army, I am eager to leverage my self motivation, problem solving abilities and technical training to transition into an early-career in-lab operations role to pursue a passion for life sciences.

**Relevant Technical Training**

* Safely working in hazardous environments
* Biosafety and Bloodborne Pathogen and Chemical Hygiene SOPs
* Hazardous chemical identification & classification
* Inventory management, pipetting, gas cylinder safety

**Professional and Transferable Skills**

* Conducting training and ensuring compliance with regulation
* Safely transporting/disposing hazardous materials
* Strong Documentation and Record Keeping
* Effective problem solving
* Work well under pressure
* Fluent in English and Spanish
* Microsoft Word, Excel and Outlook

**EDUCATION**

**Bioversity | Biotech Career Foundations** June 2025

Certificate of Completion

**Lowell High School** June 2019

High School Diploma |*Graduated with Honors*

**EXPERIENCE**

**Amazon Driver** December 2024 – April 2025

*Amazon MSTS* | *Haverhill, MA*

* Achieved exceptional service ratings through strategic route optimization and consistently meeting delivery deadlines
* Made effective, time-sensitive decisions by leveraging critical thinking skills in fast-paced, high-pressure environments.

**Sale Associate and Pet Groomer** May 2024 – December 2024

*Woof Gang Bakery and Grooming* | *Fulshear, TX*

* Engaged customers with tailored product recommendations, contributing to revenue growth
* Balanced animal care responsibilities with operational tasks such as cashiering, restocking, and maintaining accurate inventory records.
* Contributed to team success by collaborating across functions, adjusting to evolving needs, and ensuring store presentation consistency.

**Army / Ammunitions Specialist** May 2020 – May 2024

*160th Special Operations Aviation Regiment (SOAR), U.S. Army* | *Savannah, GA*

* Trained and led a team of 10 personnel in ammunition handling procedures, enhancing team effectiveness and compliance with safety regulations and SOPs.
* Conducted thorough inspections and maintenance of ammunition storage facilities and weapons, in compliance with SOPs, achieving a 100% reduction in safety incidents not only for myself, but for others involved through rigorous adherence to standards and safety protocols.
* Developed and implemented advanced inventory tracking systems, improving inventory accuracy, and operational efficiency by upwards of 85%.