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PROFILE: Dynamic 10-year career spanning a variety of interests and pursuits within the hands-on and advanced technology sectors.

- Well organized, with a track record that demonstrates self motivation, creativity, and initiative to achieve personal and corporate goals
- Communication skills, character excellence as an RCMP Auxiliary constable
- Obtained outstanding technical and troubleshooting skills from the aviation world
- High degree of career flexibility, from mechanical to technical to managerial.

ACCOLADES

- MS Office, Open Office, WordPerfect, Photoshop, MS Access Database
- Advanced operation and administration of all Windows based PCs
- HTML programming, Network administration
- Forklift and ATV (licensed), heavy machinery operation
- Complete overhaul of piston and turbine engines, advanced mechanical abilities
- Basic AC/DC operations, multimeters, circuit boards, etc.
- First Aid certified

EDUCATION & TRAINING

BCIT	Survey / Digital Mapping diploma	2004 - 2006
Malaspina College	Technical upgrades	2004
BCIT	Turbine engine technician program	1998-1999
Malaspina College	Arts and sciences	1996 - 1998

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

June 2006 – Present



Crape Geomatics Corporation

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Crape Geomatics Corp. - Calgary, AB

INFORMATION SERVICES TECHNICIAN

Perform research to provide field crews and office CAD teams with applicable information to conduct well-site and pipeline survey operations.
Work with IT dept. dealing with various technical problems

SURVEY ASSISTANT

Conduct oil and gas well-site/pipeline layout/as-built surveys using GPS and total stations throughout Alberta. Operate various GPS devices, ATV's Ski-Doos, 4x4 vehicles chainsaws and underground locating devices.

June 2005 – Sept 2005

(seasonal)



Engineering Dept. – City of Burnaby BC

SURVEY ASSISTANT

Layout of sewer and water utilities, draft plans with AutoCAD, conduct private property assessments, set-out new road layouts and pavement markings, perform elevation monitoring of various sites, place new survey markers.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

January 2004 – Sept. 2006

(transferred to K div)



RCMP GRC - Nanaimo BC

Auxiliary Constable

Provide policing service to the city of Nanaimo. Respond to 911 calls, provide general assistance to citizens, provide first aid service. Conduct routine bar-checks for unruly patrons, assist regular member in their duties during the course of a shift. Arrest and detain suspects. Provide traffic control during MVAs or public events.

August 2002 - May 2003

(laid off)



Air Canada YVR Technical Operations - Richmond BC

TURBINE ENGINE REPAIR SPECIALIST

Maintain and repair Boeing 747-767-737 and Airbus A340 turbine engines. Conduct periodic internal engine inspections using borescopes, examine and implement engineering recommendations. Transport turbine engines using overhead cranes or aircraft tow tractors. Perform on-wing assessments and conduct repairs of damaged engines.

KEY ACHIEVEMENTS

- Mobile repair team member
- Designed, organized and implemented a custom engine parts and consumables list
- Factory (GE) maintenance accreditation, CF6 and CFM56 turbine engines

July 1999 - August 2002

(quit for Air Canada)



ACRO Aerospace - Richmond BC

TURBINE ENGINE OVERHAUL AND REPAIR SPECIALIST

Full overhaul and repair of gearboxes and engines for Bell 212 helicopter. Disassemble engines for overhaul, precision measurements of aircraft parts, interpret engineering drawings, re-assemble and test engines. Bookkeeping of related literature, shop tooling support and upkeep.

KEY ACHIEVEMENTS

- Factory (Pratt and Whitney) certified for PT6T overhaul procedures
- Mentoring of new employees
- Crash investigation team member, report writer
- Design and integration of new practices and protocol for turbine engine overhaul

Other positions of note include:

- Furniture Sales
 - Pulp/paper production
 - Heavy equipment operation
 - Residential construction
 - PC maintenance and repair
 - Automotive maintenance and repair
 - Fire warning system testing, fire suppression systems maintenance.
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