

James Afuan

A Licensed Agricultural Technologist with 4 years of experience in the field of Research and Development for field crops and other farming related works. Also passionately to work in food industry as I guineuinely loved cooking and serving food.

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1. Licensed/ professional Agriculturist (RPAg) with professional experience in the field of agricultural science on field crops in the National Government of the Philippines;
2. Knowledgeable in formulating and conducting/ implementing R&D crop- related scientific experiments also performing data collection, analyzing, and reporting of results;
3. Worked as a greenhouse worker of one of the leading grower and supplier of ornamental plants in British Columbia, Canada.
4. Willing to relocate, to be trained and to accept ANY new job offer in ANY fields.

Willing to relocate: Anywhere

Personal Details

Total years of experience: 6

Work Experience

Food Counter Attendant

Tim Hortons - Mission, BC

September 2023 to Present

- Take customers' orders
- Receives payment from customers in cash or credit card, accurately counts and provides change to customers as required
- Make coffees and cold drinks for drive thru and front counter
- Maintain service speed especially in the drive thru area
- Use and clean equipment to prepare hot beverages such as coffee and tea specialties
- Clean, peel, slice and trim foodstuffs using appliances
- Use deep grill, oven, dispensers and other equipment to prepare fast food items
- Portion, assemble, and wrap food or place it directly on plates for service to patrons, and package take-out food
- Serve customers at counters
- Clean and stocks, refill refrigerators, cups dispenser and etc.

Greenhouse Worker- Floriculture

Rainbow Greenhouses Inc. - Chilliwack, BC

September 2021 to August 2023

- Provide day-to-day greenhouse activities to include growing of wide variety of ornamental plants, planting, transplanting, pruning, watering, fertilizing, controlling insects and disease and manual weeding;
- Do plant spacing, lay up hanging baskets, upgrade, unbox newly delivered plants and materials;
- Pick/harvest/select foliage and other flowering plants based on customer orders;
- Clean, and prepare picked plants, ensure putting tags, sleeves, labels, universal price code;
- Build carts/orders for various customers such like Wallmarts, Home depot, Ikea, Costco and etc.;
- Wrap carts and deliver to shipping area;
- Properly inventory and scan UPC's code;
- Clean working areas.

Agriculturist I/ Science Research Technician II

Department of Agriculture- Cagayan Valley Research Center - City of Iigan, Isabela, Philippines
April 2018 to August 2021

- Communicate and coordinates with the Local Government Units (LGU's) of the province to implement rice research programs and other crop related projects of the National Government;
- Build positive relationships with farmers as clients;
- Working on field with farmers to extend technology on improving crop production through varietal selection, good cropping practices, different control strategies on weeds, pests & diseases, irrigation systems and etc. that will eventually help them maximize their economic returns;
- Participate in technology transfer and training activities through providing series of trainings and seminars to clients and bringing other attached government agencies to farm cooperatives and associations to further improve their organizations;
- Prepares and conduct advisory information sessions and lectures for farmers and other relevant groups;
- Collects soil samples and interpret results;
- Compute and prepare fertilizer stocks recommendation based on the soil analysis report;
- Assist in land preparation and trial establishment (plowing, rotavating, seed sowing, seedbed construction, field layout, planting, care and maintenance and etc.)
- Planning and scheduling of watering and fertilization events according to crop needs and in consideration of experimental designs.
- Consolidates and gathers necessary data such as plant height, number of productive/unproductive tillers, number of panicles, count of grains, moisture content and weight per sample and etc.;
- Conduct weekly monitoring and reporting status of on-station and on-field research trials;
- Identify and evaluates crop problems as affected by treatments used, weather disturbances, pests and diseases incidence and effectively execute corrective measures;
- Input, analyse and interpret collected agronomic data;
- Prepares and perform technical papers and reporting of trial results after project termination;
- Monitors and do inventory of chemical stocks and coordinate supply office;
- Also, assists other researchers in planning and executing the developed programs for farmers throughout the locality.

Kitchen/Service Crew

Jollibee Foods Incorporation under Staff Search Asia Service Coop - Tuguegarao City
May 2016 to August 2016

- Ensuring food preparation areas are clean and hygienic following health codestandards.
- Sorting and storing food ingredients before and after work operation.
- Prepare ordered food products such as mango pie, tuna pie, and french fries.
- Washing utensils and dishes used, making sure stored appropriately.

Education

Certificate in Agricultural Management

Guelph University - Canada

October 2023 to December 2023

On going in Continuing Professional Education

ISABELA STATE UNIVERSITY - Cabagan

2018 to 2018

Bachelor's Degree in Agricultural Technology- General- Crop Science, Animals, Soil Science, Agricultural Marketing and Economics & Agricultural Extension/ Communications

ISABELA STATE UNIVERSITY - Cabagan

2013 to 2017

Skills

- Enthusiastic person with passion in caring ornamental tropical plants and field crops;
- Quick learner with ability and capacity to adapt to new plants, crops and situations;
- Maintain personal standards of work (example: speed and quality);
- Knowlegable on agricultural field research;
- Excellent leadearship, writing and communication skills;
- Attention details, strong observational skills;
- Can work well independently;
- Able to lift heavy objects on a regular basis;
- Available to work overtime, weekends and fast-paced environment.
- Horticulture
- Data Collection
- Landscape Maintenance
- Gardening
- Irrigation

Links

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Certifications and Licenses

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