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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Civil Engineering May 2006

Technological University of Panama (Universidad Tecnológica de Panamá-UTP).

Currently, studying a Master Degree in Environmental Engineering at the UTP.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Chevron Company Panama

Nov 2008-Dec 2020

Terminal Health, Environment and Safety Specialist

October 2017- Dec 2020

I supported 3 fuels terminals on all Health Environment and Safety related topics, those terminals are in Guatemala and Colombia, as well as a Joint Venture operation in Panama. I'm responsible for stewarding Chevron's Operational Excellence and processes as well as presence and functionality of safeguards at the terminal level. My role includes field inspections, contractors training/overseeing, process safety implementation, incident investigations, compliance assurance, projects safety plans review and approvals, etc.

Health, Environment and Safety Specialist, Panama and Honduras

Jun 2012-October 2017

My key function was to make sure contractors, employees and facilities complies with Chevron's Safety procedures, processes and local regulations regarding environment, this include:

- HES guidance to field Retail organization concerning compliance with HES legislation, codes, regulations, standards and Company Policies.
- Conducting facility HES inspections and reviews.
- Monitor compliance with Safe Work Practices and Motor Vehicle Safety/ Defensive Driving standards.
- Provide comprehensive knowledge and experience of Contractor HES Management Programs (i.e. monitors compliance, assesses equipment performs V&Vs).
- Provide guidance on Occupational Health Programs.

 Act as liaisons with Environmental Management Company (EMC) Project Managers to ensure consistent/compatible safety process are used at during remediation activities.

Maintenance and Construction Specialist

Nov 2008 - Jun 2012

Responsible for planning, organizing and executing construction projects that meet approved cost, quality, scope, and time targets, always focused on safety.

My key responsibilities were:

- Control of development budget of the annual capital expenditure budget for new builds, knockdown and rebuilds (KDR's), redevelopment, and re-imaging projects that are executed concurrently within approved schedules and budget.
- Construction Project Monitoring through use of pipeline report.
- Check of quality control of works, working procedures and work progress of contractors and suppliers to ensure work meets specification and design standards, safety and environmental requirements.
- Development in conjunction with Procurement Department, of specifications for maintenance and construction contracts, including scope of works, general conditions, timing, customer's requirements, HES (Health, Environment and Safety) Standards, for Bidding Process.
- Design and follow up of maintenance program for Chevron's retail (Texacos service stations) and C&I (Commercial and Industrial) facilities in Panama, including fuels equipment and buildings.
- Assurance of contractors compliance with local and Chevron's safety standards and process, such as the management of Chevron Safe Work Practices (SWP), Contractors Health, Environment and Safety Management (CHESM), LPS (Loss Prevention System), SSE (Short Service Employee), MOC (Management of Change), Stop Work Authority (SWA), LPSA (Loss Prevention Self Assessment), etc

Associated Civil Engineers (ICA, Ingenieros Civiles Asociados) Feb 2008-Nov 2008

Quality Control Supervisor

Responsible for materials quality control in the project "Los Faros de Panamá", which was an 87 stores building project. My primary role was to ensure that the materials used on the construction meet the design specifications, mainly concrete and steel. For these purpose, we performed physical and chemical tests for both concrete and steel, based on the American Society for Testing and Materials Standards (ASTM) and the American Concrete Institute.

Panama Canal Authority (ACP, Autoridad del Canal de Panamá)

Aug 2007-Jan 2008

Hidrology Assitant

Monitoring of water levels on hydrometeorological stations located in lakes and rivers for the flood control program in the watershed of the Panama Canal.

Hormigón Express

Feb 2007- July 2007

Quality Control Supervisor

Responsible for the implementation of the quality control plan on four (4) concrete plants.

Consorcio General (Habitats Realty)

November 2006-July 2007

Resident Engineer Assistant in a 37 stores building project (The View, San Francisco). My key responsibility was to assist the resident engineer in the documentation of works quantities, quality control assurance, and liaise between contractors and the owner.

Consultora Colombiana

August 2006-November 2007

Planning Assistant in the Yaviza-Canglon (Darien) Highway Construction Project. I was responsible for the calculation of works quantities, using Autocad program, in order to present bills to MOP (client).

RELEVANT COURSES/SEMINARS

Process Hazard Analysis (PHA) facilitator-(2020 Chevron)

Smith System Defensive Driving Train the trainer course (2018, Arlignton Texas, Smith System)

Safe Work Practices Operational Training (2008, 2011-Chevron)

Land Development applied to Highway Development (UTP-2006)

Work at Heights Training (Panama Corps of Firefighters-2008)

Effective Supervision of lifts with cranes (2011-Chevron)

Chevron Risks Management Training (2011-Chevron)

Environmental Stewardship Awareness and Knowledge Training (2011-Chevron)

UST (Underground Storage Tanks) Removal Scope of Work Process Deployment (2011-Chevron)

Data Privacy Compliance Training (2011-Chevron)

Conducts and Ethics Training (2011-Chevron)

Foreign Corrupt Practices Act (FCPA) Training (2011-Chevron)

SKILLS AND ACTIVITIES

- Softwares: MS Office, Windows 95/98/2000/XP/NT/2003, Vista, Autocad, Land
- Languages: Spanish, English, Italian

EMPLOYMENT REFERENCES

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