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Summary of Qualifications

- Excellent communication skills with both management and crewmembers.
- Well-organized and great record keeping skills.
- Self-starter that can work with people or under no supervision.
- Computer literate with all Microsoft Office software.
- HOPE scholarship recipient all four years at the University of Georgia.
- President of UGA Turf Club for 2007-2008 school year; initiated fundraisers and organized meetings by recruiting guest speakers and introducing them to the club.
- Member of GGCSA and GCSAA, GCSAA student representative and recruiter.
- Attendance of two consecutive GCSAA conventions: Anaheim in 2007 and Orlando in 2008.
- Selected as an "Amazing Student" for the University of Georgia's College of Agriculture and profiled on the College of Agriculture's website.
- Nominated as an "Outstanding Senior" for the American Society of Agronomy in 2008

Education

College: The University of Georgia, B.S.A, Turfgrass Management; Agribusiness minor expected in December of 2008.

Related Employment

Summer Intern, Atlanta Country Club in Marietta, Georgia

From May 2008 to August 2008

- Water management of A-1 bentgrass greens and bermudagrass fairways and tees with the Toro SitePro irrigation system.
- Sprayed greens and tees with fertilizers and pesticides.
- A part of management decisions for golf course management operations.
- Publication of Atlanta Country Club's monthly newsletter on water conservation.
- Aerification of greens, tees and approaches.
- Operation of SubAir drainage system for bentgrass greens.
- Conducted morning classroom meetings and daily setup responsibilities for the crew.
- Project management: Laid Zeon zoysiagrass sod around the practice green in order to see how the grass would respond to everyday traffic and stress.
- Calibration of drop and rotary spreaders.
- Attended and participated in monthly greens committee meetings.
- Successfully trained new crewmembers how to walk mow greens, tees and approaches.

Student Worker, University Golf Course in Athens, Georgia

From August 2007 to May 2008

- Water management of bentgrass greens.
- Sodding of A-1/A-4 bentgrass on problem areas of greens.
- Maintenance and attention to detail for golf team area.
- Rainbird irrigation repair and troubleshooting.
- Basic golf course management setup duties.

Summer Intern, Columbia Country Club in Chevy Chase, Maryland

From May 2007 to August 2007

- Water management of Poa annua greens, Ryegrass fairways and Tall Fescue surrounds.
- Assistant Superintendent for a week: job allocation, crew management.
- Sprayed tees and fairways with pesticides and fertilizers.
- Project management: Plugging weak turf areas on Poa annua greens.
- Small crew management during the 2007 Maryland Amateur held at Columbia Country Club.
- Toro OSMAC irrigation experience: recognizing problem areas by setting holds on wet areas and increasing water in dry areas.
- Calibration of spreaders and sprayers.
- Top-dressed and dragged greens and tees.

Student Worker, University of Georgia Athletic Association, Athens, Georgia

From November 2005 to May 2007

- Assisted in painting and setup for Sanford Stadium on football game days.
- Assisted in overseeding and watering of all athletic association facilities.
- Mowed and applied fertilizer and pesticides to athletic association facilities.
- Assisted in cultivation/aerification practices of all athletic association fields.

Summer Intern, The Ridgewood Country Club in Paramus, New Jersey

From May 2006 to August 2006

- Water management of Poa annua greens and tees.
- Sprayed greens and tees with fertilizer and pesticides.
- Used and became familiar with Toro OSMAC irrigation system.
- Conducted undisturbed soil tests and obtained results from Hummel Corporation.
- Conducted tissue tests of Poa annua greens in order to obtain fertility information.
- Involved with disease sampling and analysis of results from Rutgers University.
- Record keeping of applied fertilizers and pesticides.