NICOLE NJERI NGUGI

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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Experienced hospitality professional with a strong background in delivering exceptional guest experiences and managing day-to-day operations. Proven ability to maintain high-quality service standards, strategic planning, and effective client relationship management. Adept at working in fastpaced environments, with a passion for providing outstanding customer service and driving customer satisfaction. Eager to contribute to the success of a dynamic hospitality organization.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

ATTACHMENT

Emara Ole Sereni Hotel (April 2024 – September 2024) Kitchen trainee

- Gained comprehensive hands-on experience by rotating across various kitchen sections: Hot Kitchen, Breakfast, Ala Carte, and Butcher.
- Ensured compliance with food safety and hygiene standards.
- Assisted in preparing main courses, hot appetizers, and individual guest orders.
- Developed skills in food preparation techniques, efficient multitasking, and timely service delivery.

• Key areas of expertise: food preparation, buffet setup, customer interaction, meat preparation and plating.

Double Tree by Hilton Hotel

Jan 2023 - May 2023

- Provided exceptional service in the Food & Beverage department, including taking orders, delivering food, and setting tables.
- Assisted in conference services by arranging seating, providing refreshments, and ensuring client satisfaction.
- Contributed to kitchen operations by preparing salads, breakfast condiments, and assisting with pastry baking.
- Gained experience in housekeeping by cleaning rooms, public areas, and laundry management.
- Supported inventory control by filing invoices, receiving goods, and tracking stock levels.
- Developed strong multitasking skills, customer service, and inventory management.

WAITRESS (Casual)

Sunside Guest House Hotel (October 2020- Sep 2022)

- Ensured high levels of guest satisfaction by providing prompt, friendly service.
- Accurately took and processed guest orders, clearing tables, and managing billing.

• Strengthened communication and customer service skills by engaging with guests and addressing their needs.

SALESPERSON: Beba Trade Centre (Jan 2020- Aug 2020)

- 1. Sold men's clothing, offering personalized styling tips and product knowledge to customers.
- 2. Cultivated strong customer relationships by listening to customer preferences and recommending suitable items
- 3. Enhance sales skills through consistent customer engagement and product expertise.

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND

Mount Kenya University

Diploma in hospitality Management - 2021-2024

FR. Heeran Girls High School

Kenya Certificate of Secondary Education - 2016 – 2019

Njathaini Primary School

Kenya Certificate of Primary Education

2005-2015

KEY SKILLS

- 1. Exceptional Customer Service
- 2. Strong Attention to Detail
- 3. Excellent Communication Skills
- 4. Resilience & Multitasking
- 5. Problem-Solving & Adaptability

6. Teamwork and Time management

LANGUAGES

English – fluent . Swahili- fluent

REFERENCES

Madam Isabella (HR Double Tree By Hilton)

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