


Brian Mackenzie

PROCUREMENT SPECIALIST

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SUMMARY

Skilled & results-driven Procurement Manager with 10 years of extensive purchasing & procurement experience. Strongly self-motivated professional with extraordinary communication/negotiation skills and deep knowledge of financial markets. Posses a proven track record of success in managing the whole purchasing process, maintain relationships, and improving retention rate and delivery times.

SKILLS

- Supply Chain Management
- Procurement Planning
- Material Management
- Risk Management & Inventory Control
- Process Management
- Facility Management
- Strategic Industry Management
- Supplier Relationship Management
- Project Management
- Excellent communication skills
- Analytical Skills

EXPERIENCE

System Engineer, Core Network

Sprint Corporation - Kansas, US *May 2011 - Present*

- Engage in Core Network Component Price Negotiations.
- Extend technical support to customers through remote and on-site troubleshooting.
- Liaise with vendors and other IT personnel for problem resolution.
- Maintain internal Core Network Engineering Team.
- Work in fast paced dynamic environment and under high pressure.

Executive Engineer, Marketing & Technical Support

NextEra Energy - Florida, US *Sep 2009 - Aug 2010*

- Prepare calculations for studies and reports (grounding, lightning-protection, AC/DC load studies etc)
- Prepare equipment specifications for procurement and/or factory acceptance testing.
- Regularly meet and correspond with clients or outside personnel.
- Support business development and marketing initiatives.
- Prepare the competitive business proposal through the evaluation of proper technical specifications.

Manager, Procurement

Duke Energy - North Carolina, US *Aug 2010 - Oct 2008*

- Budgeting funds for procurement and sourcing of materials ensuring optimum utilization of materials & maximum cost savings.
- Selected products and researched market regarding suppliers. Studied market for availability of products and ordering information.
- Negotiated with each supplier regarding prices, delivery date, and quantity available.

- Planning of Electrical, Mechanical machines Spare Parts & Various Materials Procurement
- Responsible for Order Placement Timing, Supply / Demand Alignment, Material Replenishment and Supplier Performance.
- Able to negotiating rates with local contractors and also international companies.
- Continuously monitoring, evaluating and improving supplier performance.
- Communicate with vendors to ensure that the product arrives in a timely fashion.
- Sourcing the most affordable materials for the companies manufacturing process.
- Controlling the purchasing budget.
- Monitoring delivery times to ensure they are on time.
- Ensuring the adequate supply of all required materials, components and equipment.

PROJECTS

Design and Implementation of Automatic Traffic Controlled System.

Team Leader *Mar 2009 - Aug 2009*

An award winning project.

EDUCATION

Masters of Business Administration (HRM)

University of Southern California - Los Angeles, California

May 2011 - Aug 2012

Bachelor of Business Administration

Arizona State University - Tempe, Arizona *Jun 2012 - Aug 2014*

CERTIFICATION

Income Tax Practitioner (ITP)

National Board of Revenue *2017-02-10*

Income Tax , Vat , Custom Law

Certificate on Supply Chain Management

New York University of Engineering & Technology *2011-06-27*

Supply Chain Processes, Supply Chain or Value Chain: Strategic Options, Purchasing, Inventory Control, Planning, Logistics, Nature of Problems, supply chain performance and variables, E-commerce for managing the supply chain, Role of Distributions, Cross Docking, Distribution Network Design etc.

COURSES

Course on Supply Chain Foundations

Arizona State University, USA *May 2017 - May 2017*

Risk Management and Accident Investigation

Institute of Risk Management - New York *Jan 2013 - Jan 2013*

Supply Chain Management Course

E-Learning College - Washington DC *Oct 2019 - Oct 2019*

LANGUAGES

English



Chinese



French



German



AWARDS

Excellence in Procurement Award 2018

Apex Holdings Limited *2018-01-06*

HOBBIES

Travelling
Competitive Sports
Following Procurement Blogs

Reading Books
Playing Badminton

REFERAL

Will be produced on request