

CAMERON BUURMA

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EDUCATION

UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA – Hough Graduate School of Business Administration Gainesville, FL
Master of Business Administration May 2009

- Finance Concentration
- Graduate Assistantship – 100 % tuition scholarship

THE OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY – Fisher College of Business Columbus, OH
Bachelor of Science in Business Administration June 2004

- Specialization in Accounting
- Graduated Magna cum Laude
- GPA: 3.75 overall and 3.87 in major

EXPERIENCE

Field Crew Manager June 2004 - July 2007
Buurma Farms, Inc. Willard, OH

- Supervised eight crew leaders with supervision over approximately 250 workers
- Created cost accounting program to calculate costs of production for each product sold
- Advised and consulted with senior management on policies and procedures related to production, harvesting, and employee relations
- Developed and presented training program for field crew leaders and assistant crew leaders
- Directed crew leaders in all aspects of planting, weeding, and harvesting
- Created forms to track production and contributed to more efficient harvesting, processing, and packaging operations
- Served on Safety Committee, identifying safety concerns and recommending corrective actions
- Created and implemented first-ever employee orientation program and PowerPoint presentation, for new and existing employees, covering company rules, policies, and safety information
- Participated in growth of company, recommending and implementing improvements to manage the addition of new produce items to processing and packing lines
- Effectuated production changes that resulted in cleaner produce, greater volume handling on existing lines, and 75% fewer nicks, cuts, and bruises on produce
- Additionally, worked for 11 summers learning all aspects of family-run business

Fellowship Intern January - March 2004
Auditor of State of Ohio Columbus, OH

- Participated on audit team charged with conducting standard audits of government organizations
- Used laptop computer daily to perform statistical sampling and prepare reports
- Tested accounts for deficiencies and irregularities
- Examined accounting books and financial records for fraud and noncompliance
- Organized findings into detailed audit reports complete with detailed charts and lists, for public examination
- Participated in audits for city, village, township, and county entities

SKILLS

Computer: Microsoft Office (Word, Excel, PowerPoint)

Language: Proficient in Spanish