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OBJECTIVE:

To provide strong leadership, direction, and flexible customer solutions by using best practices that maximize efficiency and profitability of an organization's logistics management program.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

July 2013 to Present

Transilwrap Company, Inc., Franklin Park, Illinois (Re-hire) Director of Logistics

- Responsible for P/L Freight Expense cost centers for entire company.
- Responsible for global freight management and warehouse program with a \$25M annual spend.
- Responsible for directly managing all 3PL logistics and outside warehouse providers.
- Responsible for reviewing and approving all logistics related ISO documents including customer packaging specifications.
- Responsible for managing \$12M of on-hand inventory using effective daily cycle counts and annual physical inventories while operating in a dual ERP system environment.

November 2009 to June 2013

CareFusion, Inc. (Formerly Cardinal Health), Waukegan and Oak Forest, Illinois Senior Transportation Manager, North Americas

- Corporate Administrator of the UPS partnership for 16+ plants and distribution centers.
- Responsible for all freight carrier services procurement, analyses, KPI monitoring and management.
- Responsible for development of RFP process for freight carriers and business awards.
- Responsible for development of RFP process for freight audit and payment providers.
- Responsible for contract negotiations, compliance, and procedural reviews to 16+ plants and D/C's.

February 2009 to November 2009

AMC Transportation Consultants, Lockport, Illinois (Interim Position) Transportation Consultant (Private Contract with Transilwrap Company)

- Successful contractual development, negotiations, and implementation of a multimode RFP for domestic and international business which resulted in freight cost reductions of 13% on a \$11M annual spend in Year 1.
- Developed, implemented, and managed KPI Monthly Scorecards and QBR's for all freight carriers.
- Reviewed and realigned standard operating procedures in several of the manufacturing facilities that provided standardization and led to sharing best practices for the client.

July 2006 to January 2009

Ozburn-Hessey Logistics (OHL, Inc.), Romeoville, Illinois Director of Operations/General Manager

- Team leadership, facility staffing & management, security and sanitation, maintenance, financial and operational responsibility for a large privately held 3PL supply chain solutions provider. Responsible for (3) distribution centers in a campus environment totaling over 900K sq. ft. of distribution space, 5 major contracted customers, 125+ non-union employees working in multiple shift environments.
- Responsible for designing and executing a B2C small parcel packaging production e-fulfillment line which achieved a 100% on time rate (24 hours within placement of order) for 19 consecutive months.
- Responsible for development and execution of all distribution center standard operating procedures, employee training and incentive programs, and successful management of KPI's.
- Leader of the facility safety and inspection team adhering to SSS, AIB, and OSHA standards.
- Redesigned a B2C small parcel packaging fulfillment operation which increased production from 10.5 to 12.5 cartons per hour, while reducing headcount by 17% for a well known large electronics corporation.

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October 2001 to June 2006

A.W. Mendenhall Company, Inc., Division of Bunzl, plc., Elk Grove Village, Illinois Director of Logistics

- Team leadership, facility staffing & management, security, financial and operational responsibility for a Midwest regional mid-sized privately held master distributor operating in a 265,000 sq. ft. distribution center, with 105 union and non-union employees working in a multiple shift environment.
- Led successful startup and management of a 110,000 sq. ft. distribution center, with 15 non-union employees in St. Louis, Missouri.
- Responsible for leading strategic direction, planning and management of company's private fleet and core carrier regional transportation programs.
- Led development and execution of all distribution center standard operating procedures, employee training programs, union labor relations, and management of all key performance indicators.
- Responsible for facility general management and all supplier contractual negotiations and reviews.
- Managed overtime labor hours worked to less than 5% for the years 2005 & 2006.
- Increased full case picking from 60 cases per hour to 105 cases per hour, while reducing headcount.
- Improved inventory accuracy levels from 85% to 98.5% by implementing effective daily cycle
 counting programs and redesigning the layout of the facility to maximize movements of high velocity
 items.

September 1997 to October 2001

Transilwrap Company, Inc., Franklin Park, Illinois National Transportation Manager & Warehouse Logistics Manager

- Direct management and financial responsibility for a global mid-sized privately held plastic films manufacturer with annual sales of \$160M and a \$5.5M transportation budget.
- Reduced annual freight expense by 21% utilizing effective contract negotiations, new program development, and refocus of the distribution channel. This included air, motor, rail and ocean modes.
- Managed all warehouse materials and transportation providers in the Chicago facility.
- Introduced and successfully implemented a duty drawback program for import goods.
- Developed successful pool distribution programs in the Southwest and Northeast regions.

February 1996 to August 1997

Logistics Edge, Ltd., Oakbrook Terrace, Illinois Logistics Management Consultant (18 Month Multi-Customer Contract)

- Responsible for on-site freight management consulting for several Fortune 100 manufacturers.
- Contractual project scopes included: carrier and freight management assessment, freight rates and special services contractual negotiations, and continuous improvement programs relative to developments of company policies.
- Reduced annual freight expense by 20% for a well known, large automotive client.

April 1985 to October 1995

DSC Logistics, Melrose Park, Illinois Regional Transportation Manager

- Responsible for management and growth of a \$25M transportation division, 25 person staff, which provided third party logistics services for more than 35 major food, candy & confectionary, grocery, retail, wholesale, and consumer products manufacturers within the Midwest region market.
- Responsible for development, negotiations, implementation, performance measurements, carrier selection, cost management, and Quality Assurance Carrier Partner Programs used to achieve desired results.
- Responsible for management of multiple site traffic operations, carrier rate negotiations, pricing & costing, freight claims, pallet expense control, and contract compliance assurance and review.
- Leader of Transportation Team developed to provide new distribution solutions and freight management optimization to both existing and new customer base.
- Leader and developer of freight brokerage division which resulted in an additional \$2M of revenue and \$645K to the bottom line (net operating income).
- Key member of developmental team for implementation of EDI programs with all core carriers.

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EDUCATION:

Elmhurst College, Elmhurst, Illinois Master of Science, May 2003 Major: Supply Chain Management GPA: 3.95 (Summa Cum Laude)

Elmhurst College, Elmhurst, Illinois Bachelor of Science, May 2001

Major: Logistics and Transportation Management

GPA: 3.75 (Magna Cum Laude)

ADDITIONAL TRAINING:

ISO Certified Internal Auditor
First Aid & CPR certification by National Safety Council
MS-Office (PowerPoint, Word, Excel, Outlook) & Lotus Notes
WMS, TMS, LMS and ERP (Various)