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Ryan Litwin

Over 10 years of working in restaurants, I have accumulated the knowledge needed to run a successful business. Developed new concepts along side ownership & as well over saw multiple locations. I've had the chance to work every position in a restaurant. I've handled hiring, training, and staff development. Improved cost & labor across the board resulting in a yearly increase in profit. I adapt well to my environment and want to continue learning.

Experience

9/21 - Present

Reunion Kitchen + Drink

Bar Manager/Developer

Moved to Santa Barbara to open a new restaurant for/alongside ownership. Worked closely with operations to develop new managers, FOH, and BOH team. Responsible for operating bar program. Refined lighting, POS structure, all communication in steps of service.

9/20 - 9/21

Reunion Kitchen + Drink

Regional Manager

Managed multiple locations at the same time. Oversaw staff training, development, restaurant improvements. Work with general managers closely to reduce cost and labor. Spent time developing cleanliness and organization in BOH.

9/19 - 9/20

Reunion Kitchen + Drink

Server

Maintained a clean restaurant alongside peers in a high volume setting. Exceeded guest expectations for service and created relationships to retain repeat guests. Supported management when needed, and gave feedback when asked. Helped create consistent expectations of fellow serving staff while working.

9/17 - 9/19

Bru Grill & Market

Bartender/Lead

High volume bartending at an upscale restaurant. Custom cocktails on a seasonal menu, craft based & fresh juices. Work alongside management and ownership to improve the bar program. Brought on regulars who enjoyed creativity and creation. Helped with the rotating beer selection. Training other staff on wine, beer, and liquor program.

9/14 - 9/17

Bru Grill & Market

Server

Kept a clean section and worked hard to keep consistency in menu knowledge and liquor knowledge. Worked well with co-workers and strived to increase my relationship with regulars. Consistently high sales along with tips. Team base employee with a high-work drive mentality.