# **RIKO KOBAYASHI**

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## SKILLS

Customer Relationship Building Food and Beverage Service Menu Knowledge and Recommendations High-Quality Service Delivery Professionalism in Customer Interactions Problem-Solving and Conflict Resolution Multitasking and Time Management

## EDUCATION

#### BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Associate in Psychology 2016-2019

#### HOKUSEI GAKUEN UNIVERSITY

Associate in English Literature 2013-2015

#### LANGUAGE

English Japanese

## INTERESTS

Tennis and Fitness Cooking Nature and Outdoor Activities Travel and Cultural Experiences Video Editing and Content Creation

## PROFILE

Dynamic professional with experience in customer-facing roles across diverse industries, including hospitality and technology sales. Adept at providing exceptional service in fast-paced environments, whether serving in an authentic Japanese restaurant or guiding clients through SaaS and UCaaS solutions. Proven ability to build and maintain strong relationships with customers, contributing to client satisfaction and repeat business. Skilled in training team members to ensure excellence in both service delivery and sales performance. Demonstrates a strong focus on customer engagement, team collaboration, and meeting organizational goals.

# WORK EXPERIENCE

#### MultiNet International Inc. (Now "STS Innovation Inc." due to acquisition) SALES CONSULTANT (AUGUST 2019 - JUNE 2024)

Led SaaS, UCaaS, and multiple CRM projects in a tech-driven environment, managing high-revenue accounts on the East Coast and driving business expansion on the West Coast. Expertise in B2B sales, full sales cycle management, and C-level negotiations. Delivered impactful project outcomes through strategic account management and market analysis. Built strong relationships with key partners, driving incremental sales, upsell, and account expansion.

#### Azusa of Japan SERVER (NOVEMBER 2015 - AUGUST 2019)

Experienced in serving and preparing drinks in an authentic Japanese restaurant, delivering professional and attentive service in a fast-paced, customer-focused environment. Strong relationships were built with customers, contributing to a welcoming dining experience. Additionally, took on a leadership role in training new servers, ensuring they were well-prepared to provide excellent service.

#### Eddie Bauer

#### SALES ASSOCIATE (NOVEMBER 2013 - JUNE 2015)

Gained experience in one-on-one sales interactions with each customer, significantly contributing to the store's overall sales performance. This position provided an opportunity to develop strong customer-facing skills and foster lasting relationships with clientele, ensuring a personalized and positive shopping experience for each customer.