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Seeking position in project management or inspection in oilfield and other construction projects offshore or on land.

*Started working in the offshore pipeline construction industry in 1988 as commercial diver and as inspector / client representative in industry since 2001. Have current **AWS Certified Welding Inspector, API 1169 Pipeline Construction Inspector, NACE Level 1 Coating Inspector and ASQ Certified Mechanical Inspector** certifications. Familiar with most NDE methods. Have been involved on pipe lay projects from land to deep-water projects. Well versed in all modes of commercial diving and ROV operations. I have worked many positions including diving inspector, welding inspector and chief inspector. Have used and familiar with numerous structural, piping and pipeline welding codes. I have been senior person onsite on projects with over 100 personnel. Most of the projects I have been on were for major oil companies in a very safety conscious environment. The majority of the work as an inspector has been on pipelines but I have done a substantial amount of work on process piping and structural welding projects, platform, well and pipeline abandonment. Performed vendor surveillance and quality assurance for owner on various items including pipeline, valves and process piping. Reviewed and coordinated inspection activities at suppliers and fabricators yard. Witness hydro and other test on behalf of owner. Reviewed contractual documents, drawings, MTR, applicably ASTM, API and other standards to confirm within client's specifications. While working as an independent contract inspector worked through various inspection companies including Petroleum Solutions International, Greenwood Group, Gates, Project Consulting Services, TSB Offshore, Offshore Process Services and Paloma Energy Consultants.*

EXPERIENCE

Courtney Consulting LLC

January 2011 to Present

Consultant / Company Representative

I performed duties as consultant and client representative on offshore diving and construction jobs in the Gulf of Mexico. Recent work in last few years has included working for Fieldwood Energy for their platform removal projects. For Fieldwood Energy worked on both derrick barges doing platform removal and dive boats doing pipeline abandonment. Other recent client I work for is Chevron doing offshore pipeline construction and repair work and topside piping and construction. Performed work on lift boats, lay barges, anchor boats and DP vessels. Performed duties as chief inspector and welding inspector. Reviewed and provided onsite oversight of Chevron diving, construction, welding, hydro test and safety procedures.

Wild Well Control

February 2006 to January 2011

Team Lead

Performed work as Team Lead on DSV Rem Commander, DSV Normand Clipper, D/B Superior Performance, various lift boats and dive boats on Platform Recovery Team on downed platforms from hurricane Katrina and Rita. While on vessels I performed duties as senior person onsite for salvage and P&A operations on toppled platforms. The vessels worked on included multipurpose DP vessels including Saturation Diving and ROV operations. Duties included supervision of Wild Well Project Team onsite, Marine Engineers, Well Specialist and all contractors onsite. Also performed duties as Clients Senior Representative onsite. Coordinated work plans with offshore personnel, Wild Well Project Team onshore and client. The operations included initial survey of downed platforms, initial structure removal for well access, kill wells, plug and abandon wells, final structural removal and site clearance. Work performed on platforms owned by Merit Energy, Apache and Wild Well Control. Projects included time & material jobs and lump sum bid jobs.

Courtney Consulting LLC

May 2001 to February 2006

Consultant / Company Representative

Worked as consultant, offshore manager, inspector and chief inspector on offshore pipeline construction, decommissioning projects, platform inspection, hot taps, platform removal, pipeline abandonment and pipeline reroutes. I have worked on dive boats, derrick barges, lay barges, jet barges, lift boats, drilling rigs. Types of vessels included anchor-moored vessels and dynamically positioned vessels. Major clients represented include: Shell, Allseas, El Paso, Stone Energy, Devon Energy, Walter Oil and Gas, Williams, Chevron, Newfield, and Ocean Energy.

Offshore Commercial Diver: Horizon Subsea Services, Martech International, Acadiana Divers, Professional Divers of New Orleans, International Diving and Consulting, Global Industries

June 1988- May 2001

Diver and Dive Supervisor

Performed worked as full time and contract Commercial Diver and Supervisor. Majority of work was offshore Gulf of Mexico and included pipeline construction, platform installation, pipeline repair, maintenance and decommissioning. Work also included sub-sea salvage projects.

United States Army

January 1982 to January 1986

Wire System Installer MOS 36C

Installed, operated and maintained wired communication systems.

USS Agri Chemicals

October 1979 to January 1982

Operator

and January 1986 to August

1886

Worked as operator in phosphoric acid plant.

EDUCATION

Santa Barbara City College

September 1986 to June 1988

Marine Diving Technology

Two year certificate program in commercial diving. Including training in all aspects of commercial diving and ROV operation. Also included training in drafting, welding, machine shop, basic emergency medicine, marine oceanography and marine biology.

SKILLS

Welding inspection, hydro testing, pipeline tie-ins, commercial diving, ROV, safety, well control, NDE methods, mechanical inspection, coating inspection, computer skills including Microsoft Office programs. API 1169 Certified Pipeline Inspector, AWS Certified Welding Inspector, NACE Level 1 Coating Inspector, ASQ Certified Mechanical Inspector and OSHA 30 Hour Outreach Training Construction. Structural and isometric drawing reading, reviewing procedures and job specifications, pre-job planning. Xactimate claims estimating software.

CERTIFICATIONS / LICENSES

Certified Welding Inspector

4/1/00 to 4/1/18

American Welding Society

Certification #: 00041181

API Pipeline Construction Inspector

4/30/16 to 4/30/19

American Petroleum Institute

Certification #: 65415

Mechanical Inspector

1/21/00

American Society for Quality

Certification #: 09952

NACE Coating Inspector Level 1

5/6/16 to 5/6/19

National Association of Corrosion Engineers

Certification #: 66670

OSHA 30 Hour Construction Safety and Health

6/15/16

Occupational Safety and Health Administration

Independent Adjuster P&C with Workers Comp

9/15/17 to 7/31/19

Mississippi Insurance Department

License # 10184544 NPN #: 15814968