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- Objective** To obtain a full-time position with an athletic field management organization that will utilize and further develop my field maintenance knowledge and skills.
- Education** **University of Tennessee** Knoxville, TN Graduation Date: December 2005
Bachelor of Plant Sciences: Major: Plant Sciences and Landscape Systems
- Hiwassee College** Madisonville, TN
Major: Ornamental Horticulture
- Work Experience** **Warner's Athletic Construction Company** Smyrna, TN
Athletic Field Specialist (September 2006-Current)
- Travel southeast United States renovating and constructing athletic fields of all levels.
 - Renovate clay surfaces on baseball and softball fields of all skill levels.
 - Layout fields to install the home plate, pitching rubber, base anchors and grass edges.
 - Grade fields to prepare for sod, infield clay and sand grading to level.
 - Run laser equipment to grade fields to requested/suggested grades.
 - Diagnose, repair and/or install irrigation components and complete systems.
 - Perform regular maintenance on tractors, utility vehicles and automobiles.
- Winston-Salem Warthogs** Winston-Salem, NC
Head Grounds Keeper (February 2006-September 2006)
- Manage a crew by organizing daily tasks to stay within allotted time allowed to work.
 - Maintain playing surface to minor league specifications.
 - Perform stadium upkeep and repairs during off-season and away games.
 - Schedule and organize orders and shipments of field equipment and repair materials.
 - Prepare field to allow as much play under inclement weather.
- University of Tennessee** Knoxville, TN
Grounds Crew Member (April 2003-February 2006)
- Groom athletic fields bi-weekly.
 - Assist/advise employees with daily responsibilities.
 - Maintain in season athletic fields to SEC standards.
- Milwaukee Brewers** Milwaukee, WI
Intern (May-August 2004)
- Managed Helfaer little league field.
 - Organized grounds crew daily responsibilities.
 - Determined field playability under questionable conditions.
 - Directed entire maintenance of field.
- Activities** Phi Sigma Theta National Honor Society
Magna Cum Laude: (Fall 2004).
Sports Turf Manager Association: (2005-Current).