#### JOSE ALEJANDRO FUENTES

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## PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Over 18 years of successful experience in management, sales and marketing positions. Living in Venezuela and Europe provided the opportunity to be exposed to different cultural environments. This afforded me the sensibility and aptitude of working with a wide variety of customers and businesses.

# PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

### PNC BANK

Vice President, Branch Manager

04-11/Present

#### US BANK

Branch Manager

09-07/04-11

- Got quickly promoted from Personal Banker to a Branch Manager position due to integrity and goals achievement and management experience.
- Successfully leading a top-of-the-line sales team through coaching and sales training, affording us to achieve sales goals and expectations.
- Developed detailed tracking system of structuring and restructuring sales and marketing strategies.
- □ Hire, train and motivate employees with emphasis in sales, customer services and operations.
- Maintain a great deal of detail in the day-to-day operation of the branch.
- Understand and analyze financial data and income opportunities for the branch thru the different products and growth the branch according to my market.
- □ Track profit and loses for the branch.
- Developed an effective plan to attract new businesses thru networking and heavy community involvements.
- Constantly winning different awards like Pinnacle, most deposit growth in the Region, 100%
  Package Penetration, Net Accounts, Revenue, 296% Small Business Loans increased in 2010, etc.

# FARMERS INSURANCE COMPANY

### THE FUENTES AGENCY

Insurance Agent. Saukville, WI.

09-04/06-07

- Successfully achieved all goals and expectations by managing the day-to-day operation of the agency
- Create and maintain an effective marketing system.
- Hire, train and motivate an outstanding sales and office team.
- Determine customer's needs for better service.
- Involved in different community events and networking groups to promote Farmers brand and the agency in the area.
- Apply high levels of negotiation educating the customer with the different coverage and products.
- Explain and support the customers through the closing process in a professional manner.
- □ Won "THE MOST VALUABLE PLAYER" award in the training program among 30 other agents

#### OFICINA DE SEGUROS FUENTES

President, Margarita Island, Venezuela.

Commercial Insurance office.

04-92/02-04

2004

1992/1995

- Achieved high levels of negotiation with a wide variety of businesses customers from corporate accounts such as banks and chain stores to small business.
- □ Successfully owned and managed the largest commercial insurance group in the state.
- Hired, supervised and motivated a team of 7 branches, 9 agents and 38 office staff.
- ☐ Commission control for every agent and agency.
- D Statistics of commission, claims, profit sales and goals for every agent.
- Awarded several travels and insurance conventions to Europe, South and North America.
- Create a highly efficient and professional database for customer, including customer payments and claims history, different companies for different customers and agents.
- Integrated marketing strategies for goals achievement in the company including proper advertising, networking plan and referral programs.
- Developed the ability of determine the right coverage for medium to large business with risk analysis.

### **EDUCATION AND TRAINING**

**INSURANCE & SECURITY LICENSES** 

Property and casualty, health, life, 6 and 63.

ISTITUZIONE DI ASSICURAZIONE 1995

Degree in international insurance, based in international shipping insurance. Pescara, Italy.

UNIVERSIDAD JOSE MARIA VARGAS (JMV University)

3 years / Business Administration. Margarita Island, Venezuela.

1.N.C.E. 1991/1992

Training in different insurance fields.

INSTITUTO EDUCACIONAL NUEVA ESPARTA

High School Degree. 1985/1990

# **SKILLS**

COMPUTER KNOWLEDGE

Microsoft Office: Word, Excel, Outlook, Power Point, and Access

**LANGUAGES** 

Fluently: Spanish, English and Italian.

**INTERESTS** 

Family, Travel, Computers, Meeting new cultures and people, World history and Sports.

### **AFFILIATIONS**

Mason Lodge Port Washington.

Saukville Chamber of Commerce.

Hispanic Professionals of Greater Milwaukee.

Hispanic Chamber of Commerce.

Co-founder and former president of B.N.I. (Business Network International) in Saukville chapter.

Member and co-founder of Milwaukee Networking Group.

Member of the 501 networking group in Port Washington.

Vice President of Latino Entrepreneurial Network.

Secretary and Co-founder of Hispanic Entrepreneur of Wisconsin

Vice President and Co-founder of Business Development Group

Board member of Latino Arts, Inc.

Board Member of Historic Mitchell Street Business Improvement District #14