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WORK EXPERIENCE

Industry work

2014 – 2024

Various titles

- Visited and assisted on multiple farms with University and privately.
- Assisted in the darting and capturing of various wildlife species for the purposes of tagging and/or medicating and/or transportation
- Applied a vaccination program to a herd of giraffes through the personal use of a darting gun and dosing.
- Worked at a wildlife rehabilitation center where my responsibilities included daily feeding and cleaning of pens as well as the construction of new housing for the animals.
- Assisted in the Hluvukani Animal clinic in a rural area. I was involved in the treatment of heartwater disease and regular dosing of a herd of cattle infected with said disease. I also assisted in the treatments of several smaller domestic animals and helped with the delivery of a calf by c-section.
- Helped for prolonged periods of time on pig, chicken, sheep, cattle and goat farms as part of my degree and also independently where I have fulfilled multiple roles.
- Farm visits and work have included experience in most production related skills such as disease detection, BCS, weighing, herding, transporting, dosing, marking, shearing, basic husbandry, feeding and/or branding.

Artificial Insemination project

December 2019

Project leader

- Personally ordered and applied estrus synchronization medication to 100 Nguni cattle at Naboomspruit (Mookgopong) farm.
- Assisted an experienced technician with artificial insemination, and personally attended to the thawing and storage of straws, the preparation of the AI gun, and the actual AI of 50 cows and/or heifers.
- Detected pregnancies in numerous cows before the synchronization of estrus by using my own portable sonar machine.
- Detection of estrus and body condition evaluation occurred on a regular basis in multiple visits.

Dalein Estates

December 2018 – January 2019

Assistant foreman on farm

- Managed 30 workers and delegated tasks related to the daily operations of a farm and had multiple responsibilities including maintenance and worker meetings (conflict resolution and schedule discussions).
- Handled the coordination of the multiple teams of workers to perform various daily tasks.
- Assisted in general administrative tasks such as data entry, stock taking and completion of order forms and worksheets.
- Performed weekly artificial inseminations and animal husbandry practices such as Boar management and sow exposure.
- Achieved a reduction in mortality due to diligent checks of health and worker management.
- Worked in the Feed mill and helped with the fulfillment of orders and the loading of transport vehicles.
- Worked in close proximity with a production consultant for a week to solve issues of staff motivation.

Akasia Primary School

January 2020 – March 2024

Chess Instructor

- Designed Powerpoint lectures and themed chess lessons to cater to different skill levels of students.

- Handled a class of 50 students simultaneously as well as individually in both Afrikaans and English.
- Tracked student progress on software programs as well as arranging tournaments for students to compete in.

Tutoring

January 2021 – Present

Tutor

- Tutored various students in topics such as mathematics, physics and biology.
- Provided weekly feedback and progress reports to management.
- Trained multiple other employees and assisted in various management responsibilities such as employee reviews and center management.

Strydom Rabie inc.

March 2024 – Present

Ad hoc office assistant

- Performed general office tasks such as filing, scanning and copying.
- Arranged couriers for documents as well as delivery of documents to and from relevant destinations.
- Used Microsoft office programs such as Excel and Word to check and mark files or documents.
- Administrative assistance relating to litigation

EDUCATION

University of Pretoria

Bsc. Agric (Hons.) Animal Science

December 2018

- Completed Bsc Agric Animal Science with a final year average of 70 percent.
- Attended various seminars and agriculture expos and was selected to compete in an academic quiz team.
- Subjects of the degree included grazing, genetics, production physiology, animal nutrition, meteorology, soil science, meat and milk science and breeding.
- Used a combination of textbooks and research articles to formulate answers for common questions and problems in the production cycle.
- **Technical skills:** Novice experience in trans-rectal sonography; practical experience in artificial insemination of multiple species; wool classification; tattooing; branding; ear tagging; calf delivery; medicinal application and dosing; pelvimetry; Body-condition scoring; Wildlife darting and capture
- **Other skills:** Keynote/PPT presentation; Microsoft Office proficient; project management; organization and administrative planning; teamwork and people management; conflict resolution; knowledge transfer and delegation; lesson planning;
- **Interests:** Classical music; hiking; motorcycles; mountain biking; books; parrots; cooking; board games.