

# TRANSPORTATION LOGISTICS / CUSTOMER SERVICE PROFESSIONAL

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### SUMMARY OF QUALIFICATIONS

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Logistics professional with 15+ years of managerial, planning, and hands-on experience in transportation, warehousing and distribution. Background includes ground, air, water, and rail shipping. Possess significant conceptual skills with regard to visualizing projects from start to finish, and excellent communication skills. MS in Geography with concentration in Transportation and International Business.

### COMPUTER SKILLS

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VB, VBA, Cobol, RPG, C++, DOS, Arc GIS, Trans CAD, Macromedia Dreamweaver Suite, Microsoft Word, Excel, Access, PowerPoint, Outlook, Publisher, Photo Shop

### WORK AND MILITARY EXPERIENCE

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**Assistant Manager** – Productive Transportation Carrier Corp., Tonawanda, NY (2007 – 2008)

- Booked loads and dispatched drivers in shipping dry and refrigerants to domestic customers
- Maintained all day to day operations to include tracking costs, executing office management functions and resolving problems with customers, brokers and drivers.
- Key accounts included Luvata, Invitrogen, HC Brill, International Fiber and brokers such as CH Robinson, Bridge Logistics and Gold Star Transportation.

**Consultant** – Buffalo, NY (1999 – 2006)

- Provided Supply Chain and Supply Chain Management services to niche grocery startup operation
- Provided Operations, Logistical and Transportation services to a niche grocery, Dot com startup

**Tractor Trailer Truck Driver/OTR** – New England Motor Freight, Buffalo, NY (1986 – 1997)

- Advisor for line haul and local operations
- Knowledgeable of transporting refrigerated goods, oversize, bulk, container, liquids & haz-mat
- Assisted with dispatch

**Leased Driver** – Regional and National Transport Companies, Buffalo, NY (1982 – 1985)

- Contracted by various transport companies and temporary driver pools

**Operations Manager** – Connelly Brothers Ship Chandlers, Buffalo, NY (1979 – 1981)

- Oversaw warehouse, delivery operations, routing, traffic, and distribution

**Telephone Lineman** – United States Army (Specialist E-4) Honorable Discharge (1975 – 1979)

### EDUCATION

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**Master of Science, Geography** – University at Buffalo, Buffalo, NY, February 2006

**Concentration: Transportation, International Business**

- Master's Project: "A Geographical Analysis of Two Centuries of Grain Trade in Buffalo, New York," an historical look at the effect of location and the different microeconomics at play in the grain trade in Buffalo, with specific focus on different industries
- Project: "Intermodal," a look at the history and future of intermodal transportation in the United States and around the world

**Bachelor of Science: Computer Information Systems**, Buffalo State College, Buffalo, NY, May 2003

- Founding Member, American Marketing Association, Buffalo State College Chapter