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Baker

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SUMMARY

Baker with 5 years in wholesale and retail bakeries, specializing in naturally leavened bread and laminated pastry. Produce up to 420 loaves on a 4 a.m. shift with a rejected-batch rate under 2%, and cut end-of-day waste by 30% through par-level planning. ServSafe Food Handler certified.

EXPERIENCE

Lead Bread Baker — Hearthstone Wholesale Bakery

Portland, OR · Apr 2023 – Present

- Mix, shape and bake 350-420 sourdough and rye loaves per shift for 38 restaurant and grocery accounts, finishing loading by 7:30 a.m. on 98% of days.
- Rebuilt the levain feeding schedule and dough temperature log, lowering rejected batches from 6% to under 2% across 2 deck ovens.
- Trained 3 new bakers on shaping and scoring standards using a 2-week checklist, with all 3 working solo shifts by week 4.
- Introduced a seeded spelt loaf that grew to 60 units a day within 3 months and is now carried by 12 accounts.
- Keep allergen labeling and cleaning logs that passed 2 county health inspections with zero violations.

Baker — Little Fern Café & Bakery

Portland, OR · Jun 2020 – Mar 2023

- Laminated and baked 180 croissants, kouign-amann and danishes each morning for a café serving about 400 customers a day.
- Set par levels from 8 weeks of sales data, cutting end-of-day pastry waste by 30% while keeping the case full until 2 p.m.
- Developed 4 seasonal tarts and a vegan morning bun, which together averaged 70 sales a week.

SKILLS

Bread: Sourdough and levain management, rye, enriched doughs, shaping and scoring, deck and rack ovens

Pastry: Lamination, croissant and danish, tarts, choux, cookies and quick breads

Production: Recipe scaling and baker's percentages, par levels, production schedules, mixer and sheeter operation

Safety: ServSafe Food Handler, allergen control, HACCP logs, cleaning schedules

CERTIFICATIONS

ServSafe Food Handler, 2024

EDUCATION

Certificate in Baking and Pastry Arts, Portland Community College, 2020

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