



RESUME – BLAKE KNIGHT

EDUCATION: Bachelor of Science – Manufacturing Engineering Technology
Weber State University – Ogden, Utah. December 1988

WORK HISTORY: Vice President/COO – Axis Reclamation & Construction Corp. – 4/2011 – Present
Preconstruction services, business development, conceptual/hard bid estimating, project management for over 380 projects ranging from \$100 up to \$1,200,000.

President – ONYX Construction, LLC – West Jordan, Utah – 7/2008 – 4/2011
Team Leader for large construction firm including Operations, Accounting, Business Development, Estimating, Project Management and Office Administration for projects ranging from \$1,000 up to \$23,000,000.

Sr. Vice President/Owner – CK Construction Corp. – Ogden, UT – 4/2002 – 7/2008
Managed day to day activities, business development, conceptual & hard bid estimating, project management, design/build and preconstruction services. Projects ranging in size from \$100 up to \$3,800,000.

Operations Manager – Cache Valley Electric – SLC, Utah – 10/2000 – 11/2003
Managed the Construction Management Division for Information Technology projects for El Paso Global Networks; CVE Office; Cerrowire; Ceristar; OHM; Petersen, Inc.; Southwire Company.

Engineering Manager – Cerrowire Company – Ogden, UT – 7/1994 – 10/2000
MAJOR PROJECTS

59,000 Sq. Ft. Office, Mfg & Whse Space including equipment – Budget: \$7,000,000
2,000 Sq. Ft. Office Space – Budget: \$150,000
105,000 Sq. Ft. Office, Mfg & Whse Space including equipment – Budget: \$13,500,000
100,000 Sq. Ft. Office, Mfg & Whse Space including equipment – Budget: \$4,500,000
Engineering and management responsibilities included improvements in construction projects, maintenance, facilities, processes, productivity, logistics, quality, strategic planning and capital budgets.

Mfg. Engineer/ Plant Manager – Southwire Co. – West Jordan, Utah – 5/1990 – 7/1994
MAJOR PROJECTS:

80,000 Sq. Ft. Office, Mfg & Whse Space including Equipment – Budget: \$5,400,000
New and existing manufacturing equipment upgrades – Total Budget: \$2,500,000
Engineering, Facilities and Production Management responsibilities.

Manufacturing Engineer – Boeing Company – Renton, WA – 12/1988 – 5/1990
Engineering responsibilities included quality analysis for improvements. Successful with redesign of airplane weight savings and process improvements which translated in savings to realize personal cash awards in excess of \$10,000.

Project Manager/Estimating Manager – Petersen, Inc. – Ogden, UT – 7/1984 – 12/1988
MAJOR PROJECTS: Awarded new design for transport stands for Shuttle SRMs – Budget: \$650,000; Worked full time while attending local university full time and achieved high educational standards. Recipient of NASA Astronaut Safety Recognition Award