

# **Curriculum Vitae** George N Barrett



# **QUALIFICATIONS**

Automotive Academy Training Gateshead College 2006 IOSH

Adult Literacy Support – A Level 2004

Cert ED in Further Education Sunderland University 2003

Gas and Safety

Awareness Workshop Gateshead College 2000

D32, D33, D34 2001

C&G 7306

Further & Adult Education Sunderland University 1999

HNC Engineering
Durham College 1975
City & Guilds Advanced 1971
Welding Technology

# **KEY SKILLS**

Working with over 400 companies in both the UK and Europe

Training and up skilling ex Servicemen through ELCAS projects

Managing Nissan and their supply chain companies in the training and recruitment

programmes required for manufacturing and production operators and apprentices

Introducing new working practices and procedures bespoke to company requirements

Lean implementation to improve quality, cost and delivery
Experience of liaising with employers, employment agencies,

providers

Qualified in Health and Safety Management skills

Inter-personal skills

Colleges and training

Excellent communication skills

## **PROFILE**

A driven, committed and dedicated individual with a passion to succeed in everything I undertake. I have previously worked with a number of large and small organisations to support them in their individual business requirements, including HM Armed Forces. The projects covered engineering, manufacturing, food production, health and social care, admin, warehousing, logistics, solar energy, hydrogen, new technologies, LNG (bunkering operations) and oil and gas on and offshore projects. My role included the responsibility of design, development, and implementation of bespoke company projects ensuring a successful conclusion with small medium or large business projects.

#### **EXPERIENCE**

North East Curriculum Development Manager, Gateshead College

- Centre Co-ordinator for Gateshead College's Business Innovation Department (BID)
- Managing the North East team of assessors, consisting of twenty assessors and two team leaders
- Support National team of twenty assessors and two team leaders
- Achieve set targets on delivery
- Quality Assurance of all Work Based learning programmes including internal Verification or Moderation of the following delivery programmes:
- Implementation manager for NEPA Lean Engineers Projects of Bit Level 2, Bit Level 3 & Bit Level 4, support by One North East
- NSAM Development and training delivery manager
- → Managed up skilling programmes on Lean Office
- ⇒ PMO Level 1 & Level 2, PEO Level 2 & 3
- ➡ Warehouse and Storage Levels 1 Level 2 & Level 3
- Supply Chain Management Level 1 Level 2 & Level 3
- Supply Chain Operations Level 1 Level 2 & Level 3
- Lean Operations Level 2. Employability Level 1 & Level 2
- Business Admin Level 2 & 3 Customer Service Level 2 & 3
- Staff CPD Multi skill staff to support business needs
- Design and development of all delivery programmes funded or full cost
- **⇒** Gateshead College's welding consultant
- Business Growth Manager scoping new business opportunities nationally and internationally
- Manage all current awarding body procedures and site visits which include Edexcel,
- City & Guilds, EDI, EAL IOSCM, HIGHFIELD. NCFE. SIA
- Apprenticeship delivery in the following areas: Manufacturing; Engineering; Warehouse & Storage; Logistics; Supply Chain; Retail; Hospitality; Health & Social Care; Business Admin; Customer Service; Construction; IT; Team Leading



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#### YEARS OF EXPERIENCE

45+

#### **SUPPLEMENTARY**

I am currently working as a Consultant with Gateshead College and Enterprise Ireland on design, installation and transportation programmes, as well as liaising with Lloyds testing authority on welding procedures, qualifications and certification training programmes.

I have recently completed a project involving the up skilling of a workforce to meet the Oil and Gas standards of ISO EN 3834. The project involved Introducing new working procedures and skills and training to ASME IX and ISO EN 15614-1 standards.

Currently liaising with Highfield Awarding Body Consortium (HABC) on the design and development of LNG delivery programmes.

This involves the design of delivery modules, certification, examination papers and online test materials. Another project I am involved with is a new design around the storage of solar energy and battery storage to support residential properties

#### **EXPERIENCE CONTINUED**

- Bespoke Pre- Employment programmes -design qualifications bespoke to employers
- Liaise and project manage Job Centre Plus programmes ensuring 50% into work minimum
- Manage Work Programme providers design, delivery and successful outcomes

## SELECT PROJECT EXPERIENCE

## Centre Co-ordinator/Lecturer, Gateshead College

Main duties were Course Leader for the Welding and Fabrication area and managing the NVQ programme for Manufacturing and Engineering. This consists of internal and external programmes. I also managed and oversaw the Quality and Assessment Team. I was responsible for the internal verification of those programmes and liaising with external verifiers. Other duties included the communication, development and delivery of programmes with external providers and companies.

# Welding Fabrication Lecturer, Gateshead College

Training and development of college students on MIG,MMA,TAGS, FCAW welding processes from introductory skills Level 1 to advanced Level 3 Welding and Fabrication standards. Responsible for the management of full cost training programmes to suit the needs of the private sector. The programme included ASME IX 6G Certification on pipe or plate materials. City & Guilds Fabrication and Sheet Metal work and patter development apprenticeship courses

College Consultant for all external company enquiries or requests for advice, training or up skilling

## Welding Supervisor, Amec Process and Energy, Wallsend

Responsible for the supervision of welders; platers; painters and shop floor operatives. Supervising between 60-80 operatives at one time. Liaising with management; clients' quality control and inspection.

## Welding Inspector, Deutche Babcock (Steels Engineering), Sunderland

Main duties were inspection of quality control assurance for pipe work for the petrochemical industry.

# Welder/Team Leader, Kvaerner, Norway

Working as a welder/team leader on an offshore installation programme.
Welder/Team Leader, Pipetawse Limited, Seaton Delaval
Working on a refurbishment programme of gas fed pipelines.

# Welder, Amec Offshore, Wallsend

Coded welder on oil platforms using MMA, TIG, MIG, Cunifer, Duplex, Stainless Steel, 6G Carbon, 3G, 4G, 6% Mo Chrome Alloy.